Week beginning 27.04.20

Hello Boys and Girls,

I hope you all had a great weekend!

This week I would like you to complete the following tasks:

Reading - Go to: http://Collins.co.uk/pages/big-cat-ebooks

Click on Collins connect and then teachers portal

Use the following login to access the books and worksheets

Login: Parents@harpercollins.co.uk

Password: Parents20!

Nouns and Verbs Groups can choose from the Lime books.

Adjectives can choose from the Purple and Gold books.

Adverbs can choose from the Green and Orange books.

Kimberley can choose from Yellow books.

You should aim to read one Big Cat book each week, as well as your own choice of book in your house.. Read it on your own, to someone in your house or you could even phone, video call or facetime a relative and read it to them!

Complete the worksheet on the book and you could choose another reading activity from the learning grids below.

Spelling - you should be working your way through one sound each week. From now on I would like you to have someone in your house test you on a Friday and you can email me your score or post it on our Google Classroom page..

Numeracy - please continue to use Easimaths, Sumdog and the Numeracy grids below to revise your maths. Keep revising your tables, choose a times table to learn each week and have someone in your house test you saying them on a Friday. You can then self assess using the traffic light system we use in class and you can email me or post on Google Classroom to let me know how you are getting on.

This week BBC daily lessons has an activity about money. This will be great revision for you and perhaps you could create your own shop and play shops at home? Remember to show all the ways you can make amounts using 1p, 2p, 5p, 10p, 20p. 50p and £1. Take turns at paying for things and being the shopkeeper giving change.

I have created a money challenge for you all to complete by Friday on Sumdog.

Try out these games too

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/money/toy-shop-money>

<https://natwest.mymoneysense.com/students/students-5-8/coin-cruncher/>

<https://natwest.mymoneysense.com/students/students-5-8/the-change-game/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?f=howmuchleftv2>

<http://flash.topmarks.co.uk/4020>

The BBC Bitesize Daily Lessons are great fun. Complete these daily and take a photograph of your work and email it to me or post it on our Google Classroom page. <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/z7s22sg/year-2-and-p3-lessons/1>

Minibeasts - You can access lots of the materials to learn about minibeasts using Twinkl. Twinkl has free access at the moments using the code CVDTWINKLHELPS

Once you have signed up search for The Cautious Caterpillar. You will find a PowerPoint story of ebook and many activities to choose from. You can learn about the lifecycle of a butterfly and use the activity grid for ideas on what you could do in your garden to learn more about minibeasts.

I am going to try to meditate for 5 minutes each day using some calming music on my Alexa or from Youtube and as always using the mantra “Maranatha” to bring me back to God. You should give this a try too.

This week I am going to get out into the garden and create an obstacle course with Caoimhe and time both of us going round it to see if we can beat our fastest times. I would like you to do this at some point this week too, either in your garden or in a safe space in your house with your mum and dad’s permission.

I will be creating symmetrical butterfly patterns using paints, chalk, pens and pencils. Could you create symmetrical butterfly patterns too and send photographs of your work to me?

It would also be a great idea for you to learn some ways in which you can help your family about the house. Maybe you could hoover, dust, make the bed and help make breakfast, lunch and dinner or set the table for everyone and wash dishes after your meal? I look forward to seeing your photographs and hearing how you get on.

I can’t wait to hear from you all and as always I am missing you all so very much.

Take care!

Mrs Murphy : )