



Year 5 Home Learning Letter

Friday 27th March 2020

Home Learning Edition 2

Hello to all our lovely pupils in Year 5.

We sincerely hope you are all keeping safe, well and active. Remember that every morning at 9.00 a.m., Joe Wicks is doing exercise classes just for you!

<http://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYIRfn6rYQ>



If you have a garden, take advantage of the sunshine and fresh air to play, exercise and have fun outdoors. It is really important to have some structure to your days so make up a timetable to provide a balance of learning and exercise for each day. Remember too, that learning can take place indoors or in the garden!

During the day please continue to follow the work provided in English and Mathematics using Education City and finish off any activities from any previous correspondence. We are adding more activities all the time. More details on Education City below.

Moving ahead, the following activities will help you to cover the next stages of learning in Year 5.

Try very hard not to argue too much with your brothers or sisters! Take some time to help with jobs around the house. Keep your bedroom tidy so you have a nice calm place to spend time in. Sort through your books and toys - you might find something good to read and if there are things you don't need anymore these can be passed on to others at a later date!

We have set up a **Year 5 blog on Purple Mash** - please add your comments to it, as we are missing you all, and would love to hear what you've been doing. It should appear in the **Sharing** tab (your Purple Mash menu might look a bit different to ours!).



Check with an adult at home, that it is OK for you to watch YouTube. Don't follow any other links unless they have said it's ok to do so.

Remember, you can check here to make sure you are using the internet and social media safely
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/44074704>

Most important of all... keep smiling!

Our very best wishes,

Mrs Bradby, Mrs Mitchell and Ms Marshall-Bailey.



French - shops and shopping



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/french-ks2-shopping-for-food/z7ynvk7>

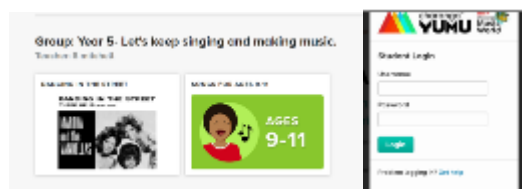
Watch the clip and then try some of the following activities:

- Design your own pizza with your favourite ingredients. Draw or make a model of your final masterpiece and label the toppings in French. Use the internet to find out the French words.
- Play some games about food using these links:
- <https://www.lightbulblanguages.co.uk/estrellas-french-index.htm#food>
- Make up a weekly shopping list in French
<http://www.crickweb.co.uk/ks2french.html>
- Use recycling materials to design and make a French style model shop... Label the shop frontage and the items for sale in French. These links will help you:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L5bsBurBUKM>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cro46M6AuGU>

Music- let's keep singing and making music

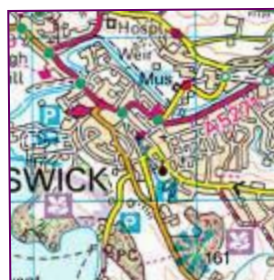


<https://www.surreyartsinteractive.co.uk/site/>

You can now log in to our interactive music scheme using your normal personal log-in details. Please fill in as instructed on screen. There you will find 2 activities designed specifically for Year 5 based on “Dancing in the Street” and “Songs for age 9-11.” We will know if you take up the offer as big brother is watching you! We will add more resources when needed! Don't sing alone.... why not invite family members to make a mini choir!

TOPIC- Mapwork.... our next topic

- Let's start to think about maps- why not start off by watching some clips and playing a few games:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvsfr82/articles/zdk46v4>
<https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/mapzone/>
- How about using some USED teabags or cold coffee to make some “old paper?” When it is dry, make up a treasure map or an uninhabited island. Mark some key landmarks of your own e.g.
 - Bounty Beach
 - Waterfalls of Doom
 - Skull rock
 - Monster Mountain
 - Skeleton Jungle
 - Captain's Cave (Captain's Cavern)
 - Serpent Pass



Add a key and a directional compass.

LOTC (Learning outside the classroom)

Well, we are all learning outside the classroom at the moment but here is a list of some activities which can be easily adapted wherever you are:

- Yoga/ Mindfulness: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0ImHIWzP49M>
- If you can get hold of some seeds, start growing your own fruit/ vegetables. Just be careful not to put them outside until the danger of frost has passed. Seeds can happily grow indoors too! Think of interesting containers to plant them in - old wellies, plastic bottles, jam jars...
- Why not design a kite? <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jzh-RhKQ4Pc>

Think about:

1. materials to be used- fabric/ paper
2. frame shape and size
3. visual appeal
4. flight.

Complete your own Garden Bird Watch.

Go into the garden, or look out of a window for an hour (you will need to have a few breaks - perhaps take it in turns with another family member). How many different birds visit your garden (if you don't have a garden, you'll still see lots of birds outside)? Use the RSPB site to help identify birds; <https://www.rspb.org.uk/birds-and-wildlife/wildlife-guides/identify-a-bird/> keep a tally. You may decide to repeat this on a different day, or a different time. Do different birds come into the garden at different times?

Where do they look for food? On the ground, in trees, from bird feeders? You probably won't see any skylarks or nightingales but you never know! You could find out where they live and what they sound like! Add anything interesting you notice to the blog.

You could also draw the birds and describe their appearance and behaviour.

Education City and Purple Mash

Please go into The **My Homework** section of [Education City](#), where we will set key activities for you to do. We can see how you have got on and add or change future work. There will be lots more added over the next few weeks. Please let us know what you have enjoyed. Computing and Science activities will be added soon.

Don't forget, there are plenty of tools to use in [Purple Mash](#). Use the Concept Maps app to share and collaborate with the rest of the class.

Also continue to use the following:

www.sumdog.com/sch/northdowns

www.ttrockstars.com

<http://scratch.mit.edu/>(Scratch 3)

That's all for now!