

## Mercury Home Learning Grid Week Beginning 20.4.20

<p>Literacy 1</p> <p><b><u>Story Teller</u></b></p> <p><a href="https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/storyteller-videos/storyteller-videos-chapter-books/">https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/storyteller-videos/storyteller-videos-chapter-books/</a> if you can, watch one of the story tellers reading a story. Can you read a chapter of your book or a book in your house (even a set of instructions from a cook book/the tv times) to someone in your house?</p>	<p>Literacy 2</p> <p><b><u>The Rhyme Champion Game</u></b></p> <p>Play this game with two or more players. Pick a word with an ending that will rhyme. For example <i>play</i>, you say the word <i>play</i>, the next player says a word that will rhyme with it like <i>stay</i>, keep going round the players until someone repeats a word, can't think of another word or worse yet makes up a word! The winner is the person who can keep rhyming.</p> <p>A few words to get you started; grow, cry, see, pet, log and rat</p>	<p>Literacy 3</p> <p><b><u>My Easter Holidays</u></b></p> <p>Write a recount about your Easter holidays. Here are some ideas for you to include. Did it feel like the holidays? What did you do? How did you feel? What did you wish you could have done? Who was there with you? Did the Easter bunny still come?</p> <p>Keep this somewhere safe when you are finished, or ask an adult to keep it safe until Christmas then you can remind yourself of what life was like for you in April 2020.</p>	<p>Literacy 4</p> <p><b><u>Water Words</u></b></p> <p>Choose 10 words from your list of common words or 10 words from your reading book you can't confidently spell. Fill a sink or bath, with your finger trace out a spelling word in the water, have a few goes yourself first then ask someone to guess the word you are tracing in the water.</p>	<p>Literacy 5</p> <p><b><u>Make an Acrostic poem!</u></b></p> <p>Eggs are all around</p> <p><b>A</b>nd I like them when they're found.</p> <p><b>S</b>ometimes if I'm luck they have chocolate inside.</p> <p><b>T</b>earing the wrapper off.</p> <p><b>E</b>ager to bite on through.</p> <p><b>R</b>ather hard though- it was a rock painted brown! Boo hoo!</p> <p>The one above has used the word Easter, with each letter becoming the starting letter for a line which is about Easter! You could use Easter as a starter or: Home school/ Spring/ Together- or use your own word!</p> <p>Draw a picture to go with it.</p>
<p>Numeracy 1</p> <p><b><u>Problem Solving - Lots of Lollies</u></b></p> <p><i>(Try using something like pasta/pencils/toys as the lollies to help work out the solution)</i></p>	<p>Numeracy 2</p> <p><b><u>Body numbers</u></b></p> <p>Create a movement/action for each place value column for</p>	<p>Numeracy 3</p> <p><b><u>Number Bonds Noughts and Crosses</u></b></p> <p>You will need someone to play this with you but set up a few game</p>	<p>Maths</p> <p><b><u>Telling time</u></b></p>	<p>Maths</p> <p><b><u>Data Collection</u></b></p> <p>Can you collect in the following data about your family (remember you can include family not currently in your household)</p>

Frances and Rishi were given a bag of lollies.



They shared them out evenly and had one left over.

Just as they had finished sharing them their friends Kishan, Hayley and Paul came along. They wanted some lollies too so the children shared them out again between all of them. This time they had two lollies left over.

How many lollies could there have been in the bag?

*Solution can be found here*  
<https://nrich.maths.org/2360/solution>

example, clap = tens , stamp = units etc.

If you did 3 claps and then 7 stamps this would mean 37.

Can you act out some numbers for a family member to guess? Record your numbers so that an adult can check them.

boards if no one is available to play with you straight away.

Draw a 3x3 grid like the picture, write an addition or subtraction sum in each box, maybe start with questions to 20, then 100 and 1000 or beyond.

12+5	7-5	19-18
19-15	13+2	14+5
20-14	9-8	2+3

One partner is Os and the other is Xs. The aim is to get three Os or three Xs in a row horizontally, vertically or diagonally. The first player picks a square and answers the question, if their answer is correct they can put their X or O in the square, if they are wrong they don't get to mark the square. Play alternates between the players until someone wins.



Can you make your own analogue clock at home? If you can't get outdoors to gather sticks and stones, you could use straws and paper or any other items in the house that would work!

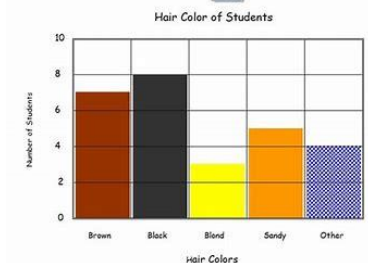
Can you challenge someone at home to read the times you have set? Can they challenge you back?

Try time with: o'clock, half past, quarter past, quarter to, 5 minute intervals (eg. 20 past 5)

- Eye colour
- Hair colour
- Birthday month

Can you use a bar chart or another visual way to display the information you have gathered?

Now can you answer these questions. What is the most and least popular eye colour/hair colour/birthday month?



H&WB 1

**A Balanced Diet**

Could you plan three meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner) for your family that would part of a good balanced diet. Use the

H&WB 2

**Feelings Characters**

Choose three feelings you have felt over this last week. Can you create a character for each feeling? For

PE 1

**500 Steps**

Can you do 500 hundred steps around your house or in the garden every day? Maybe (so long

PE 2

**Assault course!**

Create an assault course that uses objects in the house. Crawl under a table and chairs, roll across the carpet, jump over a row of

Outdoor challenge

**Early Riser or Night Owl?**

Get up before the sun one morning, sit on your doorstep, go into the garden or do your daily exercise walk and watch what

eatwell plate to help you make sure you eat the right amounts of each food group. Maybe ask if you could help to actually make one of your meal suggestions.



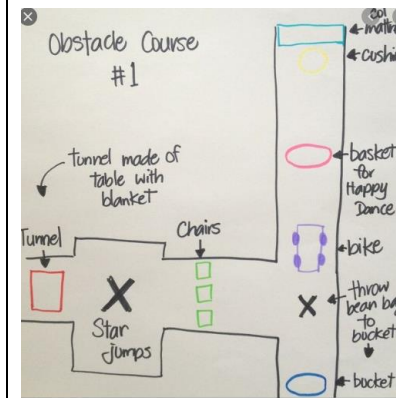
example, if you have felt bored maybe your character could be the boredom buddy. Be creative, why not turn a bottle into your character? When you have your feeling characters can you think of a phrase they might say to either make you feel happy or keep you feeling happy? For example, The Boredom Buddy might say 'Lets beat boredom by finding something to do'.



as it is safe to do so) do 100 backwards, or side steps, or even up and down the stairs?

cushions on the floor, squeeze through the gap behind the sofa, do ten sit ups, go up and down stairs on all fours! Then when you're tired, do it all again!

You might want to design it on paper first if you're working with others to make it.



happens when the sun begins to rise. If you are not an early riser, have a look at the sun setting instead. From your doorstep, the garden or on a late daily exercise walk to watch what happens when the sun sets.

**WARNING: don't look directly at the sun itself as this can damage your eyes.**

**Science**

**Capillary Action Experiment**

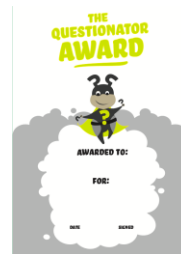


You learned that plants absorb water through their roots and this is transported up the stem to the leaves. Plants do this by something called capillary action. Why don't

**Topic 1**

**The Edenside Superhero Awards**

Everyday this week can you choose someone in your house to award one of our superhero awards to?



**DIY Doctor**  
**Mistake Magician**

**Topic 2**

**Superhero comic strip**

Use your knowledge of Edenside Superheroes to make a cartoon strip. Draw an event in your house were people get stuck or frustrated and choose the most suitable Superhero to make things better.

Fold a piece of paper into quarters- Now you should have four boxes the same size. Number the boxes on order- 1,2,3,4.

**Expressive Arts 1**

**Dance Creator**

Can you create your own dance routine to the chorus of your favourite song? Try to have at least four different dance moves. Could you teach your dance to someone else in your family?

**Expressive Arts 2**

**Drawing**

Choose an object in your house. Draw the object on a piece of paper with a pencil, pay attention to the size of different parts of the object. Could you draw the object again this time with a pen or a coloured pencil. Did you do anything differently?

you try and set up this experiment to see capillary action for yourself. You will need water, food colouring and celery. Cut about an inch off the bottom of the celery. Place the celery in coloured water (use the food colouring). Leave it for at least 20 minutes, can you see how the water has travelled through the celery using capillary action?

***Ozzie Organiser***

***The Questionator***

***Percy Perseverance***

***Epic Encourager***

Maybe you could make them a badge to wear or a certificate to celebrate their achievement. Don't forget to explain to them why they have been given their special superhero award.

Box 1: draw a picture of an event at home where people are stuck or frustrated.

Box 2: draw a picture of an Edenside Superhero arriving and suggesting another way of doing something. Remember to choose the Superhero with the best qualities to make the problem better.

Box 3: draw a picture of people using the Superhero skills.

Box 4: Draw a picture of the people in your household who've used the Superhero skills wearing Superhero costumes and flying around!

- Remember to use speech and thought bubbles.



- If you've got colouring pens or pencils- colour your cartoon strip.



## USEFUL WEBSITES

<p><b>NUMERACY AND MATHS:</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/</a></p> <p><a href="https://pages.sumdog.com/">https://pages.sumdog.com/</a></p> <p><a href="https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/category/22/most-popular">https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/category/22/most-popular</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.maths-games.org/">http://www.maths-games.org/</a></p>	<p><b>LITERACY:</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.literacyshed.com/home.html">https://www.literacyshed.com/home.html</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years/spelling-and-grammar">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years/spelling-and-grammar</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.doorwayonline.org.uk/literacy/">https://www.doorwayonline.org.uk/literacy/</a></p>
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