



Learning Project WEEK 4 - Famous and significant people

Age Range: Acorn Class

| Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day) | Weekly Reading Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day) |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Watch a Numberblocks clip each day at: BBC or CBeebies. Use this guide here to give you ideas on what to do with your children whilst watching an episode. Working on PurpleMash - your child will have an individual login to access this. <p>This week our focus is making equal number sets up to 10, adding and subtracting and problem solving.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have a practice with a ten frame for addition, subtraction and equal sets http://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/tenFrame/index.html This is a fun subtraction game, it might take a bit of practise! http://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/bottleTakeAway/index.html Bug catching comparing sets of numbers https://pbskids.org/curiousgeorge/busyday/bugs/ This game is good for problem solving https://www.nctm.org/Classroom-Resources/Illuminations/Interactives/Bobbie-Bear/ Another problem solving activity https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/helicopter-rescue | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reception age children: Children to read to parents daily. Visit Oxford Owl for free eBooks that link to your child's book band. You can create a free account. Complete the linked Play activities for each book. <p>Share the books from this week's Phonics plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I like books https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ELz33Z0oKfl Whatever next https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6c5cb0u0rPM Shark in the park https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ketu-SWDyDQ Cinderella The version we use at school is not available online, try another version or you may have a book copy at home. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=66LUVBIEOR4 This version is very traditional but there are many if you want to search, we use this story to emphasise the caption action 'or, or, worn and torn' |
| Weekly Phonics Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day) | Weekly Writing Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day) |
| <p>Daily phonics - Practice the sounds from Storytime Phonics with the caption action.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oo, oo, I like books (short vowel sound) Oo, oo zoom to the moon (long vowel sound) https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvq9bdm/articles/z4tyt39 ar, ar shark in the park https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvq9bdm/articles/zh9g92p or, or worn and torn https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvq9bdm/articles/zr6fv4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can you write the names of the people that live in your house? Think about some favourite phrases from familiar stories. Try writing them.(Run, run as fast as you can - The Gingerbread Man, Fee Fi Fo Fum, Jack and the Beanstalk, There's a shark in the park! This weeks phonics) Plan fun activities and games that help children create rhyming strings of real and imaginary words, e.g. Maddie, daddy, baddie, laddie. encourage children to write the words or model if they are reluctant. You could make your own version of 'I like books' using the sentence starter I like books about.....(see video above in reading tasks) |

Learning Project - to be done throughout the week

The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about famous or significant people. Learning may focus on past or present people or characters, explorers or scientists and how they influence society today.

Make your Favourite Characters-

- Make a puppet of a famous story character. Use a toilet roll and draw, colour and stick other bits of material onto the tube to make your own character puppet. This can be a character from the Gruffalo or a character from another story written by a different famous author.
- Paint your hand and make handprints and decorate to make your very own Gruffalo.

Can you Name the Famous Characters?

- Take part in the quiz <https://www.sporcle.com/games/schouw/childrenscharacters>-Who Do You Know? You will need help from your grown ups. Have a go at Quiz 1 and Quiz 2. <https://www.funkidslive.com/quiz/can-you-match-these-disney-characters-to-their-movies/#> Or, you could also describe famous book characters to your child and they have to guess who it is you're describing.

Play Snake

- The Gruffalo features a snake.(see link below) - Use the arrows on the keyboard to move the snake around - count how many apples you can collect.

Or, play a family game of Snakes and Ladders.

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Create your own Broomstick

- Create your own broomstick like the witch in 'Room on the Broom'. You could gather up sticks from the garden and tie them on to the end of a large stick using elastic bands, string or garden twine. How could you make improvements to your broom? Encourage your child to act out the story.

Visit 'The Gruffalo' website

- Listen to the Gruffalo song, <https://www.gruffalo.com/songs> learn the 'Monkey Puzzle' song in Makaton <https://www.gruffalo.com/songs> and dance along to the 'Gruffalo's Child' song. There are also some great interactive games in the play and explore area.

Consider those around you and how they influence you

- Who are the important people in your life? Draw a picture of all the family members and friends that influence you.
- Who do you admire and why? Are there any famous individuals that you like to follow?

Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

[Classroom Secrets Learning Packs](#) - These packs are split into different year groups and include activities linked to reading, writing, maths and practical ideas you can do around the home.

[Twinkl](#) - to access these resources click on the link and sign up using your own email address and creating your own password. Use the offer code UKTWINKLHELPS.

[Headteacherchat](#) - This is a blog that has links to various learning platforms. Lots of these are free to access.