

Maths w.c. 11.5.20

As for last week I would like you to base your Maths learning around that provided on BBC bitesize. As we didn't start using this straight away this week will be starting from 27th April. I would still suggest that you supplement this with games and activities on other sites as appropriate (eg Classroom Secrets has some good tutorials and games if children need more support understanding a concept, Carol Vorderman, ictgames and purple mash for maths games).

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons>

Reception children

As I said last week the activities on BBC Bitesize are aimed at Year One children and are certainly going to be quite challenging, although I believe most children will respond well to this. All the concepts are ones which the children have come across already and there's a nice pirate link too. The activities may be a little tricky for those children who are less confident with recognising numbers beyond twenty, but give it a go and see what you think. You can always use the Early Years activities if you feel that they are more appropriate for your child as they offer lots of opportunities for consolidation of learning. It is always better that they have a good solid understanding of the concepts involved than have gaps in their knowledge by jumping ahead too soon, so use your own judgement.

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/early-years/>.

<https://wrm-13b48.kxcdn.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/Reception-Summer.pdf>

Don't forget you can also use the videos and activities on Mathswithparents.com. These are excellent for practising the vocabulary and sentence structures we are aiming for. Remember to keep it practical too with counters or drawing pictures to represent the maths - don't rush to record everything in an equation as this does not necessarily mean a child has really understood something. BBC Bitesize have a page with links to games for different areas of the Early Years Curriculum that you might want to use too.

As always, please upload your photos of activities onto ClassDojo and message me if you are unsure of anything or need any advice.