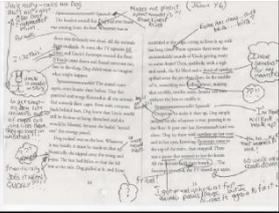


Year 5's Home Learning Letter

Tuesday 28th April

If you have any questions about your learning, want to show me what you've done or would just like to say hello, you can get in touch using: year5teacher@kingsapps.co.uk I'd love to hear from you 😊

<p>Halton's Hello!</p>	<p>Good morning everyone! Well, it really feels like a long time since I saw you all last – I miss your smiling faces! As you all know, reading our class story at the end of the day is my absolute favourite part of the day and I'm missing it and you! As so many of you enjoyed The Clockwork Crow, I've read the second chapter for you and you should have been emailed it today. If you haven't got it, you can email me and I'll send it over!</p> <p>Happy listening! <i>Love Miss Halton xxx</i></p>					
<p>Spelling</p>	<p>Rule: Prefixes and Year 5 words <i>When the prefix –dis, –mis or –re is added to a word, it gives that word the opposite meaning.</i></p> <p>Sentence: Lightning can reoccur more than once during a thunder storm, which creates marvellous displays. Look at your lists of words that begin with re-, dis- and mis-. Choose 6 words and write the tricky parts in different colours!</p>					
<p>Reading</p>		<p>Have another look at the text from yesterday and complete a 'Read Aloud, Think Aloud'. There's an example on the left! Below, is a clearer version where the writing is easier to read if you'd like to use that – you can do it on the sheet or in your book 😊</p> <p>Do you have any questions? Can you make any connections? Is there any vocabulary that you need to clarify? Draw or make notes on what you are visualising as you read. Can you find the spelling mistake? – Sorry I couldn't edit this.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">THE DRAGON'S SENSES A STUDY OF SIGHT, HEARING AND SMELL</p> <p>Much has been written of the dragons astonishing eyesight. Our own vision is so limited by comparison, that it is hard to imagine a world as beheld by dragons. They can observe a scene many miles away in perfect focus and posses the facility to see the full range of colours. What human eyes perceive as the suns glare appears as sharply defined to the dragon. Naturally, their night vision is also exceptional.</p> <p>Dragon eyes come in every imaginable hue from forest-green and sky-blue, to copper, bronze and burnished gold. It is a well-documented fact that it is very likely impossible, and certainly rather foolhardy, to hold the gaze of a dragon. Its stare is so penetrating and hypnotic, that it has the effect of placing the viewer in a trance from which they are unlikely to recover.</p> <p>UNEARTHLY PERCEPTION</p> <p>Although not in the same league as their eyesight, a dragon's hearing and sense of smell are not to be underestimated. Dragons can discern sounds well outside the human range, and have been known to respond to courting calls over fifty miles away. Similarly, dragons can detect and decode scents carried on the wind over vast distances. Although barely understood, it is evident that dragons also possess a sixth sense. A case point would be their uncanny ability to seek out gold and precious stones hidden from view.</p>				
<p>Writing: Vocabulary</p>	<p>Today, we're going to look at the Tyrannosaurus and Diplodocus entries in the Dino Directory: https://www.nhm.ac.uk/discover/dino-directory/tyrannosaurus.html https://www.nhm.ac.uk/discover/dino-directory/diplodocus.html</p> <p>Both of the entries feature useful words that we would be able to use in our own dinosaur entries. Choose some interesting words from the website or use the examples below to create vocabulary grids like this:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="204 2007 1002 2150"> <tr> <td data-bbox="204 2007 603 2078"> <p>Word: scavenge</p> </td> <td data-bbox="603 2007 1002 2078"> <p>Definition: To search for food in waste.</p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="204 2078 1002 2150"> <p>In a sentence: The Tyrannosaurus used its sense of smell to locate dead animals to scavenge.</p> </td> </tr> </table> <p>Possible vocabulary: reputation, fossilised, encounter, relatives, vertebrae, striking, fearsome, specimen.</p>		<p>Word: scavenge</p>	<p>Definition: To search for food in waste.</p>	<p>In a sentence: The Tyrannosaurus used its sense of smell to locate dead animals to scavenge.</p>	
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Handwriting	D		Write each letter out 3 times quickly to practise your fluency and then 3 times carefully to practise your letter formation. Then, write five words which start with these letters. Don't forget to draw your trees! 😊
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Have a go at the following questions in your head! You can make a few jottings if you need. If you find it tricky, you can use a written method.

Step One: Work out the missing numbers:
 1) _____ - 92 = 145 2) 740 + _____ = 1,039 3) _____ = 580 - 401

Step Two: Rachel has £10. She spends £6.49 at the shop. How much change does she have?
 Why is using the column method of subtraction **not** the quickest method to use?

Step Three: Which of the following questions are easy and which are hard?

1) 213,323 - 10 =	2) 512,893 + 300 =
3) 819,354 - 200 =	4) 319,954 + 100 =

Explain why you think the hard questions are hard.

If you're finding the maths on our learning sheet too easy or too tricky, you can always try the maths on this website instead! You could try the maths from other year groups too if you'd like.
<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/>

Wider Curriculum

Choose one or more of the activities for today:	Geography	Find out about the climate of Greece – what is the weather like during different seasons? Which areas of Greece see the hottest/coldest temperatures? How much rainfall do they get?
	Dance	Search for 'Just Dance' on YouTube – there are loads of dance routines on there for you to copy or learn! Pick a song you like and have a dance 😊
	DT	Follow a recipe to help cook one of your meals today or do some baking!

Final fun fact!

For every human in the world there are approximately one million ants! Current estimates suggest that there are about 10 quadrillion ants on the planet. That's 10,000,000,000,000,000!
 This fact really blew my mind!

Here's a bad ant joke, just because.
 What game do ants play with elephants? Squash!

