



Y5 Home Learning Newsletter

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English tasks:

1. Reading: Read the 'Great Expectations' by Charles Dickens extract and answer the questions.
2. Sentences 1: Explore expanded noun phrases by working through the PPT. Then write a description about the picture using expanded noun phrases
3. Sentences 2: Explore adverbs of time, manner and place by working through the PPT. Then write a description of the picture/video using adverbial phrases.
4. Reading: Read the 'Peter Pan' by J.M. Barrie extract and answer the questions.
5. Author Study – Charles Dickens. Use the PPT and video links/background information to find out about his life. Then write a biography about him.
6. Read Chapter 1 & 2 of the Usborne abridged version of Charles Dickens 'Oliver Twist'. - see pdf/paper version. Make notes and then act out the story so far.
7. Read Chapter 3 & your notes about Chapters 1 & 2. Now create your own questions to ask and answer about the story so far.
8. Summarise and re-tell the story so far in your own words.

Maths tasks:

Multiply 2 digits by 1 digit—<https://vimeo.com/486774671>

Multiply 3 digits by 1 digit—<https://vimeo.com/486775113>

Multiply 4 digits by 1 digit—<https://vimeo.com/486775551>

Multiply 2 digits (area model)—<https://vimeo.com/488075946>

Multiply 2 digits by 2 digits - <https://vimeo.com/488553863>

Multiply 3 digits by 2 digits- <https://vimeo.com/488555095>

Multiply 4 digits by 2 digits <https://vimeo.com/488667737>

Divide 2 digits by 1 digit <https://vimeo.com/488668598>

Spellings

Practise the Y5/6 Common Exception Word list. Follow this structure:

1. Choose a word at random
2. Practise writing it in a joined, legible style for 3 full lines in your home learning books.
3. Using a dictionary (if you can) - find the definition of your word.
4. Put that word into a sentence that makes sense!
5. REPEAT!

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Curriculum Tasks:

1. Research about who the Victorians were. What was life like for them? What time scale was it in?
2. Look up a picture called 'work' by Ford Maddox Brown. What is going on in this picture and what can you see? Annotate the picture in your books.
3. Then can you find out what life was like for the Rich in Victorian times. Then what life was like for the Poor in Victorian times.
4. Can you write a paragraph about what life may have been like for a poor person and a rich person?
5. Can you do some research and write a few paragraphs on what the Industrial revolution was.
6. Think about what industrial means and revolution. Why did the industrial revolution happen?
7. How was transport affected by the industrial revolution?
8. Then watch <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcjsxhyc/resources/1>

Science Tasks:

Electricity

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zq99q6f>

Go through the above links learning about circuits and then complete the worksheet attached on circuit symbols.

Electricity and conductors

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2882hv>

Can you watch the above videos and answer the following questions?

What are conductors and insulators?

What do they do?

Explain how power is generated.

Creative Tasks

Art:

Find some nature objects around your local environment and have a go at printing their patterns!

Music:

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/understanding-pulse-and-rhythm-chj3cr>

Today you will be looking at Pulse and Rhythm and how you would find one within a piece of music.

Other Useful Links:

If you would like to access further learning, you can use Purple Mash and Education City and complete any work that you feel would be beneficial to you!

<https://www.purplemash.com/sch/oakley-nn18>

<https://go.educationcity.com/>

OR alternatively, you can access learning on:

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-5>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/zbr9wmn>