

	Maths – Focus on Fractions	English – Story writing process	Foundation – History, Science, Geography, PE and Art
Monday	<p>If you can remember back to March, we had just completed our unit on multiplication and division, and were moving onto fractions.</p> <p>Recap your understanding of place value, tenths and hundredths with Lesson 1 of White Rose Maths home learning –</p> <p>https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-4/</p> <p>Now, plot these numbers onto a place value chart and label the columns, (as shown in the video).</p> <p>23, 4978, 132.4, 4.97, 3, 078.08, 10.00</p>	<p>I would like you to become story writers for the week! We are going to go through the process of planning, structuring and writing a story, and then you can have a go at writing your own and sending me your stories to read!</p> <p>Watch this video on how to plan a story - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn/articles/zqmkh39</p> <p>And this video on how a story is structured – https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn/articles/zwmt4qt - have a go at the story structure activity too.</p> <p>Think about the story you are going to write. Begin to plan the idea of your story in your head, thinking about the information you have seen in the videos above. Reread your favourite books for some inspiration!</p>	<p>Can you remember back to our History lessons, where we were learning all about the Romans and their invasion of Britain?</p> <p>Watch this video to remind yourself of some of the ways Roman life was different to ours (in some very strange ways!)</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-UIqEc37wvo&list=RDeKWN1h0Kphq&index=4</p> <p>Now, using your own knowledge, the information from the video, and any more information you can find using online research, create your own Roman Emperor food menu containing all of the strange and revolting things wealthy Romans used to eat! Make the menus as colourful as you wish, and think of a cool name for your restaurant.</p>
Tuesday	<p>Introduction to fractions</p> <p>Link 1 – video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9hZkk73nJ_Y</p> <p>Link 2 – video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RkvcGMLtAVU</p> <p>Watch these videos and use your new knowledge of fractions to think of fractions around your home, e.g. pizza, plates, clocks, etc. Make a list of items around your home that you can divide into equal fractions.</p>	<p>Today you are going to decide the setting of your story.</p> <p>Watch this video and complete the following activity - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn/articles/z8mqsrđ</p> <p>Now write down the ideas you have for your story. What genre (type of) story is it going to be? A horror story? An adventure story? A thriller? A comedy? What will happen in the beginning, middle and end of your story? Where is it set? Do you have any ideas for a title yet? Write all of your thoughts and ideas for your story down on paper and tell a family member/friend all about it so far!</p>	<p>We were just beginning to learn all about electricity in our Year 4 Science lessons.</p> <p>Watch this video to remind yourself of what an electrical circuit is –</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zSSkZ9F7Bng</p> <p>Now have a go at these activities after watching the video about circuit symbols. Have a go at drawing your own simple circuit once you've completed it!</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zq99q6f/articles/zs7g4j6</p>
Wednesday	<p>BBC Bitesize daily lessons – Equivalent Fractions</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zb8wgp3</p> <p>Complete the lesson following the link above.</p>	<p>Now you are going to plan the characters!</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn/articles/zqf32nb</p> <p>Add any characters you've thought of to your planning.</p> <p>Think about the purpose of your writing while you watch this video. What do you want your story to do for the reader? Add this to your planning too. Your story should be coming together nicely by this point!</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn/articles/zsp8srd</p>	<p>At the beginning of the year we were learning all about the different biomes of the world. Can you remember their names? Tell someone in your household all you remember about biomes!</p> <p>Look at this PowerPoint to remind yourself of the different biomes around the world. Test your knowledge of the location of each biome using the world map. <i>(Parents; if you haven't already, you will need to create a Twinkl account to sign in to access the resources. It's completely free just now!)</i></p> <p>https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t2-g-327-interactive-world-biomes-map-powerpoint</p>

Thursday	<p>BBC Bitesize daily lesson – Comparing Fractions (including those greater than 1.)</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zbdj7nb</p> <p>Complete the lesson following the link above.</p>	<p>Today we will be thinking about who the audience is for your story. Who is your story for? Who do you think would enjoy your story the most? Include this in your planning after this -</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn/articles/ztph97h</p> <p>Now to get started on your story's first draft! Have fun and be creative with it. Don't worry too much about mistakes and errors at this point.</p>	<p>Thursdays mean PE for Year 4!</p> <p>Have a go at this Toilet Roll Target activity if you've got what you need at home (and if you're allowed!!)</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nat aiLJ E&feature=youtu.be</p>
Friday	<p>Have some fun with these fraction games!</p> <p>Fraction Fiddle - http://www.scottle.edu.au/ec/viewing/L2801/L2801/index.html#</p> <p>Fraction Matcher - https://phet.colorado.edu/sims/html/fraction-matcher/latest/fraction-matcher_en.html</p> <p>Fractions: Equality - https://phet.colorado.edu/sims/html/fractions-equality/latest/fractions-equality_en.html</p>	<p>If you haven't already, complete your first draft from yesterday's English.</p> <p>Now to edit! Watch this short clip and have a go at the activity –</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn/articles/zpyhtyc</p> <p>Edit your story and read it out loud to a family member/friend over the phone, and have them check for any errors.</p> <p>Time to rewrite your story with all of your editing now complete!</p>	<p>Watch this video (skip to 3 minutes and 10 seconds in)</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9IGEm1Lve0</p> <p>Vincent Van Gogh's Sunflowers is an extremely famous piece of art. Have a closer look at the artwork and see if you can spot where Van Gogh used a lot of paint and heavy brush strokes.</p> <p>https://www.vangoghmuseum.nl/en/collection/s0031V1962</p> <p>Have a go yourself at sketching or painting flowers from your garden, in your home, any you can see out of the window, or from images online. Remember all we learnt in our Art lessons about shading, and about the pressure of your pencil on the paper for lighter or darker tones. Send your artwork to me when you're finished; I would love to see it ☺</p>

Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)	Weekly Reading Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Working on Times Table Rockstars - your child will have an individual login to access this (20 mins on SOUND CHECK). If your child works on 'Numbots' in school they can access this with the same login. Play on Hit the Button - focus on number bonds, halves, doubles and times tables. Practise telling the time. This could be done through this game (scroll down to access the game). Read to the quarter hour and the nearest 5 minutes. Here are some mini maths tasks. Encourage your child to work through the activities they have not done for their specific year group. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen to your child read and let them discuss what they have read. Encourage them to read with expression and intonation. Many websites are offering the opportunity to access books through their websites. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Audible – A variety of free books to read online. Oxford Owl - Your child can log on to and read a book that matches their book band. First News – A free online digital download of a specialist children's newspaper. https://www.overdrive.com/apps/libby/ After this, direct your child to review the text and justify their opinion with examples from the text Listen to the newest chapter of Harry Potter <p>https://www.wizardingworld.com/chapters/reading-the-journey-from-platform-nine-and-three-quarters</p> 

