 CLASS DOJO CONTENT- YEAR 2

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| **Week commencing:** 18th May 2020- Monday post |
| **Class Story content (video)** |
| Hi Year 2,  It has been another busy week of learning. Thank you to all of you for your hard work and a massive thank you to those who read me a story last week. It was so lovely to hear you read again. Hopefully some more of you will send me a story this week. I have chosen another book for you to listen to this week so I hope you enjoy it.  I’ve loved seeing your seaside arts and crafts. They looked beautiful and you are all so talented!  Super Stanley has set you some more phonics challenges this week and you need to help some Galaxy Pugs on their science mission to Earth. Good luck!  If you haven’t yet had a chance to see the Isleham staff video the Mrs Skillern posted on the school story, have a look now. As a team we really enjoyed putting it together so we hope you enjoy watching it too.  Have a fantastic week!  Miss Stanley ☺ |
| **Class Story** |
| **Week commencing 18.5.2020**  Take a look in the activities portfolio for your Maths, English and Topic activities this week.  Go to your activities portfolio to complete and send me some of your work, or photos of what you’ve been up to.  I am looking forward to seeing your work again and all of your creative ideas. |
| **Activities for portfolio** |
| **18.5.2020** English 1- Small Town Superheroes (Phonics)  This is a great game which covers a lot of the Year 2 objectives for phonics. You may wish to practise some phonics each day from now on using this site but the focus area this week is a recap of phonics sounds and refreshing your minds about prefixes, suffixes and contractions.  <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zd63xyc/articles/zncgvk7>  When the game loads you will see a small town. To the right and at the bottom you will see some yellow arrows, use these to navigate around the town.  **Activity 1: Simple sounds**  In Sally and Percy’s area of town you need to refresh your memory of alphabet sounds, digraphs and trigraphs and take a look at the further graphemes. Try saying the sounds and then press the sound to check if you were right.  **Activity 2: Prefixes and Suffixes**  For this mission you need to help the Mrs Green at the market. It rained and all the prefixes and suffixes were washed off her signs. She desperately needs your help. Are you up to the mission? Read the sign and drag the label with the missing prefix or suffix to the gap in the sentence.  Reminder: A root word is a basic word with no prefix or suffix added to it (a prefix is a string of letters that go at the start of a word; a suffix is a string of letters that go at the end of a word). By adding prefixes and suffixes to a root word we can change its meaning.  **Activity 3: Contractions**  In Steve’s part of town, Clive the ice cream man needs your help! You need to choose the right flavour by selecting the two words to make the contraction. YOU CAN DO IT!  Reminder: Contracted words, also known as contractions (the term used in the 2014 revised national curriculum) are short words made by putting two words together. Letters are omitted in the contraction and replaced by an apostrophe. The apostrophe shows where the letters would be if the words were written in full.  More missions will be heading your way soon!  From Super Stanley |
| **18.5.2020** English 2- Alternative ending  At the end of the story, the old man and the old lady with all of their animals work together to pull up the GIGANTIC turnip and they all have turnip soup. Of course the mouse eats the most!  If you could change the ending, what would happen instead?  Perhaps the turnip still doesn’t come out of the ground, what could they try next?  Maybe the turnip does come out of the ground, what might they do with it instead of making soup?  This is your chance to write your own ending to the story! |
| **18.5.2020** English 3- Story time!  Listen to me reading “The Enormous Potato”.  This is an alternative version of a traditional tale is linked to one of our summer topics of plants!  You may wish to listen a few times and see if you can join in with some of the words.  I would like you to find 5 similarities and 5 differences between “The Enormous Potato” and “The Gigantic Turnip”. Please write them in full sentences like mine.  My example is:  In the Gigantic Turnip the old man called for his wife first and in the Enormous Potato the farmer called for his wife first too. However in the Gigantic Turnip it says it’s an old man who plants the vegetables but in the Enormous Potato it is a farmer so the main characters are different.  Challenge: Can you find some different adjectives for small and big?  Clue: A thesaurus might help! |
| **18.5.2020** Maths 1- Sort 3D shapes using their properties  Activity 1:  Click the link and it will take you to another fun lesson by a lovely teacher called Katie. Katie discusses the properties of 3D shapes and how we can sort shapes in different ways.  <https://kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk/resource/sort-3d-shapes-video-tutorial/>  During the first section of the video Katie selects some 3D shapes and describes their properties using edges, vertices and either curved or flat faces.  Can you choose your own 3D shapes and do a similar activity?  \_\_\_\_edges  \_\_\_\_vertices  \_\_\_\_flat/curved face/s  Activity 2:  Find some 3D shapes around your house.  Choose a criteria to sort them into. For example curved and flat faces or you could sort them into less than 10 edges and more than 10 edges. |
| **18.5.2020** Maths 2- Rotation  Oak National Academy is a new collection of high-quality lessons and online resources. Backed by the Government, it has been created in response to the coronavirus lockdown.  Click the link to take you to the Year 2 page  <https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-2#schedule>  Then scroll down to Week 3 and Lesson 2 which is “To make predictions about rotation”.  The lesson begins with a quiz to assess prior knowledge and then takes the children through an interactive lesson.  For the independent task you might want to write your answers on paper to show me your work. You might also need to pause the video here to enable you to have time to read the questions and think about which shape it is. Check your own work with the answers to see how many points you got!  Use the quiz again to see if your scores increased or if you used some new knowledge to help you find the answers. |
| **18.5.2020** Maths 3- 2D Shape art  Create your own 2D shape art!  You might want to use a computer to do this or by cutting out shapes yourself carefully.  You could create a dinosaur, a farm, a house, a monster, a princess, a seaside or anything you wish to. However, you can only use 2D shapes.  Once you have finished your art, can you answer these questions:   1. How many shapes have you used in total? 2. How many of the shapes have more than 4 vertices? 3. How many triangles have you used? 4. Have you used any octagons? 5. Choose a shape from your art and calculate how many lines of symmetry it has. 6. How many shapes have less than 4 sides?   Challenge- Can you create a symmetrical 2D shape picture? |
| **18.5.2020** Topic- Science Revision - Galaxy Pugs  <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zdp4382/articles/zn7bscw>  The Galaxy Pugs are on a mission to explore planet Earth and they need your Science skills to succeed.  Help the pugs observe Earth’s animals, learn how to grow plants, study the human body, experiment with materials, explore our planet’s habitats and find tiny invertebrates hiding in a pond!  Collect mission badges and unlock shiny new upgrades to customise your pug ship. The more missions you complete, the more you can customise your ship!  There’s no time to lose, recruit. Help the pugs complete their missions and be home in time for walkies!  Each topic has 3 levels and on each level there are 3 rounds! Try to work your way through them, they begin very easy and get more challenging. It is great revision for things we have learnt this year which is very important and is how we begin each lesson in school.  Topics include:  Animals  Microhabitats  Humans  Habitats  Materials  Plants  Good luck and have fun! |