Home Learning with Dovecote

We know that some of you may need to self-isolate due to COVID 19 and will not be able to come in to school for a while. Don't worry! We have a plan to ensure you can keep up with your learning. It might not be exactly what your classmates are doing back at school but it will be similar. Below you will see a grid for your year group. Try to do at least one maths lesson, one English lesson and two others from the grid each day – just as if you were at school. It would be brilliant if you or your parent/carer could email in to your year group email every day to show us some of the work you have done. We will also be checking in with you to make sure you are ok and understand what you need to do.



Take care, stay safe, be kind and happy!



Dovecote Home Learning Resources

Year 6 – Spring Term 1

English (Reading, Writing, SPAG/Phonics)	Writing: This half term we are focusing on writing character descriptions. Work through these sessions to help you investigate and create some fabulous content. To write a character description (thenational.academy) Reading work: To develop reading for pleasure through discussion of favourite characters (thenational.academy) [Looking at our favourite characters in books] Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy) [Learning about Mary Anning and fossil finds] Spelling, grammar and punctuation work: Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy) [Exploring sentence types and prepositions]
	<u>Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy)</u> [Exploring apostrophe use] <u>Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy)</u> [Exploring our No Nonsense Spelling patterns] You can also log on to Spelling Shed for additional challenges. Please ensure you are reading your reading book regularly. We are amazing readers at Dovecote!
Maths	We are focusing on fractions and decimals this half term. Take a look at these activities: Work through them, doing one activity a day. <u>Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy)</u> [Fractions re-cap] <u>Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy)</u> [Decimals learning] <u>Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy)</u> [Fractions and decimals] You can also log on to My Maths for additional challenges. Please make sure you are learning your times tables up to 12x12. Use your account on Times Table Rockstars to really support and challenge you with this.

Science	Within science we are focusing on Charles Darwin's The	eory of Evolution.	
	We are researching his early life, adult life and how his contributions changed the course of our subject knowledge on genetic inheritance.		
	Enjoy taking this learning deeper to explore sustainability and the impact humans have on animals. <u>Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational academy)</u>		
	https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/charles-darwin-evolution-and-the-story-of-our-species/z7rvxyc		
PSHE/wellbeing	Focusing on our theme for JIGSAW of Dreams and Goals, take a look at this link. I have a dream (thenational.academy) Have a look at the resilience slides. Go through the tasks. Email us your outcomes! © How to be resilient - BBC Bitesize Resilience - Assemblies - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy) Don't forget that the 'Action for happiness' calendar is available for you to access and use jan 2022.jpg (3508×2480) (actionforhappiness.org). You can also stay mindful of the Zones of Regulation that we have been discussing this term.		
Topic	<u>R.E:</u>	Art:	
	Take a look at each of the 6 major faiths of our world.	In art we are using the stimulus of 'Alice's	
(Art and	This half term we are looking specifically at religion in	Adventures in Wonderland'. We will be doing a lot	
History)	our community. Within the faiths, explore how they	of creative crafts and watching a range of clips to	
	each express their beliefs in their community.	support our artistic exploration. Take a look at this	
	Religious Education lessons for Key Stage 2 students -	link and create your very own artistic craft work.	
	Oak National Academy (thenational.academy)	Unit - Oak National Academy	
		(thenational.academy)	
PE	This half term we are focusing on dance. Take a look a		
	Greek dance routines!	,	
	Unit - Oak National Academy (thenational.academy)		