

Year 2

Monday 29th June – Friday 3rd July

Hello everyone,

We are missing you lots and we hope you are staying safe and enjoying your time at home. We will now be providing curriculum-based learning for the rest of the summer term. Each week will have a different topic or theme and will give you a range of activities for a variety of subjects. You should be able to carry out these activities at home and have some fun both indoors and outdoors. Maybe you could get the whole family involved! If you have any other ideas you wish to add to these feel free to do so. We are continuing to add 2dos on Purple-Mash if you wish to further enhance the topic but we are moving away from just computer-based activities. Each week please continue to carry out these basic skills when you can:

- Handwriting - consistent size and orientation on the line. – **booklet on school website.**
- Marvellous Maths activities – **Practise adding a 2-digit number to another 2-digit number e.g. $34 + 61 =$**
- Reading - 10 minutes a day - shared or independent.
- Spelling – Use a mixture of **prefixes e.g. un, dis, re, in, mis.**

Week 5: The topic for this week is: Author Research – Oliver Jeffers

English – Can you create an Oliver Jeffers fact-file? You could find out what type of books he writes, if he illustrates, how old he is, where he lives, what are his hobbies etc. Have you read any of his stories before? You could sequence the story or complete the comprehension questions about his story. In school we would share two books of his: Lost and Found and The Way Back Home, however he has many more books you can look at and research. Can you find a theme in his books? The link below will take you to a website where he is sharing his stories and explaining how he wrote them.

<https://www.oliverjeffers.com/abookaday>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FSUISgOa02s>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RbyUrb0X5iU>

Maths – Could your child complete a mental arithmetic booklet independently (this could be over a few days). After marking the booklet your focus could then be on anything they found tricky.

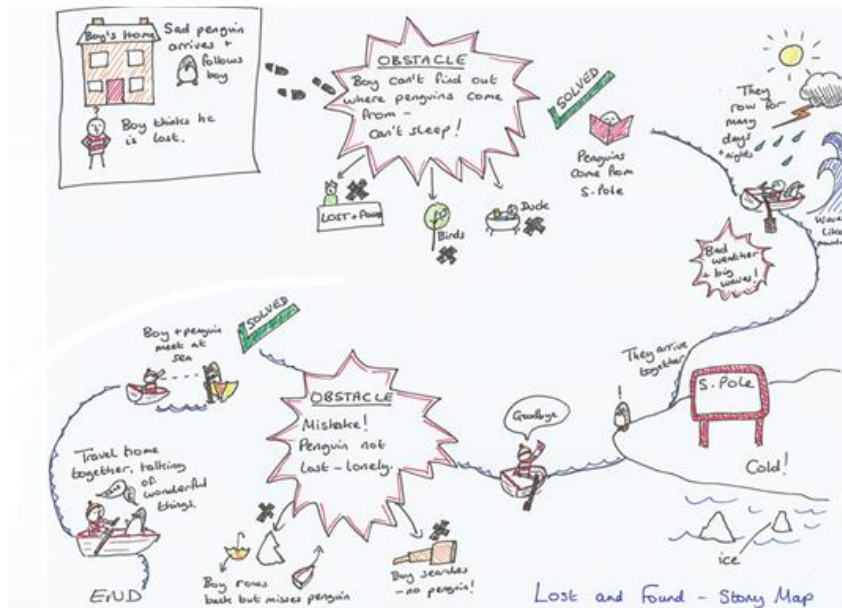
New Mental Arithmetic booklet attached.

Science – In the book – Lost and Found, one of the main characters is a penguin. This week can you find out about penguins and how many different species there are, what their diet is, where they live, what their features are etc? You could create a poster to display this research. You could also draw your favourite type of penguin and label it.

PE – Can you complete some of Andy's Wild Workouts which can be found at:

www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p06tmmvz

Art – Can you create a story-map? You will need to do some drawing and labelling. We would normally create a story-map about Lost and Found. You have to draw the key events that happen in the story in chronological order so that you can retell the story using your map. An example is given below. You could do this on any Oliver Jeffers story that you have enjoyed.



ICT/Computing – Please continue to complete the 2Dos on Purple-Mash.

DT – Can you create a rustic wooden heart out of sticks. You will need to gather and collect a range of sticks/twigs in different sizes. You might need scissors to cut some of the sticks to the correct size. Arrange your sticks on a piece of card and super glue them to the card (make sure you are happy with the shape before you start gluing!) You could then always paint your sticks too if you wish. Here are some examples below.



Geography – Attached are some pictures of different settings from around the world. See if you can print them out or look at them and create a list of adjectives or noun phrases to describe the pictures individually.

Pictures attached.

We hope you have a great week researching about Oliver Jeffers.
The Year 2 Team