



Nursery - Moles



Hello Moles!

I hope you all had a lovely week. Thank you for sharing all of your achievements at home. I feel so proud of you all!

It is lovely to see so many of you achieving new skills. Well done to:

- Luca for being able to get dressed all by himself!
- Anastasia for learning lots of new skills like learning how to tie knots, taking photographs and playing rounders!
- Kyler for doing a 3 mile run in 27 minutes, riding his bike without stabilisers and learning how to make his pony start and stop when riding it!
 - Charlotte for learning to sew!

I think you will enjoy this week's challenges. I hope you are all well. I miss you and can't wait to see you all soon!

Miss Skouroupathi


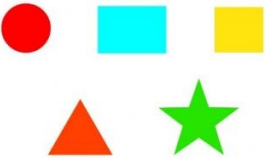
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This week's challenges

Please complete the daily challenge each day. Don't forget to upload a photo to Tapestry to let us know how you've got on!

This week's Phonics Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RL0uFNFWdSo>

Week beginning 18th May 2020

Day 1	Literacy – Reading and Writing Sound of the week 'g' Can you go on a letter hunt? Do you think you can find the sound 'g' in places around your house? You could look for it in your favourite book or on the cereal packet. How many 'g's have you spotted?
Day 2	Maths – Number You will need a dice and 10 objects (lego blocks, pom-poms, stones, sticks, leaves, or any other object of your choice). This is a turn taking game for 2 players or more. You can play this with your grown-ups and/or your siblings. The game starts with each player having 10 objects. Take turns to roll the dice and remove the amount you rolled. The aim of this game is to have no objects left. The first person with no objects wins. Don't forget to count with 1:1 correspondence. Have fun playing! 
Day 3	Literacy – Reading Can you clap the syllables in your name and the names of everyone at home? Have a selection of objects in front of you. Can you clap the syllables in the names of the objects?
Day 4	Maths – Shape, space and measure Play 'Musical Shapes' a variation to musical chairs. Find some space or play this outside. Lay out some shapes, these can be objects you find in your house, for example a book for a rectangle, a clock for a circle, a coaster for a square. Or you could simply cut out the shapes from old magazines, old packaging or cereal boxes. First lay out a circle, a triangle and a square. Explain that when the music plays they have to dance. When the music stops call out a shape. The child needs to find the shape being called as fast as they can. Once you call out all shapes you could add other shapes (rectangles, stars, pentagons, hexagons, oval etc.) to make it more challenging. * If this is too hard, focus on just two shapes at a time. If this is too easy instead of calling out the name of the shape describe it, for example "Find the shape that has 4 sides of the same length". 
Day 5	Personal Social and Emotional Development Can you make a card or draw a picture for a family member or a friend you miss? Can you use your phonics knowledge to write their name and your message to them? Don't forget to sign your card.

Phonics Videos

Please access this week's phonics videos via the links below:

- Last Week's phonics video – 'd': <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LB08SLSYyQQ&t=2s>
- Phonics video week beginning 4th May 'm': <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rHgAOs2GW3k>
- Speed Sounds: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ef3EtsdicU>
- Phonics Songs: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U2HYM9VXz9k>

Optional Online Learning – Week beginning 18th May

- Phonics Play: Phase 1 Phonics – Exploring Alliteration: <https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/1/super-smoothie> Username: march20 Password: home
- Teach Your Monster to Read: <https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/u/1617927>
- Oxford Owl Phonics – Initial Sounds: <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/interactives/24632.html>
- Oxford Owl Maths Activity – Counting up to 10: <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/interactives/24481.html>
- TopMarks: Maths – Shape: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/3-5-years/shape-position-and-movement>

Phonics

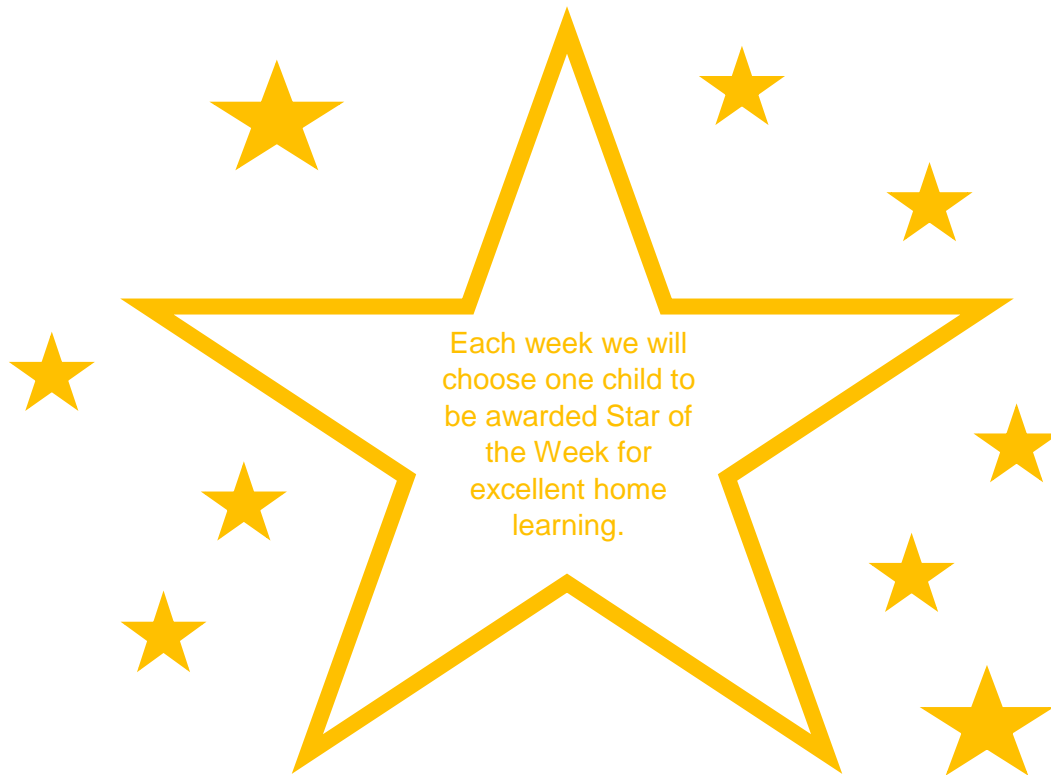
Each week I will be introducing a new sound for your child to learn.

To help your child with their phonics please go through the sounds daily you, can do this by watching this video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ef3EtsdicU>

To help them consolidate the learning of the new sound you can encourage your child to:

- Go on a sound hunt to find objects beginning with the new sound.
- Use a book to find the new sound in the words of the book.
- Have a go at writing it using different media:
 - Air write it,
 - Paint it,
 - Form it in sand,
 - Use a stick to draw it outside,
 - Chalk it,
 - Write simple CVC (Consonant Vowel Consonant) words containing sounds they know.





Wellbeing

The big question is: What is wellbeing? How can I look after my own wellbeing?

On the school website, where the home learning year group pages are, underneath year six, you will see a link to wellbeing, click on here to find some top tips to look after your wellbeing.

Life Skill for the week – Optional

Please see the PowerPoint presentation on the class page.

Other useful websites to help with your home learning

Miss Skouroupathi's Top Recommendations...

Websites to support Literacy and Early Reading:

- Phonics Play - a phonics website that has free reading games.
<https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/1/> Username: march20 Password: home
- TopMarks - Literacy games: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/3-5-years/letters-and-sounds>
- Teach Your Monster to Read - <https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/u/1617927>
- Oxford Owl – Free ebooks tailored to your child's abilities: To access the free ebook library simply visit <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/> and register for free. Use the assessment tool to find out the reading stage of your child by completing these seven simple steps here: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/which-reading-level-stage/>
- Oxford Owl Storyteller Videos: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/storyteller-videos/>
- Cbeebies: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies>
- The Gruffalo - Lots of games and activities based on the book <https://www.gruffalo.com/>
- CBeebies Bedtime stories: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/bedtime-stories>
- Cbeebies - The Alphablocks Guide to Phonics: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/grownups/the-alphablocks-guide-to-phonics>

Websites to support Mathematics:

- TopMarks Maths games: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/3-5-years/counting>
- CBeebies Number blocks: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/numberblocks>
- Oxford Owl Maths: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/kids-activities/fun-maths-games-and-activities/>

Webinars and Live Lessons that may interest you....

- Joe Wicks is doing daily PE lessons on Youtube at 9am.
- Oliver Jeffers (Author) is reading his books weekly, for more info visit <https://www.oliverjeffers.com/abookaday>
- Live Dough Disco session daily on YouTube at 9.30am https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCj0shfH3pzhrf3dOrSj_pRw
- Steve Backshall is doing a webinar via his facebook page on every day at 9.30am.
- Clubbercise in Old Woking with Mel - search this on Facebook. Mrs Randall is hosting a webinar on select days.
- Live interactive science classes with Professor Zob at <https://captain-fantastic.co.uk/>
- Free art lessons live every Monday and Thursday at 10.30am via Facebook page Simon Hetherington
- Free drumming workshop (and you don't need any kit!) with Stephen Coetzee available via Facebook
- Story time with Princess Belle at 6.30pm available via Facebook
- Rob Biddulph is posting a new #drawingwithRob video every Tuesday and Thursday at 10am. Search for him on Facebook.
- Theo Cooks is hosting a live cook-along every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 4pm.