

## Year 3/4 Home Learning Projects

### Week 7 – Celebrations.

<p><b>Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Working on Numbots, Mathletics and TT Rockstars - your child will have an individual login to access this.</li><li>• Play on <a href="#">Hit the Button</a> - focus on number bonds, halves, doubles and times tables.</li><li>• Adding totals of the weekly shopping list or some work around money.</li><li>• Practise telling the time. This could be done through this <a href="#">game</a> (scroll down to access the game). Read to the quarter hour and the nearest 5 minutes.</li><li>• Get a piece of paper and ask your child to show everything they know about Money. This could be pictures, diagrams, explanations, methods etc. They can be as creative as they want to be.</li><li>• Practise counting forwards and backwards from any given number in 4s.</li></ul>	<p><b>Weekly Reading Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• You could share a story together. This could be a chapter book where you read and discuss a chapter a day.</li><li>• Listen to your child read and let them discuss what they have read. Encourage them to read with expression and intonation.</li><li>• Engage in PictureNews. What did you find out? Is there anything you need help understanding?</li><li>• Get your child to read a book on <a href="#">Oxford Owl</a>, discuss what your child enjoyed about the book.</li><li>• Explore new vocabulary you find when reading. What are the origins of this word? Can it be modified? Can you find any synonyms or antonyms for your new word?</li><li>• With your child, look in magazines, newspapers and books for new vocabulary they are unfamiliar with. They could use a highlighter to highlight in magazines and newspapers.</li></ul>
<p><b>Weekly Spelling Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Work on Spellodrome – your child will have an individual login to access this.</li><li>• Practise the Year 3/4 statutory spellings.</li><li>• Practise your spelling on <a href="#">Spelling Frame</a>.</li><li>• Choose 5 words. Write synonyms, antonyms, the meaning and an</li></ul>	<p><b>Weekly Writing Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Write a postcard to a family member recounting a celebration that has just taken place.</li><li>• Write a set of instructions for ‘How to play the new game?’ Remember to include a list of things they will need. Also not forgetting to include headings and subheadings. Then write their set of instructions,</li></ul>

<p>example of how to use the word in a sentence. Can the word be modified?</p>	<p>remembering to include imperative verbs. (Verbs that command you to do something). Think about the key rules!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Write a non-chronological report about a particular religious festival they have found out about.</li> <li>• Design a card celebrating a religious celebration, remember to include a poem/verse for inside. You could make either an Easter card, Diwali card etc.</li> </ul>
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### Learning Project - to be done throughout the week.

The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about celebrations. Learning may focus on different types of celebrations that take place and who may celebrate them. It could look at how people celebrate events differently and also at how people celebrate different events in other parts of the world.

- Let's Wonder - How are birthdays celebrated around the world? Maybe there's a particular country they would like to find out about. Create fact files to show the similarities and differences between them.
- Let's Create - Create a board game that focuses on celebrations. Think about what they can learn from it. Think about how to play the game. Is it going to be a game like Monopoly or Snakes and ladders? Are they going to need a dice? Cards? Characters? Etc.
- Be Active - Why not play a game of hopscotch? Can't find any chalk? Use a stone from the garden. Raining? Build an indoor den and have an imaginary celebration with their toys. Recommendation at least 2 hours of exercise a week.
- Time to Talk - Look through old photos of previous celebrations they have taken part in. What can they remember happened? Why do they celebrate the way they do?
- Understanding Others and Appreciating differences - How many different types of celebrations are there? Who celebrates Christmas? St Patricks? St George? St David? Easter? Eid? Diwali? Chinese new year? Etc.  
Which celebrations have they taken part in? What usually happens?