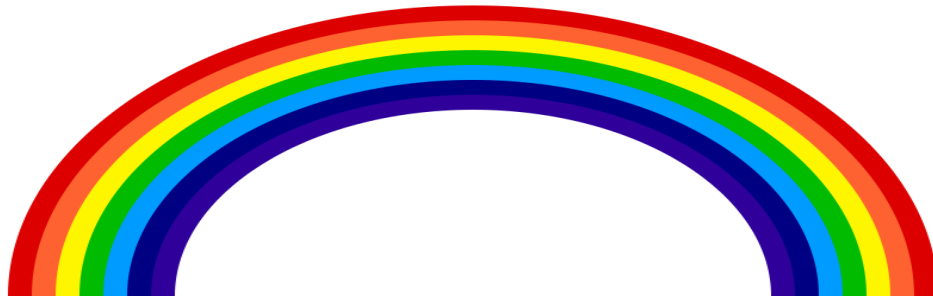




Year 4 Learning Log

20th May 2020

I've really enjoyed speaking to families on the phone this week and finding out what you have been working on at home. I've seen lots of great writing, maths, RE, Welsh and Science on Seesaw and some of you have also been showing me what else you've been up to. There is a mixture of baking, sport and exercise, gardening and art going on and it's brilliant to see what you've been enjoying doing. There won't be a Learning Log next week as it is half term so you might want to start these activities for the rest of this week and then come back to them at the start of the week beginning 1st June. I hope you enjoy your learning and I'm looking forward to seeing what you come up with.

This Week's Learning Log

- 5 English activities based on Talk for Writing (one per day)
- 5 Maths activities based on White Rose Maths (also one per day)
 - 1 Spelling and handwriting activity
 - 1 Welsh activity
 - 1 RE activity
 - 1 Science activity



1. **English** - This week we are finishing off the Amazing Aliens Talk for Writing booklet. There will be a new Talk for Writing booklet in the week after half term. From speaking to you, it seems that lots of you have really liked this unit. I've enjoyed seeing some of the art work you've come up with for the aliens. Nell made some alien models, which look great (and quite friendly)! Luke T's alien looks a bit more scary with these big teeth and I can't decide what I think of Noah's orange alien! If you want to send me any other alien pictures, I'd like to see them. I'm sorry if I missed any - I have lots and lots of posts on Seesaw to look through!



Here are my suggestions for how to arrange the five sessions this week. If you need to go back and finish any of the other parts of the unit or you want to repeat anything, you might want to change the order of these around.

Session 1 - Write your log about a visit to Zargon 10 on page 17.

Session 2 - Plan your advert for Zargon 10 on pages 18-19.

Session 3 - Draft your advert for Zargon 10 on page 20.

Session 4 - Edit and improve your advert for Zargon 10 on page 20.

Session 5 - Publish the advert. Could you type it up so that I can see it and collect it together with other examples? It would be great to add some art work to it - page 20-21

You also might want to try some of the extra writing activities on page 22 and show me these. Don't forget to do the evaluation of the unit of work on page 23-24. Can you share this evaluation with me so that I can see what you've enjoyed and what you've found helpful with your learning.

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2. **Maths** - The next week of White Rose maths is linked to the Learning Log. I think everyone is able to find the daily video clip on the link underneath and take the activity sheets from the Christ the King website. Don't forget that if you want to make it a bit easier or a bit harder, you can take a look at the Year 3 or the Year 5 class pages. Miss Jenkins and Mrs Welsh have attached them for you. If you find a session particularly tricky then it's probably a good idea to move on and try something different. These are the sessions for this week.

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-4/>

Session 1 - Recognising tenths and hundredths

Session 2 - Equivalent fractions (1)

Session 3 - Equivalent fractions (2)

Session 4 - Fractions greater than 1

Session 5 - Maths challenge

Try to post some examples of what you've been doing on Seesaw but you don't need to show me every single page. Ideally, I'd like to see an example of each section of the Learning Log that you complete.

3. **Spelling and Handwriting** - Here are the spelling words for this week. They are all words with the same spelling root. You can choose whether you want to work on just the 'must', the 'must' and the 'should' or all three lists. The handwriting task is to write sentences using these words in them in accurately sized and joined handwriting.

MUST	SHOULD	COULD
inspect	spectacles	quadruped
inspector	pedestrian	decimate
tripod	decimal	spectacular
December	event	circumvent
decade	invention	statistics

4. **Welsh** - This week we have a CSC Weekly Welsh Challenge for you to do!
 Look for Welsh street names, house names and signs when you are on your local walk
 - You could find out what they mean, e.g, Tŷ Mawr = Big House
 @ctkprmcardsiff
 Pob lwc!



The poster is for the 'Her Cymraeg Wythnosol CCD' (Our Welsh Week CCD) CSC Weekly Welsh Challenge. It features a blue header with the 'Consentium Canolfannu y De' logo, a green circular badge with the challenge title, and a red Welsh dragon at the bottom left. The main content is in two green boxes with white text. The top box asks 'Beth am fynd am dro yn lleol gyda'r teulu?' (What about going for a walk locally with the family?) and lists three tasks: 1. Enwau heolydd Cymraeg (Welsh street names), 2. Enwau tai Cymraeg (Welsh house names), and 3. Arwyddion Cymraeg (Welsh signs). The bottom box asks 'What about going for a walk locally with the family?' and lists the same three tasks with examples: 1. Maes y Coed Road, 2. Tŷ Mawr, and 3. Llwybyr Cyhoeddus. A vertical strip of small Welsh words runs down the right side, and an orange speech bubble with 'Cymraeg' is at the bottom right.

Beth am fynd am dro yn lleol gyda'r teulu?
 Edrychwch allan am:
 1. Enwau heolydd Cymraeg
 2. Enwau tai Cymraeg
 3. Arwyddion Cymraeg
 Tynnwch luniau a'u rhannu gyda ni.

What about going for a walk locally with the family?
 Look out for:
 1. Welsh street names, eg *Maes y Coed Road*
 2. Welsh house names, eg *Tŷ Mawr*
 3. Welsh signs, eg *Llwybyr Cyhoeddus*
 Take some pictures to share with us.

Her Cymraeg Wythnosol CCD
CSC Weekly Welsh Challenge

Cymraeg

5. **RE** - Over the last few weeks each class has been learning all about Pentecost.

Foundation Phase have been learning about, passing on the Good News of Jesus, the importance of the Holy Spirit and how the friends of Jesus felt when the Holy Spirit appeared to them.

KS2 classes worked on the gifts of the Holy Spirit and spreading the Gospel messages through these gifts.

Pentecost Sunday is on the 31st May and I would like you to produce one piece of work to demonstrate how much you have learnt or found out about this special feast.

You can choose how you would like to represent what you have learnt. You may wish to write a story about Pentecost, use a thinking map or make a power point. Try to be as creative as you like. You may wish to paint a picture, make a collage of a flame or a dove, or make a mobile showing the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Your work will then be put into a special video which we will put on our website and send to our parish priests. I know they would love to see your wonderful work; they have loved your letters and pictures.

We really would like every pupil to contribute to the school video; remember to keep being the best you can be.

Article 14 you have the right to choose your religion.



6. **Science** - For science this week, we are going to look at classifying animals. There is an activity to complete on Active Learn where you have to sort animals into groups. Can you find out any more information about how animals can be classified? You may wish to keep working on the collaborative task from last week about sound if you haven't finished this.

I hope you enjoy your learning this week and have a good half term next week!

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