



## Ashfield Home Learning Menu January 2021

With schools being closed until February half term, we have reviewed our home learning offer in order to provide the children with as wide a range of learning and activities as possible. Please find below a menu of the resources that teachers will select from on a weekly basis.

### Year 4 Offer:

<b>Zoom Sessions</b>
<p>Monday morning Zoom – an invitation will be sent to the whole class to join this session. The purpose of this session will be for the class teacher to talk through the work that has been set for the week and to check in with the children. This would also be an opportunity for children to ask questions.</p> <p>Two further Zoom sessions during the week. These will be small group sessions led by the teacher. The purpose of these sessions will be to: give feedback on completed work, to talk through misunderstandings, to edit and improve work and to ensure work is being completed to a good standard.</p> <p>Invitation links for that week's meetings will be sent to the parent's email address on Monday morning.</p>
<b>Menu of Activities and Lessons</b>
<p><b>Maths:</b> Oak Academy video lessons White Rose Maths – video lessons and worksheets Hamilton Trust – slides and worksheets My Maths – online work (marks itself) TT Rockstars – weekly sessions must be completed Scans of textbook pages on Ashfield website Arithmetic Tests CGP Maths workbook</p>
<p><b>Reading:</b> CGP comprehension workbook Daily reading for pleasure Headstart reading comprehension workbook Talk For Writing Comprehension Activities Class Novel and reading activities Topic Reads (reading related to foundation subjects)</p>
<p><b>Writing:</b> Talk For Writing booklets Writing related to topic Oak Academy videos BBC Bitesize</p>
<p><b>Spelling/Grammar:</b> WordBlaze (Spelling rules &amp; activities linked to those rules) Grammar activities related to writing</p>
<p><b>Topic:</b> <b>Invaders and Settlers – Romans, Anglo-Saxons, Vikings and Celts (History)</b> Scanned study &amp; activity pages and video clips on our website</p>

**Science - Materials, Digestion, Electricity and Sound** Topic reads , slides, video clips, investigations

**RE: Hinduism** Topic reads, slides, video clips and research

**Art:** Oak Academy videos, art linked to history, art linked to writing, instruction slides

We may also use BBCBitesize activities and clips in some of our topic work.

**P.E.:**

We expect children to be active everyday. This can be a mixture of daily exercise, Joe Wickes workouts, a daily mile and activities from the website <https://www.yorkshiresport.org/get-active/thisispe/>

**Expectations:**

- We expect children to be working for 3-4 hours every day. We suggest that you draw up a daily timetable together. Your daily timetable should include reading, writing, maths and one other topic task.
- The work should be completed on the day it is set so as not to fall behind (work on the website is removed at the end of a week if you need a little extra time).
- All work should be completed in writing or online (e.g. MyMaths/TT Rockstars).
- All completed work must be recorded and kept in a clear and organised way and brought in to school when you return after this lock down – we WILL be checking, marking and using the work you have completed (sometimes during our Zoom sessions).
- If your child is struggling to access the home learning, contact the school so that we can make alternative arrangements.
- If a link in the Daily Update is not working, remember to copy and paste the link into your web browser (check the link spelling is correct).

**Live Chat**

LiveChat is a quick way for you or your child to get in touch with an adult at school if you need help with an activity. LiveChat can be accessed daily from 9am – 3pm on the school website. Use the yellow chatbox icon on the bottom right hand side of the screen. The adult will answer your question immediately where possible, or refer it on to your child's class teacher who will get back to you within that day.