

Home Learning News

Archibald Primary School – “Believe and Achieve”

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“Believe and Achieve.” “Věř a Dosáhnout” “Uwierz i osiągnij” “Crede și atinge” “انجازوايمان” “相信与实现”

In addition to the Home Learning activities posted on our website there are a wide range of online resources available as a result of a number of companies enabling free access to their online resources.

The purpose of this update is to keep you in touch with what is available.

Links to great home learning activities via websites are also included on Marvellous Me!

So far we have links to the following:-

<p>Oxford Owl https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/</p>		<p>There are a great range of e-books available to read, along with many English and maths activities which are easy to search by age or year group.</p>	
<p>ICT Games http://ictgames.com/</p>		<p>A range of English and Maths desktop and tablet friendly online games</p>	
<p>Top Marks https://www.topmarks.co.uk/</p>		<p>Searchable site of thousands of quality interactive resources,. Useful for teachers, pupils and parents.</p>	
<p>Super Movers https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers</p>		<p>Fun curriculum linked resources to get children moving while they learn. Brought to you by BBC and Premier League</p>	

Coronavirus for young children

A Southampton intensive care nurse has created a book to help reduce anxiety in children caused by the Coronavirus outbreak. The free online publication, entitled ‘Dave the Dog is worried about Coronavirus’, has already been downloaded 15,000 times and has received plenty of positive feedback.

The book for children aims to give information without fear. With everything that is going on at the moment; big changes to children’s routines and lots of stories on the news it can be a really scary time for them. This book aims to open up the conversation about coronavirus and some of the things they might be hearing about it and provide truthful information in a reassuring and child friendly manner.

You can access the book using the following link:

<https://nursedottybooks.files.wordpress.com/2020/03/dave-the-dog-coronavirus-1-1.pdf>

Archibald Primary School Safeguarding Leads: Mrs E Verheyen , Mrs S Walker, Mrs A Jefferies



FREE ACCESS TO TWINKL RESOURCES

The education resource website, Twinkl, has provided a free log in for parents to use during this time.

To log in, please go to www.twinkl.co.uk/offer and enter the code UKTWINKLHELPS



TWINKL have provided a 'school closure resource pack' for each year group. Please use these resources with your children.

- EYFS Pack – Click [here](#)
- Year One Pack – Click [here](#)
- Year Two Pack – Click [here](#)
- Year Three Pack – Click [here](#)
- Year Four Pack – Click [here](#)
- Year Five Pack – Click [here](#)
- Year Six Pack – Click [here](#)

Join Joe Wicks – The Body Coach – Daily Work Out



Joe Wicks – the body coach hosts a free workout aimed at kids LIVE on his YouTube channel each day Monday - Friday.

With the schools closed and with us all spending more time at home, it's more important than ever that we keep moving and stay healthy and positive.

Exercise is an amazing tool to help us feel happier, more energised, and more optimistic.

The workouts are fun and suitable for all ages and even adults can get involved!

You don't need any equipment, just tune in to the YouTube channel at 9am each morning for a 30-minute, fun workout
If you miss the start don't worry, you can catch up later on YouTube.

[You can subscribe to the YouTube channel here.](#)

Read Write Inc. Phonics Lessons at Home

A new film every day

Monday to Friday - Available for 24hrs

Set 1 9:30am - Set 2 10:00am - Set 3 10:30am



Read Write Inc have free, short *Read Write Inc.* Phonics lessons on [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#) for children to watch at home every day until Friday 3rd April.

Films will show at the times below and be available for 24 hours.

- Set 1 Speed Sounds at 9.30 am (GMT)
- Set 2 Speed Sounds at 10.00 am
- Set 3 Speed Sounds at 10.30 am

Sharing your Work

If you would like to share your home learning with your teachers and friends you can do so using SeeSaw if your class uses See Saw.

Some teachers are now also starting to unlock some of the features of Reading Plus so they can message pupils and pupils can message teachers their questions.

If you do not currently have access to See Saw you can email photographs to our school email account and we will try to include some on the next Home Learning News.

Email to:

archibald@mcschools.org.uk

Collins

<https://collins.co.uk/pages/support-learning-at-home>

Use this link to have a range of activities including over 300 ebooks for KS1, a times table test simulator, SATS practice books for English and Maths for Y2 and Y6, together with a range of interactive activities and quizzes for ages 3-11.

Free access to Collins Big Cat ebooks for parents

Access 330+ free KS1 ebooks from our primary reading programme



Times tables practice

An online tool so you can keep up with times tables practice at home!



Free KS1 and KS2 Study Books for maths & English

Download pdf versions of Collins SATS Study Books



SATs practice papers & flashcards

Plus audio support for spelling



Free worksheets, activities and quizzes

A range of free resources for ages 3-11



Help your children stay up to date with what is happening in the world by tuning into Newsround on the BBC I player each day. Many classes enjoy watching this daily in school

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround>

The website also links to a selection of games, puzzles and quizzes.

Take a look!

myminimaths

<https://myminimaths.co.uk> is a free to use website for KS2 maths.

Each day there is a new warm up, a main work out, followed by a cool down for each year group Y3 – Y6. There are also links to video tutorial through YouTube.