



# YEAR 4 HOME LEARNING

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Mrs Henshall



# Happy Monday year 4!

I hope everyone had a lovely bank holiday weekend! What did you do to celebrate VE day? Email or tweet me your photographs.

Please use this link to learn the song 'Colours of the Wind' from the Pocahontas film.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O9MvdMqKvpU>

When we return to school, we will sing this together! Remember to check the timetable on the website for your learning this week. I have based it around WW2. If you have any interests that you would like to learn about, email me and I will try include it!

Have a great week everyone and remember to stay in touch.

Stay safe,

Mrs H



# Challenge 1

- How did you celebrate VE day on Friday?
- Why is it important to remember this day?
- Write a diary entry from the perspective of Winston Churchill on the 8<sup>th</sup> May 1945. Imagine how he felt

## VE Day

VE Day is the day that marks the end of the Second World War. 'VE' is short for 'Victory in Europe Day'. The very first VE Day was held on 8<sup>th</sup> May 1945, the day after Germany surrendered, which meant they agreed to stop fighting.

### **What Happened on the First VE Day?**

The Prime Minister of Britain, Winston Churchill, announced the end of the war over the radio. Millions of people were waiting for the fighting to stop and there were many celebrations. People danced in the streets around Britain and shared food. Others went to Buckingham Palace to see the King. Lots of people were dressed in red, white and blue. King George VI and his daughters Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret came out on the balcony to greet the crowds. Princess Elizabeth is now the current Queen, and she often says that VE Day 1945 is one day she remembers very well.

### **How Do People Celebrate VE Day?**

VE Day is an important celebration. It is a day where we remember all of the people who gave their lives or were badly injured during the war. It is also a chance for us to celebrate the day that brought peace to Europe after a long and difficult six-year war. All over the country, people hang up red, white and blue bunting and hold street parties and parades to mark the event. VE Day is also celebrated in other countries, including Belgium and France, where it is recognised with church services.

# Art Challenge

Can you create a poppy picture. Use these as inspiration for your own picture. When you have created your art work write a poem to go with it. Can you use similes and metaphors?



# Morse code challenge

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<b>6</b>	- · · · ·	<b>7</b>	- - · · ·	<b>8</b>	- - - · ·	<b>9</b>	- - - - ·

# Can you crack the code?



Use the Morse Code Alphabet Chart to help you translate this message.  
Complete the task once you have decoded it.

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**Use the Morse Code Alphabet Chart to help you write your own secret message. See if others can decode your message.**

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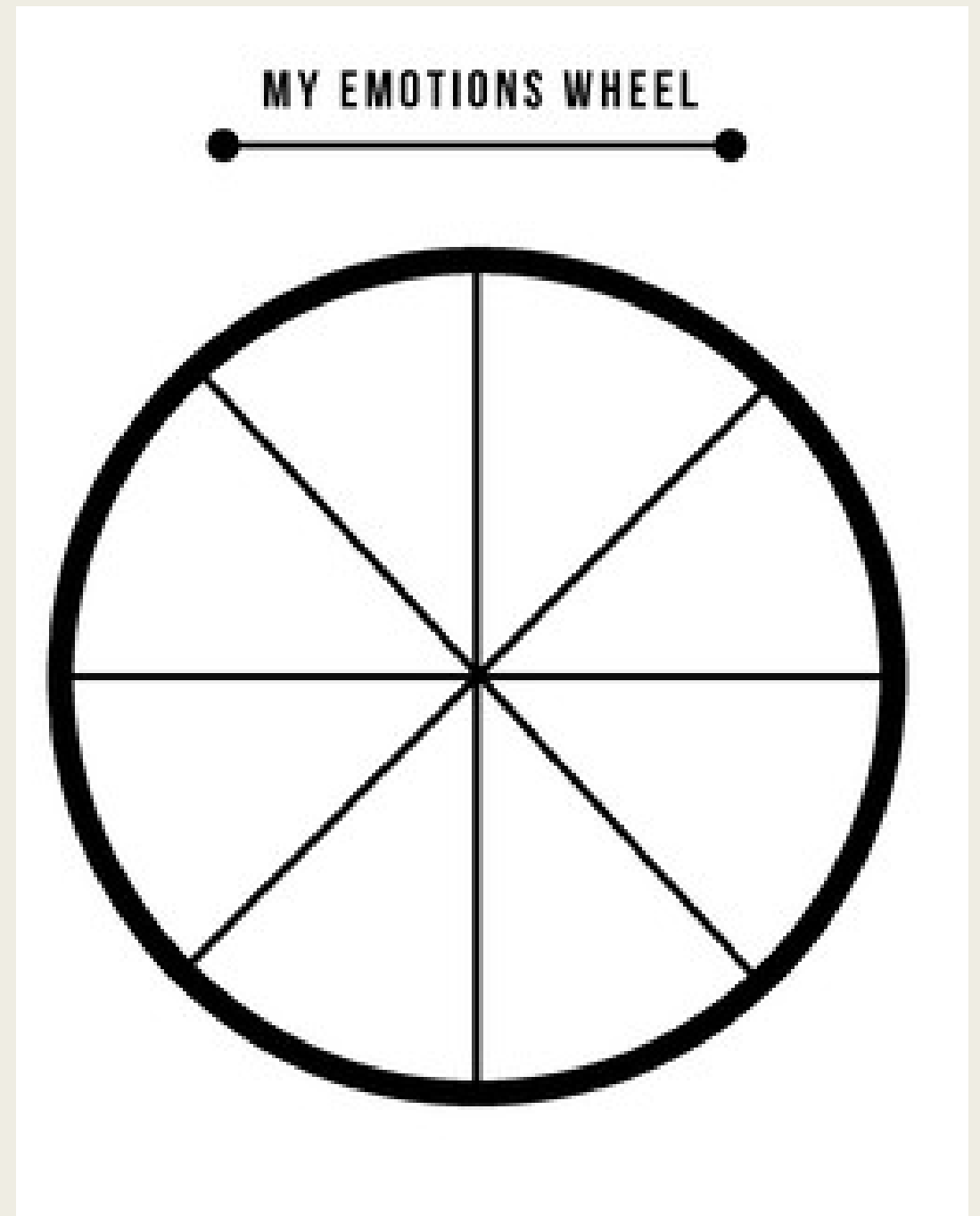


# Emotions

These are strange times and it's important to acknowledge how you feel. Create your own emotion wheel and colour it in.

Write an emotions journal when you feel angry or sad.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/ztkk7ty/resources/1>





How many of these emotions have you experienced?

# Maths challenge

Use the link to play on 'Hit the Button'. Can you beat your best score? Keep a record of your results so you can see your improvement.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>



# Science challenge

Research these words. What do they mean? Create a glossary with these words.

'Condensation'

'Evaporation'

'Irreversible changes'

Explore this topic more on:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z2pfb9q>



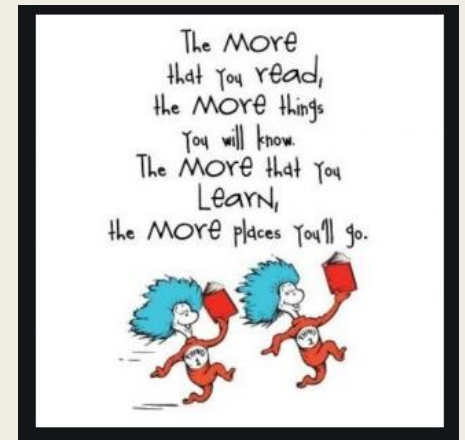
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# Reading challenge



Make a list of all your favourite book characters. (I would choose Harry Potter, Fantastic Mr Fox and Mr Wonka.)

Can you create a story with your favourite characters. Remember it must have a beginning, middle and end. Think about which noun phrases you will use to describe the characters and setting.



# Science challenge

Learn about the skeleton. How many bones can you name? How does our skeleton differ to a crabs?

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z9339j6/articles/zqfdpbk>

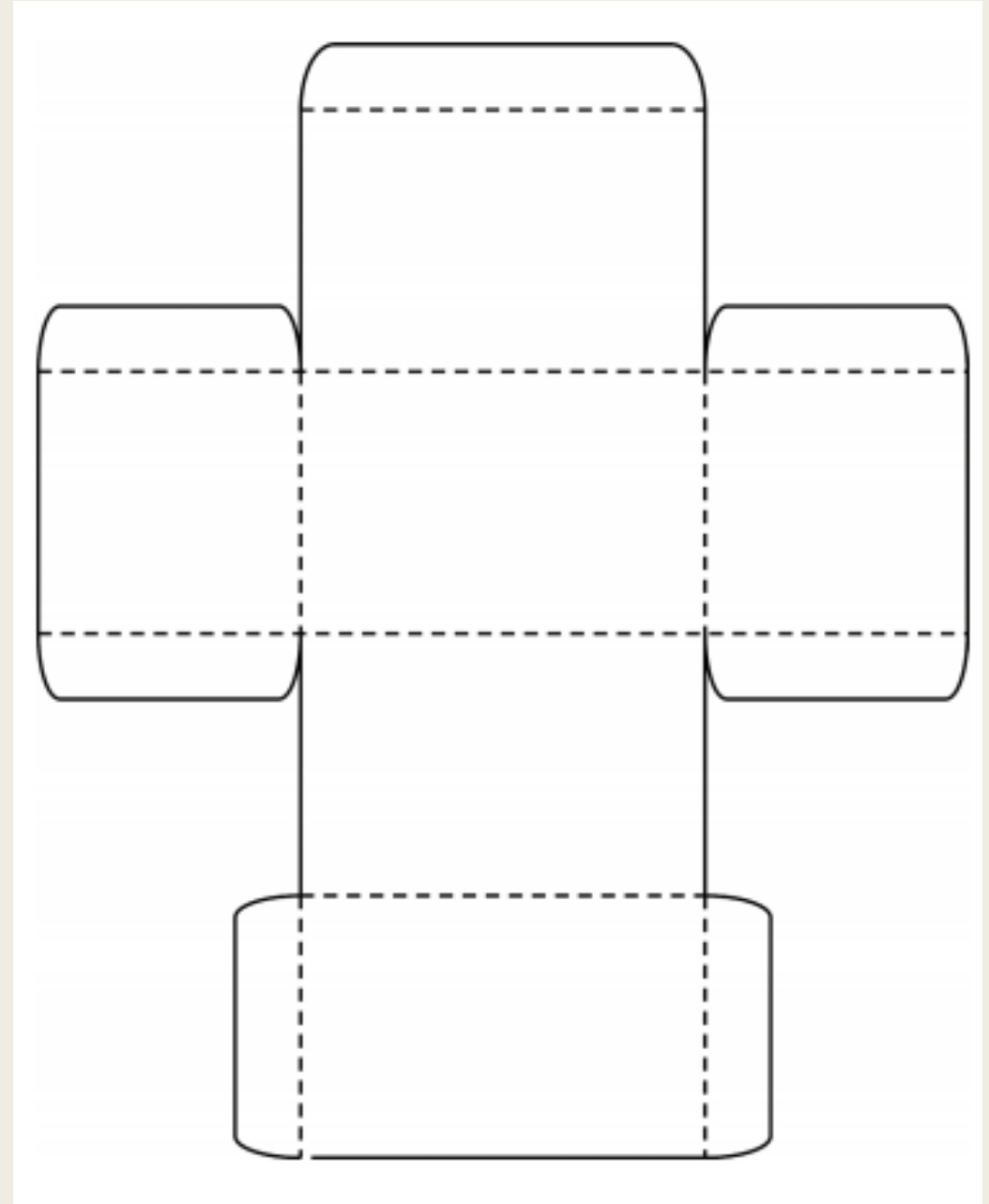


# Shape challenge

What shape will this net create?  
Can you recreate it with some  
paper and make a 3d shape?

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zt7xk2p/articles/z247tv4>

Use the link to learn more about  
3D shapes and their nets.







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# Yoga challenge

Use the link to try some yoga today. It is a great way to stretch and relax!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LhYtcadR9nw>



# Writing challenge

Write a letter to a friend in the class. Make plans of the games you'll play when we are all reunited and tell them what you miss the most. If your parent/carer knows your friend's address, post it to them. It will be a lovely surprise. If you want to write to me, you can send it to The Oaks Primary School. I will write back to every letter I receive.



# Story challenge

Choose your favourite story title below and create a story to go with it:

- Pirates cove
- The Mermaid's hideaway
- Buried treasure
- The Lost World





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# Maths challenge

## I'm Eight

Age 5 to 11 ★



When I went into a classroom earlier this week a child rushed up to tell me she was 8 that day.

Well, Happy Birthday to everyone who has a birthday today!

This challenge is about finding a variety of ways of asking questions which make 8.

You might think of  $6 + 2$ , or  $22 - 14$  or...

However, try to create examples that use all the different mathematical ideas that you know about.

Perhaps you could challenge yourself to find ways of making 8 that you think no-one else will have thought of.

If you are not 8 years old, you might like to use your age instead of 8.



# Maths challenge



Noah saw 12 legs  
walk by into the Ark.

How many creatures  
could he have seen?

How many different  
answers can you find?



# Maths challenge

## Mixed Up Socks



Start with three pairs of socks.



Now mix them up so that no mismatched pair is the same as another mismatched pair.

Now try it with four pairs of socks.  
Is there more than one way to do it?