



Maths

mymaths.co.uk – this week there is work related to estimating and telling the time. Estimating is about having a ‘very good guess’. If you know what 5 objects look like when they’re lying together, use this to estimate larger amounts. Practise by getting pasta shapes, or buttons or matchsticks and estimate small amounts. How close to the actual amount are you?

Telling the time is really tricky – you need to be able to count in 5s as well as use your fraction knowledge of half and quarters.



The right hand side of the clock is ‘past’ as the hand has gone past the 12.

The left hand side of the clock is ‘to’ as the hand is moving towards the 12.

The minute hand tells us if it is minutes ‘past’ or minutes ‘to’ the hour.

The short, hour hand tells us the hour it is ‘past’ or the hour we’re going ‘to’.



Use the Top Marks teaching clock <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/time/teaching-clock> to practise making different times. Reset the clock so it starts at 12 o’clock. Advance the time by 15 minutes to see **quarter past**, then another advance of 15 minutes to take you to half past. A further advance of 15 minutes will now take you to **quarter to** one – can you see how the hour hand is now closer to the 1 than it is to the 12? So it is a quarter of the way towards the next hour. Advance again by 15 minutes – the hour hand is now on the 1 and the minute hand is on the 12 showing 1 o’clock.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zhk82hv/articles/zcmdwxs>

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/116/Telling%20the%20Time%20-%20interactive%20game>

Have a go at these two websites that have some time telling games. I’ve also attached a worksheet to print out and complete.

trockstars.com – How are you doing? Is your times table knowledge improving? Are you getting quicker?

Maths Problem solving:

Have a go at these challenges:



Ride at the fair



Lucy had a ride at the fair.
Her Mum asked Lucy to pay less than 20p towards it.

Lucy paid exactly three coins towards the ride.
How much did Lucy pay her Mum?

Find different ways to do it.



Sum up

Choose from these four cards.



Make these totals:

- 9
- 10
- 11
- 12
- 13
- 14
- 15

What other totals can you make from the cards?



English

Please go to: www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons or go onto the red button on your TV for BBC iplayer.

Year 2/ P3 online lessons				
Monday 11 May - Friday 15 May				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
English Using phonics to develop vocabulary about exploring	English Using subordinating conjunctions to join sentences	English Forming letters accurately when writing what 'I' can see in the desert.	English Using exclamation marks	English Reading lesson: Cake by Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet
Maths Adding and subtracting tens	Maths Adding 2 digit numbers	Maths Subtracting 2 digit numbers	Maths Number bonds to 100	Maths Challenge of the week
History Martin Luther King	Geography Introduction to Asia	Science Animal groups	Technology and Design Simple designs	Art and Design Drawing and Painting

Find all this content and more at: bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons

I'd love you to have a go at all the English activities listed on BBC Bitesize daily lessons this week. In particular, I'd like you to learn about subordinating conjunctions in Tuesday's lesson. We have used conjunctions in the classroom (joining words - they join short sentences to create a longer sentence) but we haven't talked about subordinating conjunctions. Perhaps you can teach me about them when we get back to school?

Reading

Go to this website: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/books/free-ebooks/>
Keep up with your reading, perhaps settle down with your parents to share a book together?

Other Tasks/Challenges

VE Day – it was lovely to see Leiala and Beau’s bunting on Twitter – thank you girls! Did you see my picture outside my window?

Write a recount of the day – did you do anything a little bit different to commemorate VE Day? Perhaps you had a BBQ in the sunshine? Perhaps you were silent at 11am for two minutes? You might even have had a mini street party with your neighbours? Write a recount so you can look back and, on the 100th anniversary of VE day, you can re-read about how you commemorated when you were only 6 or 7 years old!



Carrot tops:

Finally, mine have made two teeny, tiny shoots. I'm excited to see what happens next!

This week I've also used an avocado stone to see if I can grow an avocado tree. I hope it grows.

Twitter

Thank you to Chelsey for her star jump challenge – did you see me complete it in 25 seconds!?

I've loved seeing your photographs on Twitter, thank you to Annie, Chelsey, Ethan, Leiala and Beau NF. Annie found a grass snake, Chelsey's had her hair cut, Ethan's been discovering dinosaurs and fairies whilst Leiala and Beau have created VE Day bunting. I'm missing you all and it's been great to see what fun things you've been up to.

Have a brilliant week everyone!

Love

Mrs Mason