



Year 1



Summer 1: Learning opportunities: Explore and Discover

Here are a variety of OPTIONAL activities which you may wish to do with your child out of school to support and extend their learning in school.

This page is designed to help families to 'Enjoy Learning Together at Home'. However, if your child would like to share any of these tasks with us, we would be delighted to see their work.

<u>Spelling:</u>	<u>Maths:</u>	<u>Writing:</u>	<u>Reading:</u>	<u>Computing:</u>
<p>Practise spelling the Year 1 common exception words.</p> <p>You could write them outside with floor chalks, spell with letters in the bath, write on a whiteboard etc.</p>	<p>Count in 2's 5's and 10's.</p> <p>Recognise and name house numbers up to 100. How many tens does it have? How many ones?</p> <p>Practise finding halves and quarters of food items, shapes and small amounts. Share items into groups.</p> <p>Fill containers with different amounts of cups of water or sand. Order containers by their capacity.</p>	<p>Write sentences about an adventure you have been on or would like to go on. Can you include the word 'and'?</p> <p>Find out about a famous explorer. Write a fact file to share with your friends at school.</p> <p>Write questions for the explorer you have found out about.</p> <p>Dig in your garden, write about something you discover.</p>	<p>Encourage your child to read regularly at home. Support them with their reading book by asking questions about what they have read. What would you do? What might happen next?</p> <p>Find a book to share about an explorer.</p> <p>Practise reading real and alien words. You will find lots of guidance and practise on our Year 1 page on the school website.</p>	<p>Visit the Oxford Owl website and complete your weekly reading tasks.</p> <p>Visit Numbots to practise your keyboard skills and quick number facts.</p> <p>You will find your log in details inside your reading record.</p>

This half term we are learning all about exploring and discovering.

Here are some ideas if you wish to carry on your learning at home:

- Look for signs of new growth and life this spring. You could draw them or take photos.
- Find and make a list of five or more different types of trees.
- Imagine you have found a message in a bottle, what does it say? Who is it from? Can you write your own reply?
- Find out about Helen Sharman, our local Yorkshire astronaut or Captain James Cook, a famous Yorkshire explorer.
- Can you design and build a space rocket or a ship for new adventures?
- Visit Ilkley Library and find other stories or non-fiction books about other discoveries.