



Year 4 English home learning for the week commencing 13th April

Reading

Try to read a little everyday

If you need extra reading material, please look at the following:

Oxford Owl free e-book reading library

<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/>

Collins free e-book reading library. Follow the instructions to sign in

<https://librariesunlimited.overdrive.com/library/kids>

Listen to stories (Aim for at least 3-4 times a week):

Story time with David Walliams

<https://www.worldofdavidwalliams.com/elevenses/>

Authors and illustrators reading their stories:

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLFtPjIfGAYjXrik7kNvW4Jc5rnod2nx7r>

Audible have made children's books free to listen to

https://www.audible.co.uk/?ref=Adbl_ip_rdr_from_US&source_code=AUK30DFT1BkWS0826159058&ipRedirectFrom=US&ipRedirectOriginalURL=ep%2Fkids-audiobooks

Reading comprehension

Try this activity this week:

https://www.onceuponapicture.co.uk/portfolio_page/dad/

Have a go at answering the questions underneath the picture

Writing

Aim to spend around 20-30 minutes each day

Please visit: <https://www.literacyshed.com/soar.html>

Day 1	https://www.literacyshed.com/soar.html Watch the video 'Soar' Write words to describe Mara (the girl)
Day 2	Use the words you have written to write a character description for Mara. Read some character descriptions to help you: http://www.readwritethink.org/files/resources/lesson_images/lesson1125/sample.pdf Remember to use: Accurate punctuation Different types of sentences
Day 3	Continue writing your description.
Day 4	Illustrate your description
Day 5	Try this Roald Dahl character description quiz: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/who-am-i-roald-dahl-day-quiz/zmj8gwx

Want to do more?

Try one of the activities here:

<https://www.babcockldp.co.uk/improving-schools-settings/english/home-learning/home-learning-english-key-stage-2>

Spelling

Suggested sequence:

Day 1: Read the words and write them into your home learning book

Day 2: Play some of the free games

Day 3: Play some of the free games

Day 4: Practise the spellings

Day 5: Test yourself on the spellings

Week 1	https://spellingframe.co.uk/spelling-rule/8/1-Adding-suffixes-beginning-with-vowel-letters-to-words-of-more-than-one-syllable beginner beginning forgetting forgotten gardener gardening limitation limited limiting preferred prefer
Here are some further tips for learning spellings: https://www.theschoolrun.com/teachers-tricks-make-spelling-easy https://readingeggs.co.uk/articles/2016/05/19/homeschool-spelling-activities/ http://www.appledore-primary.devon.sch.uk/uploads/images/How%20to%20help%20with%20spellings.pdf	

Grammar

On the website listed below, you are allowed 10 free questions per day.	
Day 1	https://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-4/is-the-sentence-a-statement-question-command-or-exclamation
Day 2	https://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-4/identify-the-complete-subject-of-a-sentence
Day 3	https://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-4/identify-the-complete-predicate-of-a-sentence
Day 4	https://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-4/is-it-a-complete-sentence-or-a-fragment
Day 5	https://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-4/is-the-sentence-simple-or-compound
If you've used your 10 free questions and want to do more: https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?Subject=9&AgeGroup=3 Go to www.twinkl.co.uk/offer Enter the code CVDTWINKLHELPS Try these activity mats: https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t2-e-2491-year-4-spring-term-1-spag-activity-mats	