Year 1 English Week 2

All activities will be in green.

Phonics and Reading:

- **Please read every day** This could include reading recipes, shopping lists, chores lists, comics, online stories (twinkl ebooks), books, books you have read before.
- Play the Phase 5 games on Busy Things to keep practicing all your sounds.
- Alphablocks is a great way to keep reinforcing the different sounds we use. The episodes can be found on the BBC iplayer and YouTube.
- Phonics play. You can find them here: https://www.phonicsplaycomics.co.uk/
- Practise reading your tricky words (in the back of your reading diary)

Spelling:

Can you spell these words? Just like the spellings you get each week, practise the words everyday.

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
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English activities:

With our focus on Jack and the Beanstalk we would then be writing a set of instruction on how to grow/care for our own bean plants. However, we understand this might be a little tricky at home, so we will give you a choice of topics to choose from.

The following will give you some lesson ideas.

WALT explain what a verb is

Do you know what a verb is? A verb is a doing word and they tell you what to do. Verbs are easy to remember because you can act them out.

Play 'guess my verb'. It's a really easy game to play, all you have to do is think of a verb and act it out for your family to guess. Here are some ideas to help you get started run, hop, sleep, laugh, cry, wave, blink, snore, skip, poke, listen

A game of Simon says is also a great way to practise your verbs e.g Simon say's jump, Simon says <u>sit</u> down, Simon says <u>hop</u>. Have a game of Simon says with your family.

WALT identify verbs

Can you spot the verbs here? You could list them on piece of paper. If you are not sure try acting out the word, if you can act it out then will be a verb.

jump	green	Mrs	drink	blink
floor	hop	Sati	ırday	walk
grass	look	sneeze	eat	banana
red	scratch		tomato	type

<u>Challenge</u>: Can you add any verbs of your own? Can you make your own group of words, some verbs some that are not verbs, and test your grown up?

Answers are at the bottom of the document.

WALT use a verb in a sentence

Now can you use a verb in a sentence? You can use the verbs from the lesson above or you can use your own verbs.

Here's some examples of what you could write: (verb: jump)

The excited boy <u>jumped</u> up and down with joy because it was his birthday.

One sunny day the dog jumped over the fence.

I really enjoy jumping on my trampoline.

Write one sentence for each verb you choose. Can you write a least 5 sentences? If you are feeling up for a challenge why not try 10 sentences.

Top Tips to remember:

- Capital letters
- Letters formed correctly
- Use a verb
- Full stop
- Challenge: use a connective like and, because, but, so

WALT explore instructions

Instructions use verbs too and we call these bossy verbs (or imperative verbs). Bossy verbs are a little bossy and tell us what to do, for example <u>spread</u> the butter, <u>add</u> the cheese, <u>cut</u> the sandwich, <u>eat</u> the sandwich.

Have a go at following some instructions (see addition instruction documents). See if you can stop the bossy verbs as you go and have fun.

WALT create your own set of instructions

Instruction writing is really easy to do! All you need to do is be bossy and clear in your instructions. Now you will need to have a go and write your own instructions. Here's a set of instructions to help you writing your instructions!

- 1. Give it a title. What are you making or doing?
- 2. List what you will need.
- 3. Start at the beginning and use numbers to show the order.
- 4. Use bossy verbs in your sentences.
- 5. Make sure you include all the steps.
- 6. Challenge: include diagrams to show each step.

You can choose write your instructions about anything you like.
If you are stuck for ideas here's some to help you:

- Planting a seed and looking after it
- Making a sandwich
- Making a paper aeroplane
- Drawing a clown face
- Getting dressed

Below is a framework you can use. You don't have to use this, you can create your own or complete the task in a different way.

Answers: Verbs are in <u>black</u> <u>jump</u>	: green	Mrs	<u>drink</u>	<u>blink</u>
floor	<u>hop</u>	Satu	rday	<u>walk</u>
grass	look	<u>sneeze</u>	<u>eat</u>	banana
red	<u>scratch</u>		tomato	<u>type</u>

You will need:				
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