

Summer term week 8 w/b 15th June 2020

English:

Spellings:

February
forward(s)
fruit
grammar
group

Strategies to learn your spellings:

Rainbow writing:

Write over the word repeatedly in the colours of the rainbow so the children learn the pattern

Writing:

Write a sentence for each of the spelling words.

Dictionary work:

Can you find the definition in a dictionary?

Writing: Non-fiction <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2yycdm>

Non-chronological reports

Over the next few weeks you are going to be writing your own report! Watch this video below to help you understand what a non-chronological report is:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p030bdk0>

To be able to expand notes into full sentences

This week you will be using the notes you have made on either Rocks, Volcanoes or Planet Earth to write full sentences; these will be used in the main body of your report.

This video tells you a bit more about writing statement sentences:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z97r2nb>

Look at the example below which shows you how to expand notes:

My Notes

Tectonic plates and earthquakes

The plates move;

- Into each other (slowly, mountains)
- Against each other (quickly, earthquakes)
- Away from each other (slowly, volcanos)
- One goes downwards, other pushes upwards.
- These cause mountains, volcanos and earthquakes.

Full sentences for my report

Tectonic plates and earthquakes

- The movement of the tectonic plates can create mountains, earthquakes and volcanoes.
- One plate will go downwards whilst the other one pushes upwards.
- When the tectonic plates move into each other slowly a mountain is created.
- If the tectonic plates move against each other very quickly then there can be an earthquake.
- Finally, when the plates push against each other this can cause a volcano.

Extension:

Use a thesaurus to help you improve your description.

Grammar:

Using apostrophes to show possession

A possessive apostrophe **shows that something belongs to or is connected to something else.**

Watch the BBC lesson on possessive apostrophes and work through the activities:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zmq9kmn>

You can also complete this interactive activity!

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/interactives/24503.html>

Reading: (Comprehension)

See separate sheets - choose one to complete.