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Dear Year 3 pupils and parents/ carers,

I hope you and your families are well and you enjoy any VE celebrations you may be having tomorrow!

Firstly I would like to thank you for all you are doing at home with your children. Keeping each other safe, well and happy ... and doing as much home learning as suits your family in the current circumstances. Thanks also to those of you who have sent in photos of what you have been getting up to at home. There is now a gallery featuring some of these photos at the top of the Year 3 home learning page. If you are sending me any photos in the future, please let me know if you would prefer them not to go on the website, thank you.

Below are some new suggestions for activities that you may want to complete at home this week. Please do not feel you have to complete all of them! As usual, I have tried to offer a mixture of suggestions, some of which will hopefully suit you and your child. Also, please do not underestimate the amount of learning that happens when children play. Playing is a familiar and safe environment in which children can (consciously or unconsciously) process what is happening at the moment, and should be encouraged no matter what the age of your child.

This week Tutankhamun's life and death.

History

Read or listen to the recording of this biographical information about Tutankhamun and create a timeline of his life with a picture and caption for each major event.

https://www.ducksters.com/history/ancient_egypt/tutankhamun.php

There is lots more information and a variety activities to be found on the museum kid's page:

<https://tutankhamun-london.com/learn-about-tutankhamun-for-kids/>

English

Reading comprehension sheets (more able readers should use sheets with 3 stars, less able those with one star)

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/75th-anniversary-ve-day-reading-comprehension-age-7-11-t-e-2550138>

Keep practising the Year 3 & 4 spellings. <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t2-e-4298-year-3-and-4-common-exception-words-word-mat> and carry on with the SPaG activity sheets on the website.

Please continue to read at home as often as you can, and continue writing your diary of your time at home.

Writing stimulus pictures, changed daily <https://www.pobble365.com/>

Maths

White Rose Maths has online lessons for each day, covering what we would have been doing in school. There is a video that the children can watch explaining the concepts and then questions they can answer.

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-3/>

Links to this week's work sheets and answers are available on the website.

I will continue to open up new activities on the Mathletics website each week. <https://login.mathletics.com/>

Please continue to use the Times Tables Rockstars site as well. <https://ttrockstars.com/>

Science

<http://blog.learningresources.com/diy-earth-day-edible-soil-layers/> - this is instructions to make edible soil - might be a good one to use up any leftover Easter eggs!!

<https://www.stem.org.uk/resources/elibrary/resource/25416/do-try-home> - lots of at home science activities

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zn22pv4> - lots of activities - animations and games linked to animals and humans topic.

PE

PE with Joe Wicks daily.

Mr Chadwick's KS2 video https://youtu.be/hym_WuYzk1A

The Oxfordshire school games website is going live with competitions and challenges for you to try

www.activeoxfordshire.org/school-games

SEN

If your child has special educational needs and is working below the level expected in Year 3, please feel free to access activities from lower years in the Home Learning section on the school website.

Other Useful Websites

Activities across the whole curriculum:

<https://classroomsecrets.co.uk/>

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons>

<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-3/>

Non-screen based activities

I have added 2 resources full of non-screen activities to the Year 3 Home Learning page on the school website.

Weekly Project 3 – Viewpoints

Non-screen activities – from Pobble

If your child has created some work they would like to share, please send any photos to the Year 3 distance learning email: distance.learning3@stockham.oxon.sch.uk

I shall continue to phone each of you on Mondays to say hello and check how you all are – not to check how much work you have been doing! If you miss my call please don't worry, I'll hope to catch up with you the following week. If you have any questions in the meantime, please email office2583@stockham.oxon.sch.uk and your email will be passed onto me.

Stay safe and stay well,

Mrs McNaught

