

Week commencing 27<sup>th</sup> April 2020

Dear Parents and Children,

Here is a list of suggested work for this week. You may prefer to complete these activities in a notebook or on a piece of paper; there is no requirement to print out any sheets. We are looking forward to seeing your work on the Class Dojo page! Remember to upload it onto your 'Portfolio' or send any pictures to us via 'Messages.' If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us and we are more than happy to help you!

### Phonics/Reading

Focus: *Digraphs and Trigraphs*

Firstly, if you would like to access some of our school books online, visit the Oxford Owl website (<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>) and click on 'My Class Login' at the top of the page. The login details are:

#### RY:

username: receptionyellow10

password: stmonicas

#### RG:

username: rg 2020

password: Winston

Go to 'My Bookshelf' and select the age range as 4-5.

### **Activities for the children:**

Play a phonics game online: <http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/phase-4-games.html>

There are daily phonics lessons starting at 10am on Monday, which would be good to follow if you can:

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCP\\_FbjYUP\\_UtldV2K\\_-niWw/featured?disable\\_polymer=1](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCP_FbjYUP_UtldV2K_-niWw/featured?disable_polymer=1)



## Writing

Focus: *Rhyming Words*

- Watch this video with an adult:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nAUdQZ8Xivw>
- Play this educational game to help you with rhyming:  
[http://www.literactive.com/Download/live.asp?swf=story\\_files/washing\\_line\\_rhyme\\_US.swf](http://www.literactive.com/Download/live.asp?swf=story_files/washing_line_rhyme_US.swf)

Activities for the children:

- **Reception Rhyming Sheet**
- **Odd One Out Activity** (find the word which does not rhyme for each strip of words).
- **One Syllable Rhyming Sheet**

## Maths

Focus (a continuation from last week): *Repeating patterns*.

Activities for the children:

- Have a look around the home and garden. Can you find any examples of repeating patterns? Have a go at making your own. Be as creative as you can! (Use this website for some ideas: <https://nrich.maths.org/13362>)
- **Stripy Scarves Repeating Patterns**
- **The Very Hungry Caterpillar Pattern Sheet**
- 'Opening Patterns': <https://nrich.maths.org/8286>

## PE

Activities for the children:

- Have a go at the activities listed on the **Gross Motor Activity Cards**.
- For some mindfulness, try this activity:  
<https://family.gonoodle.com/activities/victorious>



## RE/Art

Focus: *Our topic is called 'From Easter to Pentecost'.*

- Read the account, **Mt 28:1-10**.
- Complete **The Resurrection**, which includes a plan, recount and a word bank to help you with your writing.
- Decorate or make an empty cross to celebrate that Jesus has risen! You may like to use the **Cross Template** or create your own cross using materials at home.

Other faith:

- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April marks the beginning of Ramadan. Watch this video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5pvmUoYNbmU> and visit this website to find out some more information: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpdt/bk/articles/zjc2bdm>

Discuss these questions:

- Can you think of any similarities between Islamic and Catholic beliefs and practices?
- When might we give gifts to each other?
- When do Catholics fast? How is Catholic fasting different?

## Topic

Focus: *People Who Help Us*

Make a poster about doctors and nurses. Include some examples of how they help us.

Have a wonderful week and stay safe,

Miss Freitas and Mrs Presland-Smith