



White Rose Hub

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Dear parents/carers,

In light of the Government notification that we are likely to have to implement social distancing for a prolonged time after Easter, the staff have considered ways to tailor learning more tightly to the curriculum objectives of year groups. Please find information below relating to maths, phonics and reading.

Keep well and look after each other.

With kind regards,

Zoe Avastu

MATHS:

White Rose Hub (WRH) is the scheme of learning objectives we follow at school. They have provided helpful teaching videos for Rec-Y8 for objectives which teachers would be teaching, alongside an activity sheet matched to the lesson (with answers)

There are 5 lessons a week and the lessons/activity sheets are being updated weekly so children can carry on their learning at home. Please access these here:

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/>

We think the WRH lesson & activity will take about 20-30 minutes. If you want your child to do more maths they could then use Mathletics/Times Tables Rock Stars. After Easter holidays we will aim to assign a related task to each year groups WRH lesson on Mathletics too.

PHONICS:

For children in Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and some pupils in KS2 phonics is taught daily. It is here that children develop word reading and spelling skills. Short, frequent sessions with lots of practice supports success.

Read write Inc (RWI) Phonics are sharing free, 10 minute daily teaching videos for each phonic phase. They will show lessons over the Easter holidays too. This would be great for children in KS1 and children in KS2 who are still working on building their word skills. The teaching films can be accessed via YouTube and Facebook – see the link <https://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/>

The film times set out below but the lessons will be available for 24 hours:

- Set 1 Speed Sounds at 9.30 am
- Set 2 Speed Sounds at 10.00 am
- Set 3 Speed Sounds at 10.30 am

RWI are also sharing their Phonic e-books via Oxford Owls too – see the link

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library->

[page/?view=image&query=&type=book&age_group=&level=&level_select=&book_type=&series=Read+Write+Inc.](https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/?view=image&query=&type=book&age_group=&level=&level_select=&book_type=&series=Read+Write+Inc.)

READING:

There are a wide range of fiction/non fiction e-books which can be accessed via Oxford Owls for Rec upwards. You could click on **age** or if you click on **levels** there are several options to find appropriate books. Please adjust the book level, if needed, so the book is suitable for your child – they should be able to read most words to enable them to enjoy the book and understand the story/information.

Letters & Sounds Phase: If your child is in Reception they are likely to be in Phase 3 and moving to Phase 4; if your child is in Y1 they are likely to be in Phase 5; if your child is in Y2 they are likely to be in Phase 6.

Book Band: Look at the colour coding of your child's present book and you will be able to find book of the same colour for your child

See Oxford Owls link: https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/?view=image&query=&type=book&age_group=&level=&level_select=&book_type=&series=#