

Weekly Learning for Year 4

27th April – Weekly Learning

One week project: Medieval Mission

Writing

This week for writing we will be focusing on what an expanded noun phrase is.

Click on the following link to help you understand and revise expanded noun phrases.

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

Check how well you understood the videos by highlighting all the expanded noun phrases within the video.

Top tip! - Look for the noun (person, place or thing) and then find the determiner and the adjective. All these together make an expanded noun phrase.

Challenging- Write a description on your own medieval troll. Use expanded noun phrases to add more detail.

Reading

We hope that you've enjoyed chapters 1 and 2 of The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo. Please head over to your Twiducate blog to hear chapter 3!!



In this chapter, we find out a lot about Bertie. Can you create a character profile/poster detailing what you now know about him? You will have to use your retrieval and inference skills.

Keep Connected



We really have enjoyed seeing all of the work that you have been producing at home. Please do keep in touch with us – even if it's just to say hello!

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Head on over to our Twiducate blogs to catch up with your teachers and your friends!

Mental Health and Well-Being



The brain is made of plastic. True or false?

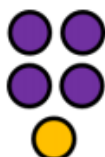
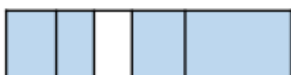
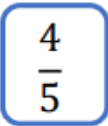
Research about brain plasticity. Draw a brain and explain your findings.

Challenge– Make a comparison to what people knew about the brain in medieval times. How are their findings different?

[There are lots of brilliant activities to support both pupils' and parents' mental health and well-being over on our website. Please do have a look through them each week – they are brilliant!](https://www.lhaines.herts.sch.uk/homelearning)
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Maths

Which representations of $\frac{4}{5}$ are incorrect?



Explain how you know.

Using the diagram, complete the equivalent fractions.



$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{\square}{12} \quad \frac{1}{\square} = \frac{6}{12} \quad \frac{2}{3} = \frac{\square}{12} \quad \frac{5}{12} = \frac{\square}{24}$$

Using the diagram, complete the equivalent fractions.



$$\frac{1}{3} = \frac{\square}{6} = \frac{\square}{12} = \frac{\square}{24}$$

Complete:

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{2}{\square} = \frac{\square}{12} = \frac{4}{\square} = \frac{\square}{100} = \frac{\square}{500}$$

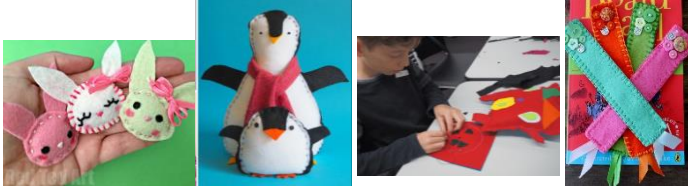


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Sewing is not only a key life skill, but can also be very calming.

Mrs Green is a fantastic seamstress – she even made her own wedding dress! She would like you all to have a go at sewing this week. You could sew buttons back onto garments, create a bookmark or even make your own plush toy out of an old pair of socks.



If you don't have any material, you could practise your stitching on a paper plate.

PSHE – Jigsaw-



This week in jigsaw we will be understanding jealousy in further depth.

Watch this clip -

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YvJvyD4yaWc>

Discuss the following with someone on your network hand:

- What is jealousy?
- What causes jealousy and where does it stem from?
- What are the effects of jealousy on a relationship?
- Have you ever experienced a form of jealousy how did you overcome it?

Look at the situation cards on the next page.

Can you suggest a way forward so that the situation can be resolved? Is there a way to manage jealousy so it doesn't result in unhelpful behaviour?

History



To support you with your troll mission and project this week, we would like you to learn about the Middle Ages or the Medieval Times.

Watch the following video to gain an understanding of the Medieval Times:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yHughcfloZM>

Research the Middle Ages in greater detail using the link below, finding similarities and differences between Britain today and then:

https://www.ducksters.com/history/middle_ages_timeline.php

How might Europe be different if the events of the Middle Ages did not occur?

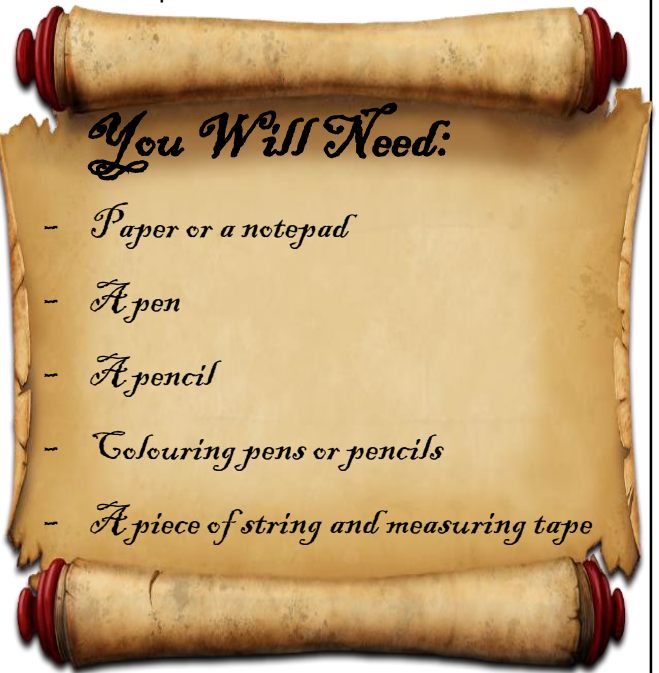
Project – Medieval Mission (Trolls)



You have been tasked with an important and treacherous mission. Only those brave enough to face the dangers of the assignment can enter the castle using the link below:

<https://www.explore-more.org/our-stories/troll-hunter/>

Once you are on the site, please click on chapter 1 and 2 to take part.



Computing



Using the Ducksters website linked in the history box on the left, navigate to the 'Knights and Castles' information pages.

Then, head over to your Purple Mash accounts to find your assigned work for this week. We would like you to publish an information leaflet based around knights and Medieval castles.

Remember to:

- Use headings and subheadings
- Group information into paragraphs
- Include facts (written in your own words – not copied and pasted from somewhere else)
- Use fronted adverbials and conjunctions in your sentence e.g. Despite..., In the Medieval Times..., Before this..., because, as, since
- Include images

Please save your leaflet in your class folder on Purple Mash.

Jigsaw - Situation Cards

Harper wants to go to the school prom with Franky, but Franky has asked Shania.

Zola wants an iPhone. Her older sister has just been given one by their parents.

Jake has studied hard for a test in school. Zac beat him by three marks.

Tonia is always fashionable. Sugi wants to be the same but can't afford the clothes.

Marcus is popular and has a big friendship group. Ahmed wishes he could be the same.

Grace is going to Disney World for her holiday. Jamie isn't going on holiday this year.

Amy usually plays with Becky, but today she wants to play with a different friend.

Olivia always looks good in her selfies. Emily hates taking selfies of herself because she thinks she looks fat.

Jackson is always posting pictures on social media that show him hanging out with a group of cool friends. Caden wishes he could have cool friends to hang out with too.

Mia has a new dog at home. Grayson lives in a flat where pets are not allowed.