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Dear Parent / Carer

Mrs Thomas - Year 5 / Year 6 - week commencing 25th January 2021

In light of the school closures as a result of the Coronavirus Pandemic, we have put together a list of tasks for Week commencing 25th January. It is linked to the work your children have been doing in class so that they can continue with their learning while they are at home. I know it is difficult for some of you to print out sheets to work on so wherever possible I have tried to recreate Word documents so that you are able to work on them and share them with me. You could keep your work in an exercise book if you want. Perhaps one for English/Topic and one for Maths. If parents would like to pick these up from school, please phone and arrange a pick up. Alternatively, for work that is not in Word, you could take a photo and either upload it or email it to me. Please set your work out as you would in class, write a title or Learning Objective and please underline them.

Maths: Multiplication tables – the focus this term is on x6, x7, x9

Maths Facts – continue with learning these important maths facts.

Multiplication/Division Test 3 for Year 5 and Year 6

Mental Maths 3 for Year 5 and Year 6

Time – calculating time intervals using TV programmes and Train timetables

There is a link to a video reminding you of how to use the 'Line' method if you need it and then complete the tasks on the sheets.

Link for the line method:

<https://youtu.be/1O7jpbeF3lY>

Please share your work with me.

Year 6 there are 3 tasks for Group1, Group 2 and Group 3.

Year 5 there are 3 tasks for Group1 and Group 2

English:

Reading: Please continue to read daily, using either school or home books.

I have also uploaded 'First News 761'. There are 2 reading activities for you to do. Task 1 is looking at an article that is interesting to you from the paper. Task 2 is 'UK News'.

Read the text for each one, answer the questions and share your work with me.

Spelling: Year 5 – Set 16 – Spelling Word Exercise

Year 6 – Set 17– Spelling Word Exercise.

- **Descriptive work:** The focus this week is on Holocaust Memorial Day fronted by Tom Palmer. There is an outline for the week and a task for each day. There are five author-led workshop videos and worksheets to guide you through the process of writing your own short story. Each day I will upload a chapter, the video link and the task.

Topic / Science:

'The Earth in Space' Our Solar System'.

There are 3 tasks which are outlined in Teams and the J2easy shared area.

Please complete and share with me.

P.E: Joe Wicks is again streaming daily live workouts at 9am on his You Tube Channel – 'The Body Coach TV'. Have a go at the daily sessions on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Can you challenge yourself to take part in three sessions a week for the duration of 'Lockdown?'

Once completed, please share your work with me by 29th January.

BBC Bitesize has also outlined work for different subject areas for each Year group.

The Oak National Academy have uploaded lots of resources and lessons for all age groups. If you are looking for more to do, log on to <https://www.thenational.academy> and go to online classroom, subject, Key Stage 2, Year 6 or Year 5 and choose between English, Maths or the Foundation subjects. There are lots of interesting lessons on History, Science and language learning.

These tasks will also be outlined in the shared area of J2easy.

I've also created a Class in Teams, where you should also be able to access them.

As usual please email with any queries that you may have.

Stay safe all,

Mrs Thomas – ThomasH260@hwbcymru.net

Other useful links to support learning:

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/adnoddau-cymraeg-welsh-resources/parents-rhieni-wales-cymru/english-medium-parents-rhieni-wales-cymru> (you can create a FREE account)

BBC Bitesize:

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

Primary Resources:

<http://www.primaryresources.co.uk/>

Woodlands Primary School:

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/>

Hwb:

<https://hwb.gov.wales/>

TT Rockstars (times tables practice)

<https://trockstars.com/home>

Jolly Phonics:

<https://www.jollylearning.co.uk/school-closure-support-for-parents/>