

Learning Project WEEK 2 - Area you live in	
Age Range: KS1	
Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)	Weekly Reading Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)
 Work on <u>Numbots</u> - your child will have an individual login to access this. This covers Maths from reception up to the end of Year 2. Well done to those who have already accessed it. Play on <u>The Mental Maths Train Game</u> - practise adding and subtracting. Recognise the place value for numbers up to 99 in this <u>place value basketball game</u>. Create a card game that is based around making number pairs to twenty that can then be played as a family. Identify shapes and finish the patterns in this online <u>game</u>. Can any of these shapes be found around the house? How many of each shape can be found? 	 Reading a variety of books at home. Your child could share a book every day. This can be reading a book aloud every day or sharing a book with an adult. Use the question stems in your reading diary to answer questions about a familiar story. After reading a story, practise orally re-telling it using actions. Watch this video of Pie Corbett demonstrating talk for writing. <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=av</u> <u>1ZyVH2Qpw</u> Watch <u>Newsround</u> and find out what is happening in the world. What did you find out? Is there anything you need help understanding?
• Write the numbers 20 - 50 in words and digits	need neip understanding:
Weekly Phonics/Spellings Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)	Weekly Writing Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

 Ask your child to Imagine that they live in the opposite house. What would they see? Write sentences using a variety of suffixes - ing and adjectives.
• Write your address: Discuss with your
child. Do they know who delivers the post? Share a letter with them and
explore the envelope from the front and back. Can they see any numbers
on the front or back of the envelope? What do they mean? Who is the letter
addressed to? Ask your child to write
 their address on the envelope. Discuss the postcode and any capital letters? Well known addresses: Discuss with your child any well-known addresses of book characters/famous people/
historical figures they may know? e.g. 10 Downing Street, The Post Office, Isle of Struay Katie Morag. This <u>Powerpoint</u> may help.

• Write a letter to the Queen and tell her about the area you live in. Post your letter.

Learning Project - to be done throughout the week: Where do you live?

The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about the area in which they live. Learning may focus on your local area, famous people, key landmarks and links to your city.

To develop knowledge of the location of significant places:

Ask your child to look at where they live. What can they see outside the window in the front of their house? At the back of their house? What could they find near them? Find a map and see if they can find Birmingham. Do they know the name of their street? Can they create a street sign with their street name?

My address: Support your child to find out your address. Can they find the number on your door? Can they write the number in digits and words?. Ask them to try writing the number using crayons and paint. Can they write a postcard or letter to a teacher at school? They could tell their teacher about where they live and things about their local area.

My house: Discuss with your child what their house looks like inside and outside? How many bedrooms does it have? Who has the biggest bedroom? Who has the smallest? Ask them to look outside their window and see if they can spot a house different to their own.

Can they draw their house? How many windows at the front? How many windows at the back? Do you have one door or two? In a special bag - could you (with adult support) place things that make it your home? Why would you pick those items?

Draw a picture of your street. Support your child to take a look at the street and buildings around where they live. Encourage them to think about the shape of the buildings.

Shape hunt: Take your child on a shape hunt around their house and garden. Look at the different shapes of the windows, doors, and houses. Can they name them? Are they 2D or 3D shapes? Ask them to create a picture of their house or street.

Name the shape: Place some 2D or 3D shapes into a bag and play the game 'Can you name the shape?' You will need a partner to play this game. One partner has a **shape** from the shape bag and they stand back to back. The partner with the **shape** describes it to their partner who has to try and draw it. How many do you know?

Find your house on 'Google maps'.

Search for your house on the street? Can you find Birmingham, Erdington, Hall Green, Solihull?

<u>Compass</u>: Make a compass. Do you know what the different compass points mean? Can you label the points?

<u>Create a passport:</u> Create an individual passport to show your own information about where you live. Discuss the use of a Passport. What is a passport? What information does

it contain? What does a passport allow you to do? Can you find a real life passport? Do you have one?

Flag: Below is the Birmingham flag. What do you think the flag represents? Can you design your own flag for your local area? What could you add? What would they mean to you?

Design a cottage - Compare how a cottage is different to your house. Can you make a model of your house and a cottage?

<u>Create a song about 'Where you live' -</u> Can you add your address in your song? <u>Can you find the UK on the map?</u> Can you name the countries? Why do you think the Countries begin with a capital letter? This <u>song</u> may help.

Spanish- We have uploaded the home learning grid on to our website. There is one page with a number of activities for all stages of language learning. Your child will not learn Spanish until Year 2 but they may enjoy accessing the Stage 1 activities. For each language learning stage, we have selected five topics from the Scheme of Work, and within each topic we have put three buttons:

• A is for Activity – this is the QR code sheet on which the children will have six QR codes they can scan and play games using a phone or tablet

K is for Knowledge Organiser – now that the audio has been added, the children can now practise the key vocabulary and phonics for their topic and share it with their family at home

 $^{m O}$ V is for Video – this is a native speaker video that the children can watch, and join in with any activities





<u>Health and wellbeing challenges:</u> On the home learning main page, there is also a new document with health and wellbeing challenges for you and your child to access.

Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

<u>Classroom Secrets Learning Packs</u> - These packs are split into different year groups and include activities linked to reading, writing, maths and practical ideas you can do around the home. <u>Twinkl</u> - to access these resources click on the link and sign up using your own email address and creating your own password. Use the offer code UKTWINKLHELPS.

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