

Monday 22nd February

Good morning Y5! Welcome back. We hope you had a wonderful half term.

There is a whole school assembly this morning. To watch the assembly please follow this link.

<https://www.brixington.devon.sch.uk/assemblies-and-whole-school-challenges/>

Today's learning will be.....

Key skills (everyday tasks)

Practise your times tables - using TT-rockstar or another way if you prefer

Read a book for at least 20mins. If you have completed a book, you can log on to Accelerated Reader and see if there is a quiz available.

<https://ukhosted88.renlearn.co.uk/2236370>

You will need to use the username and password that you normally use in school.

Practise this week's spellings - physical, symbol, system

These are spellings from the Y5/6 spelling list that follow this rule: they contain a short 'i' spelt y

Can you think of any other words that follow this rule?

Word of the day- legend. What does the word mean? Can you use it in a sentence? Can you find synonyms (words or phrases that mean the same thing)?

English- We are looking at asking questions in today's literacy session. It would be useful if you could have the document 'Artefacts' opened whilst watching today's session (don't worry if you are using a device where you can't watch a video and see the document at the same time). The talk to the hand questions model is also saved on the website for you to use today. Please watch the Loom video for today's session:

<https://www.loom.com/share/c979b707b8a44320816949cafcfde55e>

Reading- This week we will be looking at the book 'Mirror' by Jeannie Baker.

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/to-introduce-the-text-and-author-6ww32e>

Spelling- We are going to be learning about adding suffixes to words ending in 'fer'. Please look at the words on the website and sort them according to your own criteria. What do you notice about the words? What do you notice about the root word and suffix? Keep these ideas you have noticed for tomorrow's lesson.

Maths- Today we are going to re-visit some of the skills you have learnt so far in maths. Please watch the video and then choose one of the tasks on the website. The Practice task is for children who may not be so confident with the learning and need more practice; the challenge task is for children who absolutely think they have understood everything in the video.

<https://www.loom.com/share/896d4e860d1e4c6fbffbcee52e260834>

PE- Please follow the link to a Joe wicks (body coach) session. The aim is to help build our upper body and core strength ready for using apparatus in gymnastics when you come back to school! We need strong upper body and core strength to hold ourselves up and rotate/move on the apparatus. **PE**
[With Joe 2021 | Friday 12th Feb](#)

History - Please research an area about the Ancient Maya Civilisation that interests you. This might be the gods, food, religion, celebrations, warriors, battles, masks, life as a child etc. Please present this research to a high Year 5 standard ready for a display in school. Please ensure that it is no longer than one piece of A4. If you choose to write your research up, please ensure that it is in your beautiful school handwriting. You may type your research onto an A4 piece instead. It can be a

combination of images/ drawings but please make sure there is plenty of writing to support the research.

Zoom sessions today:

Remember there is a Class Zoom session at 11:30am today.

The 2pm Zoom help session will be run by Mrs Batten today.

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