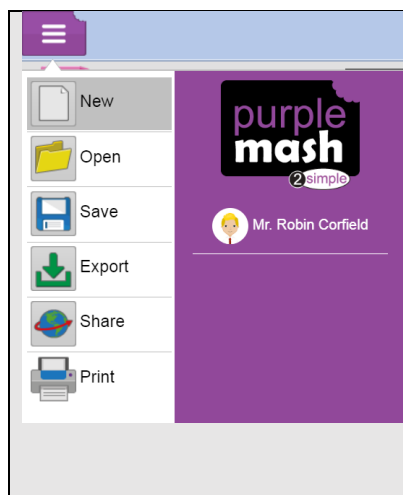




Year 2 Suggested Home Learning Tasks

Week 4

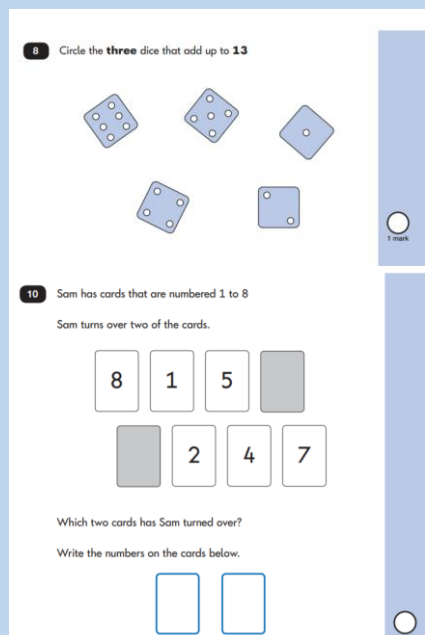
Week beginning
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Hello again and I hope that you had as good an Easter as possible! Again, I want to say a big thank you to all of the children who have been handing in their work on Purplemash! There is some great learning going on in many different ways at home, but work that is done on Purplemash can be shared with your teacher and your class! If you have had or are having any problems logging in please contact the school – we can text you their usernames and passwords using the school text system!

Here are some more activities that are suitable for Year 2 pupils to try at home. There are also many other online resources and things that you have about the house which will help you to learn too! I highly recommend the Maths Factor with Carol Vorderman! This online tutoring used to be £2 per week, but is now free, however it does take a couple of days for you to register and then use it!

Maths KS1 Maths tasks!



To develop a range of areas of mathematics it might be useful to try one of the KS1 Maths tasks. These are the activities that children would use if they were doing their Maths SATs and it is something we have introduced to children in Year 2 and would be looking at in more detail at this time of year.

There are lots of past papers on the Government website - all free to download. You cannot complete them online but you can read them together and answer the questions together!

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/key-stage-1-tests-2019-mathematics-test-materials>

Why not try some of the paper 1 arithmetic tasks! Paper 2 tests our reasoning skills and the questions have a lot more writing and context. There will be lots that the children will have forgotten about or not yet covered in class! They were only half way through the year! But any help you can give the children will help prepare them for when they do come back to school! You can also get help on the topics they found hard by using The Maths Factor with Carol Vorderman! I registered last week and there are lots of videos, tutorials, games and activities that will help!

Reading Audible



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Writing - Story writing




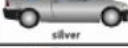
Finish this story to make an amazing adventure! You can illustrate it too!



'I couldn't believe my eyes when I woke up and saw a space rocket in my front garden!'

Can you carry on this story to describe your own fantasy journey?
Where did you go?
What did it look like?
What was the weather like?
Did you meet anyone?
Did you have any problems along the way?
How did you find your way back home?

Topic Traffic survey!

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 blue	
 yellow	
 silver	

Make a traffic survey about the cars, vehicles or pedestrians that go past your house!

You need to make a simple table like the one shown and then decide what you are going to look out for. If you are by a busy road you may add trucks, vans or lorries to the list, but if your road is quieter then change the list so that you add pedestrians, dog walkers, bikes or cars!

Choose the time that you are going to record the survey for and every time traffic goes past, add a tally in the correct place.

You could try this at different times or on different days to see what differences there are!

As an extension, you could show what you have found out by turning your data into a bar chart, pictogram or block graph! This can be done on purplemash.

www.purplemash.com/#app/tools/2graph

Science – Make a boat!



Why not make a toy boat that floats?

Try to use recycled items from around the house, like washing up liquid bottles, cardboard boxes etc. BUT be careful to choose the right materials! You don't want the boat to sink. Every boat needs a name too!

Now make it into an investigation! How much weight can it hold before it starts to sink? Add small items such as bricks, lego or even fruit! When it starts to sink you can measure how much weight you added! Take a photo or draw and label a picture to show what happened scientifically!



Log onto Purple Mash and complete any activities set by your teachers.

<https://www.purplemash.com/sch/stowlawn>

If you can't find your username or password – please contact the school



Log onto TTRS and improve your multiplication skills.

<https://www.trockstars.com>

If you can't find your username or password – please contact the school



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Remember to keep safe online.

If you see something that makes you feel worried or upset, tell your parents or carers.

