

Year 1

GGA HOME LEARNING ACTIVITIES – WHAT WE MEAN

Below are some ideas for what could count for the different areas of home learning, but every household is different, as is every child. You, as parents will know what works best for your child, so feel free to add in different things that will suit your children...have fun!

We would ask that children try to complete at least 2 boxes from the green area of their home learning chart every day, but beyond that, how you create targets etc is over to you!

If you would like to photograph the chart each week and email it to the teacher (with or without your child holding it), that would be great as a way of them keeping in touch with what the children are up to.

WRITING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity from teachers • Activity from Audible story • Letters to relatives / friends • Journal / diary entry • Writing own stories / books • Writing instructions for recipes • https://literacytrust.org.uk/resources/early-years-activities-cbeebies-magazine-resource/ CBeebies programme based resources • Dream Big at Home resources (KS1)
READING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listening to story on Audible set by teachers • Reading own story books • Shared reading with an adult • Morning story: https://www.worldofdavidwalliams.com/elevenses/ • https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/ • https://www.worldbookday.com/
PHONICS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds • https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/ - There are lots of games on here, I would recommend the phase 3, 4 & 5 games. • https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5f9v0bDyww0UKk1EQ/videos - the phonics full circle games are great for a short burst of phonics. • https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/ - This is a paid app however it is free if you use a laptop. I would recommend the champion reader level for Year 1. • Each day on Instagram is a live phonics video @creative.kids.play there are 3 different time slots for each different phase. I would recommend phase 3 for a recap of the sounds we have already learnt and phase 5 for new sounds.
MATHS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maths activities set by teachers • Maths in home learning packs • Maths websites recommended by teachers – or own choice • https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/ • https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/maths/ The Oxford owl website has many different maths activity ideas. If you sort by year group and select Year 1 there are many different maths ideas and some ideas of how you could incorporate maths into daily life at home. • Practical maths – weighing, measuring etc
TIMES TABLES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number bond and counting practice: https://www.mathplayground.com/number_bonds_20.html • https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button • Rolling numbers practice- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jf2BHUSbt_Y&t=46s
SPANISH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mrs Langley's online lessons

ART /CRAFT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.tate.org.uk/kids • https://theartyteacher.com/loo-roll-art-challenge/ • Art projects with the family • https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/makes • https://www.activityvillage.co.uk/crafts
SPORT /PE/DANCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joe Wicks PE session • 60 second challenges : https://www.youthsporttrust.org/free-home-learning-resources-0 • Sadler’s Wells ballet dance workshops https://www.youtube.com/user/sadlerswells • Trampolining • Skipping • Other sport activities
OUTDOOR LEARNING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LTL activities https://www.ltl.org.uk/parents/ • https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/trees-woods-and-wildlife/animals/ The woodland trust has lots of nature detective sheets to help you identify plants and animals.
MUSIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mrs McKee’s weekly lesson • Music / singing workshops on YouTube • Practising an instrument
COOKING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • helping to bake a cake • helping to cook a meal
GARDENING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weeding • Planting
HELPING ROUND THE HOUSE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dusting /polishing • Tidying • Anything else the adult considers help!
CYCLING / WALKING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily exercise out of the house going for a walk or bike ride
Blank box	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is for anything else you think counts towards your child’s home learning activities