

## Year 2's Home Learning Letter 21.05.20

Hi-de-Hi Campers! (this is totally a reference for your parents!) Hope you are continuing to have a good week. We've been busy in Casa Warlando baking again. Chocolate cupcakes this time. I like seeing photos of your creations but I don't always enjoy being told you haven't saved me any! Keep sending me your work to [year2teacher@kingsapps.co.uk](mailto:year2teacher@kingsapps.co.uk) Your smiley faces and hard work really is making me so proud of everything you are achieving Year 2. ☺

### Spelling:

fair	ness
sad	
kind	
tidy	
lovely	
silly	
nasty	
happy	
fit	

This week's spelling sentence is: In **fairness**, I am always happy when there is much **excitement**.

We are looking at the suffixes '-ness' and '-ment'. Firstly, use the grid to add the suffix to the words eg fair + ness = fairness. Then practise that word in a way you enjoy. This can be pyramid writing, rainbow writing, chalk, paint or in your books.

**Challenge:** What do you notice about the words that end in 'y'?

*Remember: Your sentence is always on Spelling Shed so you can play some games too if you want to.*

**Reading:** Today I'd like you to do 15 minutes reading either with an adult or on your own. Make sure you pop in your reading diary the book, the pages and any comments you have. Remember you can log on to Bug Club or head over to [www.oxfordowl.co.uk](http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk) for extra books if you need some.

### Writing:



Here is Cyril. Today I would like you to write a description of him. Use adjectives carefully to explain what he looks like. You can also describe the tree he lives in and how his feelings change through the story.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b45BR6MtbCA&t=17s>

Remember to use our commas – adjective comma adjective noun eg *He has a huge, bushy tail.*

### Handwriting:

This week, we are looking back at The Fisher Family. Today, I've got some words for you. Practise each one three times in your book. Take care to start at Skip's branch and snuggle your letters close to each other.

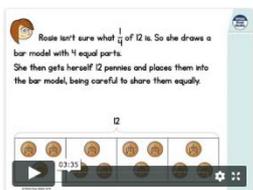
frog jelly yes jug jiffy



Can you make up a silly sentence using some of these words?

**Maths:** Head to <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/>

Lesson 5 - Find a quarter



**Step 1:** Scroll down the page to **Week 1** and watch the video for 'Find a Quarter' – this is **Lesson 5**.

**Step 2:** Complete the 'Get the Activity' task by clicking on the right hand side. If you don't have the facility to print this, don't worry. Can you find quarter of these numbers?

20 12 16 8 24

*Remember to draw the arrays as shown in the video. You can also collect some different items to sort into groups.*

**Step 3:** Eva has 20 eggs. She circles four of them and says "I have  $\frac{1}{5}$  because I have 4 marbles." Do you agree? Explain why.

### Wider curriculum:

**Science:** Today I'd like you to investigate for me. I found a website called The World's Best Paper Aeroplane but it had lots of different types on there. So my question to you is: Which one really is the best? Create some paper aeroplanes and set up an investigation – maybe see which one flies furthest. Test them out and report back to me! You can head here for inspiration if you need it:

<https://www.artofmanliness.com/articles/how-to-make-the-worlds-best-paper-airplanes/>

**Art:** Children's illustrator Rob Biddulph has released a series of videos where he teaches you how to draw some of the characters from his books. I really like the monkey drawing – apparently I'm a bit like a monkey! Check them out here: <http://www.robbiddulph.com/draw-with-rob> and see if you can join in with one.

