

# **Gig Mill Primary School**

Together we care, together we succeed

### Year 1 – Week 7 – Weekly Activities

#### Topic (Health and Wellbeing/PSHE)

What can you remember about the seaside? Have you ever been to the beach? Would you like to go to a beach? Although the beach is a fun place, you must stay safe. What do you think it means to stay safe at the beach and can you come up with some rules you think people should follow in order to stay safe?



Can you create a poster about staying safe at the beach? Remember to include key rules and safety advice on your poster.

# **Science** (Experiment)



Did you know the sea has salt in? This week we would like you to carry out a science experiment with a bit of help from a grown up.

What do you think will happen if you put

salt into water? Have a think and write a prediction. Next, put a teaspoon of salt on a small plate, add just enough water to cover the salt (you don't need much), what happens?

Then leave your plate by the window for a couple of days. When you come back to it what have you noticed?

#### Maths

#### Fluency

This week we are focusing on the 2 times table. Can you say it forwards and backwards? What items can you find in your house that comes in pairs? Can you count them?



#### Challenge

What numbers come in both the 2 and 5 times table?

#### Oak Academy - Week 8

Complete the tasks given over the week. One lesson per day.

#### Challenge



Can you make a clock? You could draw a clock, use sticks and stones, use chalk or use toys as the different numbers.

Remember that you need 12 numbers and two hands. What times can you create on your clock?

## Computing

Linking with our topic work about staying safe on the beach, we would like you to have a go at the follow game on Purple Mash. Click on **Purple Mash**, in the search bar type in **Summer Clothes**. What clothes do you wear to stay safe in the summer?

#### **English**

# Oak Academy - Week 8

Complete the tasks given over the week.

One lesson per day

### Challenge

Can you see how many real words you can come up with that contain the diagraphs: 'wh', 'th', 'ph', 'ch'.

#### Phonics

Letters and sounds – practise various sounds using this <u>link</u>.

Create your own aliens – can you create your own aliens using the above sounds? How many different aliens can you come up with?

We would like you to read or listen to a story for at least 20 minutes a day. Here are some ideas below.



The Highway Rat – watch this story. Can you create a wanted poster for the Highway Rat, listing his name, what he looks like and his crimes? Can you

write a book review of the Highway Rat? What did you like/dislike about the story, and why?

# Story time

Can you or someone in your family come up with a story and share it with each other. Where did the story take place? Who were the characters?

# Wellbeing (Sense of Community & Being Proud)

In our topic Turrets and Tiaras we learnt about Dudley Castle. Did you know that Dudley Castle is celebrating its 950<sup>th</sup> birthday this year? The castle was originally built in the year 1070 just a

few years after the Norman Conquest in 1066. It survived



until 1750 when a 3-day long fire destroyed the castle and left us with the ruin that we have today. Dudley Castle is a huge part of our local history and a special place to be proud of. Why not join in the fun of celebrating 950 years of Dudley Castle and add your art-work, photographs and models to the virtual exhibition that has been organised as part of the celebration? You can find out more information here.

Final date to submit entries is **11**<sup>th</sup> **July 2020** and every entry has a chance of winning a family ticket to Dudley Zoo & Castle.

#### PΕ

This week we would like you to turn into the teacher. Remember some of the games we play in PE or you can make some up. Teach someone in your house how to play a PE game of your choice.