

Hello Year 5!



Below you'll find a few activities to keep you busy at home over the next week. You might need a bit of help from someone at home to get started with each one, but you'll soon pick it up.

If you would like to share with your teacher what you've been up to, you can add a message, picture or video to your Portfolio on Class Dojo or email them at [kestrel@kingsway.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:kestrel@kingsway.gloucs.sch.uk) or [owl@kingsway.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:owl@kingsway.gloucs.sch.uk). We love seeing what you are doing.

Remember if you want to push yourself for that extra challenge, try one of the activities in the challenge box.

Have fun! We'll update this page with a few more activities each week.

Year 5 Teachers

Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Try to make sure you read as often as you can. It doesn't have to be a book, it could be a newspaper, comic, website page. Record what you have read in your home reading record.</li> <li>Go to Purple Mash and log in. Continue to read the book you started <b>from Serial Mash</b>. Complete the follow up activities after reading each chapter. If you finish you can start a new book.</li> <li>Like the Percy Jackson stories? Go to <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zkmkd6f">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zkmkd6f</a> and Listen to Stephen Fry read extracts from the book. You might also like to have a go at answering the questions.</li> </ul>
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Watch the clip 'A Cloudy Lesson' at <a href="https://www.literacyshed.com/cloudylesson.html">https://www.literacyshed.com/cloudylesson.html</a>. Then choose <b>one</b> of these activities to have a go at:             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write the dialogue between the two characters. Remember to include speech punctuation (including the comma between speaker and what is being said) and that a new speaker goes on a new line.</li> <li>Go cloud spotting outside - what shapes can you spot in the sky? Use similes and metaphors to describe them e.g. a cloud chasing another like a puppy across the sky.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
Spelling Punctuation and Grammar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Visit <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zmfc7ty/articles/z6cxxycc">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zmfc7ty/articles/z6cxxycc</a> to learn about the use of colons and semi-colons.</li> <li>Go to Purple Mash and log in. Find '2Do - Flora's Trouble' to check your understanding of the use of colons, semi-colons and dashes.</li> </ul>
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Times Tables Rock Stars - can you help win the battle?</li> <li>Log into Purple Mash where you will find '2Do:- and + up to 1000' What is the highest score you can get?</li> <li>Work through the tasks in <b>Can DO Maths 5.10</b> throughout the week - do a task or 2 each day</li> </ul>
Topic/DT	<p><b><u>Ancient Greeks</u></b> <b><u>Greek Architecture</u></b></p> <p>Ancient Greeks had a unique style of architecture that is still copied today in government buildings and major monuments throughout the world. Greek architecture is known for tall columns, intricate detail, symmetry, harmony, and balance. The Greeks built most of their temples and government buildings in three types of styles: Doric, Ionic, and Corinthian.</p> <p><b>Task:</b> What can you find out about Greek Architecture? How are the three styles Doric, Ionic, Corinthian different? Can you find examples around the UK today that use the Greek style?</p> <p><a href="https://www.historyforkids.net/ancient-greek-architecture.html">https://www.historyforkids.net/ancient-greek-architecture.html</a> <a href="https://greece.mrdonn.org/columns.html">https://greece.mrdonn.org/columns.html</a></p> <p><b>Extension:</b> Sketch or create a model of a building showing Greek architecture?</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div>
Computing	<p>Go to Purple Mash and log in. Find '2 Do: <b>Online Safety Team quiz</b>' in your alerts (the purple bell) and test your understanding of knowledge about communicating with others online.</p>
Physical fitness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Try out some of the PE videos at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLYGRaluWWT0jV3An2WEgsQ4qGFy_91jDL">https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLYGRaluWWT0jV3An2WEgsQ4qGFy_91jDL</a></li> <li>Create a new game that you can play in your garden, it could be based on cricket, football, hockey or any other sport. Perhaps you could even write down the instructions and rules for your game and send them to us so others can try to play them.</li> </ul>

Mental wellbeing	<p>Perhaps try one of these activities to help you manage your mental wellbeing this week:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use a worry jar to write down any worries you have. Find a jar or any container (decorate it if you like) and then on pieces of paper write down any worries you have and put them in. If you haven't got a spare jar, you could use this sheet and write your worries on. <a href="https://www.partnershipforchildren.org.uk/uploads/Files/PDFs/Resilience%20Activities/Worry%20Jar.pdf">https://www.partnershipforchildren.org.uk/uploads/Files/PDFs/Resilience%20Activities/Worry%20Jar.pdf</a></li> <li>• Sing and dance along to a favourite song.</li> <li>• Watch a film with some popcorn.</li> </ul>
Challenge box	<p><b>Reading:</b> Use your VIPERS skills to complete the reading comprehension titled Find Me.</p> <p><b>Maths:</b> Use your multiplication and division skills to try one of the tasks at <a href="https://nrich.maths.org/13788">https://nrich.maths.org/13788</a> This one called Zios and Zepts <a href="https://nrich.maths.org/1005">https://nrich.maths.org/1005</a> will certainly get your brain working!</p> <p><b>Writing:</b> Use the picture (the spooky wood) to write your sentences and then rearrange to put into a fabulous paragraph or 2. Have a look at this blog if you need some help or reminders <a href="https://www.literacyshedblog.com/dadwavers/dadwavers">https://www.literacyshedblog.com/dadwavers/dadwavers</a></p>

Extra Resources if you need them:

- BBC Bitesize are still conducting 150 new lessons every week to keep you on track with your learning.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/znbnscw>

-Oak National Academy, backed by DfE is providing 180 video lessons each week across a broad range of subjects for each year group.

<https://www.thenational.academy/>

Supermovers - KS2 active learning songs.

A site with both Maths and English based quizzes which are marked as you go along. <http://www.educationquizzes.com/ks2/maths/>

Activities to reinforce and practise a range of spelling rules. <http://www.keystage2literacy.co.uk/spellings-menu.html>