

Apple and Koa Classes Home Learning Year 2

Thursday 30th April 2020

Dear Year 2 families,

Thank you for sharing your wonderful work, I have loved seeing them and I really look forward to opening my emails every morning. It is the highlight of my day! Keep up the good work Koa and Apple Class! Remember, you can send us an email just to say "hello", we would love to hear from you. Please use our class emails.

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Here are the next 3 activities this week.

- In Topic, you could make a shoebox rainforest model showing the 4 layers of the rainforest (Emergent, Canopy, Understorey and Forest Floor). Decorate with your own home-made plants and the animals that live there. There are lots of good examples on the internet to give you some ideas. If you can't find a shoebox, any box will do. You will need some art materials for this activity. Be creative with your model, have fun!

Extension : You could write some 'wow' facts about the Amazon rainforest on the outside of the box. You can use 'Did you know...?' sentence starters, like Professor Know It All.
- In English, you can write some 'wow' facts about the Amazon rainforest. You can use our 'Professor know-it-all' sentences starters e.g. 'Did you know...?', 'Have you ever wondered...?' 'It is believed that...' 'An amazing fact is...' You will need to use the internet for this activity. You could either record your facts in your homework book or write them on the outside of your shoebox rainforest model.

Extension: Learn some of these 'wow' facts and then go and tell a member of your family. They will be very impressed!

Simplification: You can draw a picture about a 'wow' fact you have learned.
- In Maths, we have to tell the time in 5 minute intervals. Have you practised counting round the clock in 5s from 0 to 60? **You** need to recognise that once the minute hand gets past 6 the time becomes 'to' the next hour, rather than 'past' the hour. E.g. Twenty TO five. Practise telling the time in 5 minute intervals. Use the minute and hour hands to show minutes 'past' or 'to' the hour. Your adult can call out 5 minute interval times for you to show on your clock you made in week 1. If you haven't done moving hands on your clock last week, you can use 2 lolly sticks of different lengths one for the minute hand and the other for the hour hand or straws, pens/pencils, or anything else you can find around the house. You don't have to stick these on, as long as they can move them around the clock face.

Extension: Are there any other way to say 15 past/to and 30 past/to? Where will the minute hand be at _____? Where will the hour hand be at _____? How do we know whether it is a 'past' or a 'to' time?

Simplification: Focus on 5 minutes 'past' times only.

Enjoy your activities!
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