

Tulip and Birch Class Home Learning Challenges for Monday 1st July



Hi Year 1, I hope you enjoyed the half term break.

Our new topic is **Amazing Animals**. In science, we are going to look at different animal groups such as mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians and fish.

This week, let's start off by looking at mammals. Mammals are animals that usually have fur, give birth to live young (they don't lay eggs), produce milk to feed their young, are warm blooded and breathe air through their lungs. Although we don't have fur, we have hair on our bodies and we are mammals too!

In Science, can you make a poster of different mammals and label their special features. For example, an elephant is a mammal. Its special feature is its trunk. It uses it to suck up water like a straw to put into its mouth. It is also used for touching and moving things. Elephants also have special skin, ears and tusks. Can you find out why they are special too.

Challenge: Can you find out some fascinating facts about your different mammals. What about where in the World they live?



In Maths, we are going to practise telling the time to half past the hour. This means the minute hand has travelled half way around the clock from 12 to 6 and the hour hand is half way between the hours.

First, make your clock. You could use a paper plate (or draw around a plate) and then cut out some hands. Remember the hour hand is short and the minute hand is longer. Use a pin with a rubber/ Blu tack at the back or a paper fastener to secure your hands and allow them to move. Ask someone at home to tell you times to make on your clock. Can you show half past 3? Do you know what half past midnight would be?



The time is
half past ____



The time is
half past ____

Challenge: Either using the clock templates or drawing your own clocks – show different half past times.

In English, we are starting to look at Fantasy World settings. Books that use fantasy world settings include: 'Where the Wild Things Are' by Maurice Sendak, 'Mungo and the Spiders from Space' by Timothy Knapman, 'Who are You, Stripy Horse' by Jim Helmore and Karen Wall. The characters either travel to another world, space etc, meet monsters, aliens or other creatures. They themselves might be fantastical like the characters in Toy story and have an adventure.

All the above books are available to listen to on YouTube. Pick some to enjoy listening to. If you don't have access to YouTube, look through your books and find the ones with fantasy world settings to read.

Challenge: Can you make your own fantasy world in a shoe box? Think about the setting, your character and any creatures you might meet. Don't forget to give your world a name!

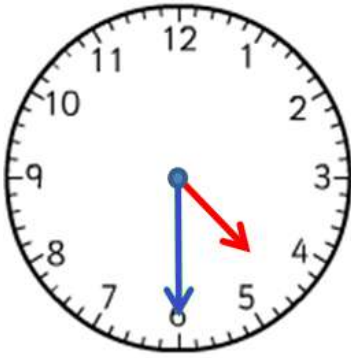
Have a great week,

Mrs Vitty and I are looking forward to seeing some of you back at school soon. For those of you that are continuing to stay at home we look forward to seeing your home learning emails.

Please continue to take care,

Best Wishes, Miss Trayer and Mrs Vitty

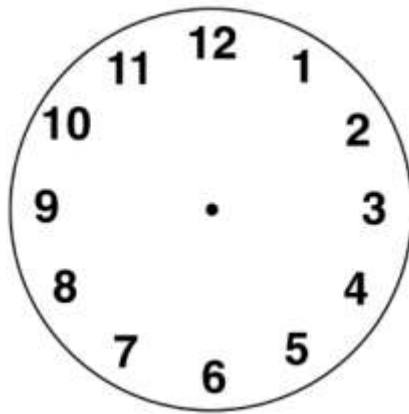
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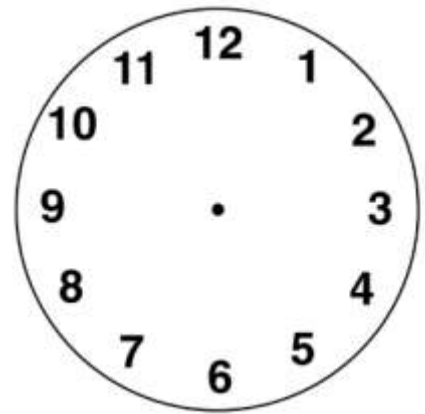
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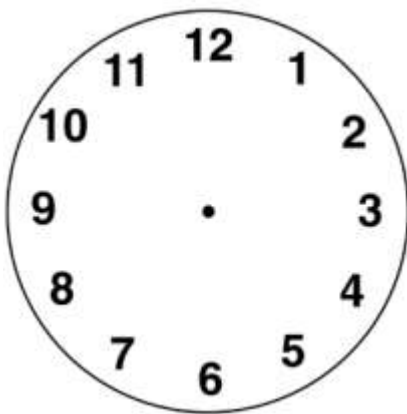
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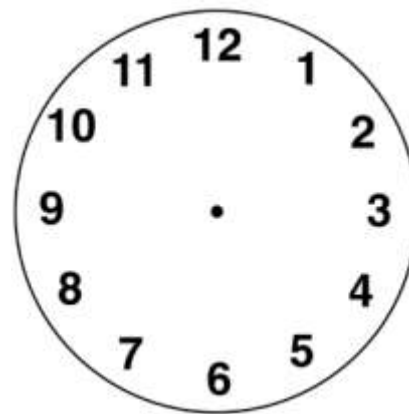
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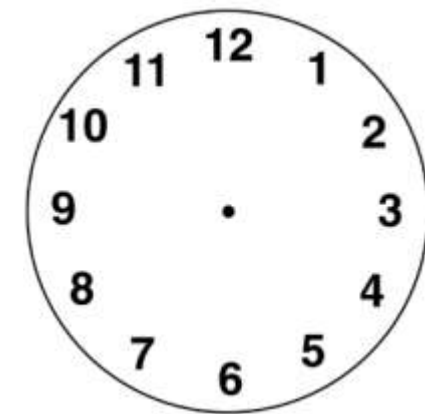
half past 3



half past 11



half past 2



half past 6