



Year Group Year Two		Week commencing	29 th June 2020			
Our current topic theme is Street Detectives.						
1	Draw a map/plan of your house. You could look at how any local estate agents do this for some ideas.					
2	Create your own travel brochure about Sawley. What can you see in Sawley? What can you do?					
3	Make a model compass with a moveable compass needle to practise compass directions.					
Online Activitie s	Locate Sawley Infant and nursery School. Create your own version of this map of school. <u>https://www.google.com/maps/place/Sawley+Nursery+School/@52.8834862,-</u> <u>1.3004218,304m/data=!3m1!1e3!4m5!3m4!1s0x0:0xc3c3e6169dbd6790!8m2!3d52.883</u> <u>4143!4d-1.2987475</u> Purple Mash (Log on details in child's planner): Old and new homes <u>https://www.purplemash.com/#app/pup/oldandnewhomes</u>					
Reading						
1	Read the story of Shooting Stars sheet (see below) and answer the comprehension questions (see below).					
2	Complete the Fearless Four Reading Activity (see below).					
3	Write a new blurb for the book you are reading by making it sound as exciting as you can.					
Online	Lexia (Log on details in child's planner)					
Activitie s	Bug Club (Log on details in child's planner)					
		W	riting			
1	 Re-read one of your favourite stories, then write an alternative ending. ★Shimmer★ – Use adjectives for description. ★★Sparkle★★ – Use adjectives and commas in a list. ★★Shine★★★ – Use speech marks for speech. 					
2	Complete the using verbs activity (see below), can you rewrite the sentences using your best handwriting joins?					
3	Research what it means to have a growth mindset. Think back to our learning about Power Statements and our sessions with Tamba Roy! ★Shimmer★ – Write up five key growth mindset facts that you find through your research. ★★Sparkle★★ – Create a poster showing what it means to have a growth mindset. ★★Shine★★★ – Using paragraphs, explain how you've demonstrated a growth mindset.					
Online Activitie	https://www.pobble365.com/the-king-of-winter/ Complete one of the writing activities: Story starter, sentence challenge, question time, sick sentence or perfect picture.					
S	Listen to a free story on audible <u>https://stories.audible.com/start-listen</u> Can you create a story board to show what happened.					
Phonics/ Spelling						
1	Complete the activities on the SPAG mat (see below).					
2	Complete the compound word activity sheet (see below).					





3	Practise spelling the common exception words by typing them 10 times on a computer or tablet. Use different font and colours.					
	Spellodrome					
Online Activities	Spelling Frame: Common Exception Words https://spellingframe.co.uk/spelling-rule/139/35-Common-exception-words					
Mathematics						
1	Complete the shimmer, sparkle and shine challenge mats (see below).					
2	 Make/find a dice. Roll it 30 times. Each time record the number shown as a Tally chart. ★ Shimmer ★ - Which number is the most popular? ★ ★ Sparkle ★ ★ - What is the difference between the most/least common number? ★ ★ Shine ★ ★ ★ - Can you draw a pictogram to show the data? 					
3	Make a fruit cocktail at home that is 100ml in total. What ingredients are you putting into the cocktail? Record your recipe using the correct units of measure. How did it taste? Would you change the amounts of each ingredient to improve it?					
Online Activities	Mathletics (Log on details in child's planner)					
	TT Rockstars (Log on details in child's planner)					
Half Term Topic Challenge Homework						
Remember you could complete one of the challenges on our Street Detectives home learning grid.						





Shooting for the Stars

Our Planet

We live on planet Earth, which is one of eight planets in our solar system. All of the planets in our solar system rotate (spin around) and it takes Earth one whole day to spin around once on its axis.



Around 70% of the Earth's surface is covered in water, which includes the seas, oceans, rivers and lakes. The water on our planet is a mixture of salt and fresh water.

The other 30% of the Earth's surface is covered in land. This includes all of the mountains, valleys and deserts that can be found around the world. Many of these areas are inhabited (lived on) by people but there are still some remote areas that are untouched by humans.

Our Solar System

The Sun is at the centre of our solar system. Our solar system is believed to have formed around 4.6 billion years ago! The eight planets orbit (travel around) the Sun, some closer to the Sun than others.



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Earth is the third closest planet to the Sun.

The planet nearest to the Sun is Mercury, which is very hot. 🌉

The planet furthest from the Sun is Neptune, the coldest planet in the solar system.

Shooting for the Stars

The Moon

The Moon is a natural satellite that orbits the Earth. It has a massive impact on our planet as it controls the tides in our oceans.

Astronauts have been fascinated by the Moon for many years. Several missions have taken place to travel to the Moon, the first of these being in 1969, when Apollo 11 landed on the surface

of the Moon. Astronauts Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin were the first people to ever set foot on the Moon. They walked on the surface, conducted some experiments and planted a flag. Footprints



Scientists are still investigating whether there is water on the surface of the Moon. Water is essential in order for plants and animals to live and grow. If enough water was found on the Moon, plants could possibly grow and people may be able to visit or even live there! However, this would be a very long way in the future.

	Questions	Shooting for the Stars			
1. What does the word 'rotate' mean? Circle one.					
turn upside down	flip over	spin around			
2. What is 70% of the Earth's surface covered with? Circle one.					
soil	water	sand			
3. When did our solar system form? Circle one.					
4.6 billion years ago	4.6 million years ago	4.6 years ago			
4. What does the Moon control?					

5. Name two things that Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin did on the Moon.

If you were an astronaut heading to the Moon, what would you like to do when you got there? Why?



Possible activities during school closures

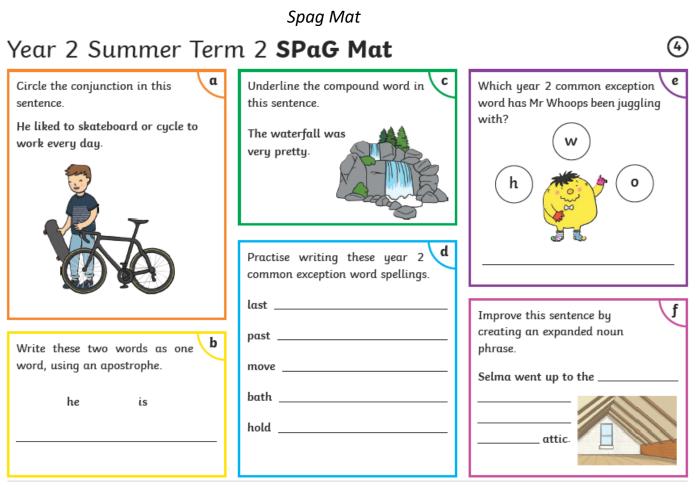
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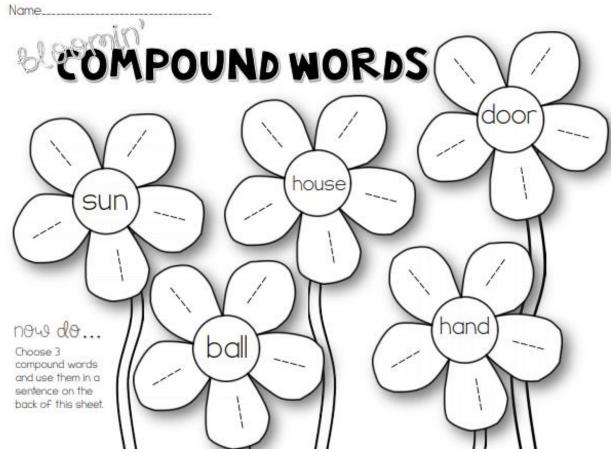


Quick Questions The Fearless Four 7 Her powers are known throughout the land, 1. Which superhero has breath 'as hot as the 13 She can create a snowy swirl, scorching sun'? 19 She freezes the sunniest villain's heart, 25 Her name is Blue Ice Girl! 2. Think of another word or phrase that the poet could have used in this line: 'His breath is as hot 34 His breath is as hot as the scorching sun, αs...' 40 His hair is one big flame, 48 He saves the day with his sizzling ways, 53 Fire Boy is his name! 3. Why might you not know that Transparent Man is there? 61 She appears like a bolt from the night, 68 And some say that she is frightening, 76 But she'll rescue you with an electric flash, 81 She's known as Lady Lightning! What kind of emergency might you call one of the Ferocious Four to help you with? 89 You might not know that he is there, 95 But he always has a plan, 100 Being invisible is his game, 104 He is Transparent Man! **Using Verbs** Complete these sentences using these verbs. ate chased watched stopped got ran read rode jump rained climbed flooded flew missed disappeared 1. The dog _ the cat. 2. Rana ______ for the bus but she _ it anyway. 3. Kuba ______ a chocolate ice cream. 4. I ______a scary film and it made me ______! _____ and a lot of people _____ out on the fifth floor. 5. The lift _____ 6. Kareena _____ her book and then _____ her bike. 7. It ______ so much last night that the garden was ____ It was very late by the time Jack ______ into bed. 9. The bird ______ high in the sky and soon ______ from sight.











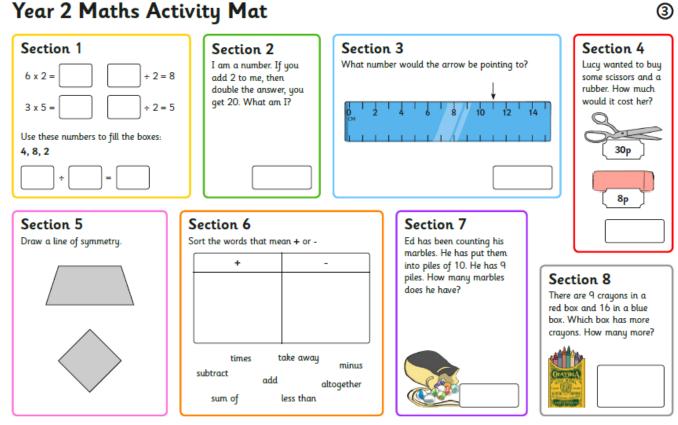
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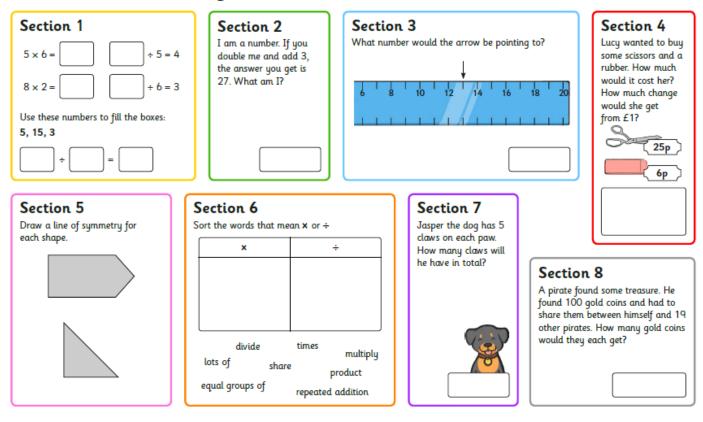
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\star Shimmer Maths Mat \star



 $\star \star$ Sparkle Maths Mat $\star \star$

Year 2 Maths Activity Mat







$\star \star \star$ Shine Maths Mat $\star \star \star$

Year 2 Maths Activity Mat

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