



Edgewood Primary School

Building skills and values for life

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Ideas and websites to support home learning

Maths



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers/ks1-maths-collection/z6v4scw>

We regularly use BBC Supermovers to practise our times tables in an energetic way! The children should be familiar with the characters and dances for the 2, 5 and 10 times tables as these are the ones they are

expected to know confidently by the end of KS1. Those already confident with recalling these at speed should begin to practise the 3 and 4 times tables.



<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

Hit the Button is a good way to practise times tables in a fun and competitive way! The children could see how many questions they get correct in one minute and then try to beat their score. There are also opportunities to practise other maths skills such as doubles and halves, number bonds to 10, 20 and 100 and adding multiples of 10.



<https://www.mathshed.com/en-gb>

We have now uploaded additional maths assignments onto Maths Shed. These cover key skills such as addition and subtraction and times tables. There are assignments of varying difficulty which have been set, so please access whichever level you feel is appropriate for your child.

English



<https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb>

Spelling assignments will be updated regularly and will cover Common Exception Words for KS1 as well as assignments linked to phonic knowledge and spelling and grammar rules. We will also be hosting live Spelling Shed Hive games at 10 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

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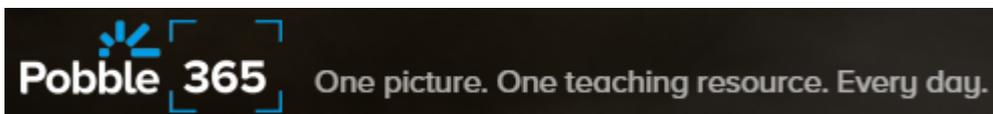




<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/> Oxford Owl has lots of free e-books which are an engaging way to promote and support reading at home. The e-books cover texts of all genres, levels and age ranges. You will need a login but it is free and quick to sign up. Oxford Owl also offers a range of activities around other English skills (and even some maths), so have a browse!



<https://www.onceuponapicture.co.uk/> This is a lovely website with lots of interesting and thought-provoking images to inspire discussion and creative writing! Each image has a list of inference-based questions to stimulate thinking and possible activities to go with it ranging from writing simple captions to writing stories!



<http://www.pobble365.com/> Pobble365 has a different image with accompanying

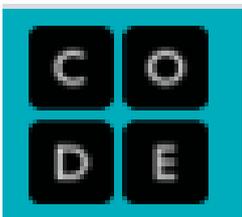
activities for each day of the year. There are questions to promote creative thinking, as well as 'sick sentences' activities where the children can improve a sentence to make it more interesting (e.g. by adding an adjective or adverb to add description.) There is also a 'Perfect Picture' drawing-based activity for each image e.g. Can you draw what is inside the house? Can you draw the character you think is inside the tree? The children could then label their pictures or write about what they have drawn.

Computing



<https://www.j2e.com/j2code/> This is a free website where the children can practise the coding skills they have learnt so far this year. The JIT turtle activity <https://www.j2e.com/jit5#turtle> offers not just coding and programming, but

a range of other activities (menu bar on the top right of the website) such as a paint programme, as well as creating block graphs and pictograms in a way that is easily accessible for KS1 children.



<https://code.org/student/elementary> The children should be familiar with this free website as we have used this in class to support our learning on coding and programming. There are different courses to work through with increasing difficulty. We would suggest Course B is the most appropriate for KS1 in terms of the National Curriculum and skills covered.