



Reach For The Stars

Are you moving from Reception to Year 1?

Try the fun challenges attached.

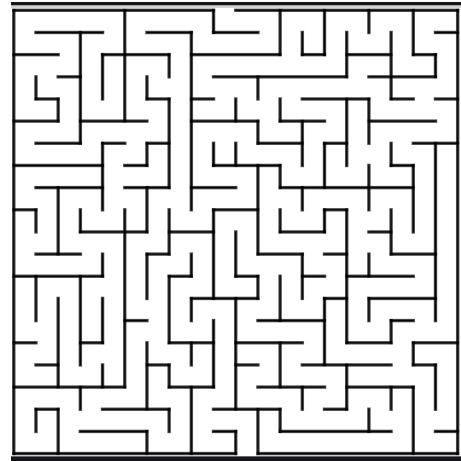
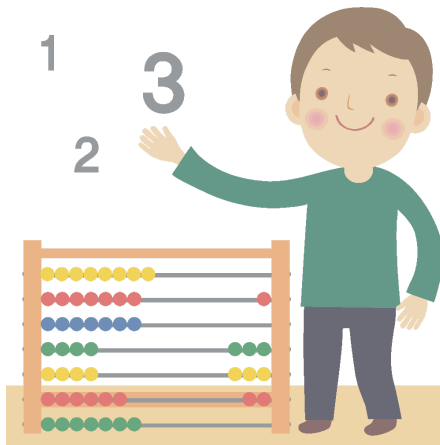
Prizes will be awarded for the best holiday diary

This booklet is due on: **Monday 6th September 2021**

Name:



There are lots of fun activities and games you can do over the summer. Here are a few ideas to help you...



Find different items to count!

How many adverts are there between your favourite cartoons on TV?

How many trees are there on your street?

How many parked cars are there on your street?

How many cars drive past your window during 15 minutes?

0	+	20	=	20
1	+	19	=	20
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20	+	0	=	20

Reception (Going into Year 1) **Literacy learning in the summer**



Are you looking forward to the summer holidays? We are too! It's a wonderful time to have lots of fun and learn in different ways.

Here are some tips and ideas for how to keep your learning going over the summer while you're away from school.

1. Go to the Idea Store!

Monday to Friday: 10am to 6pm.

Saturday and Sunday: 12pm to 4pm

Visit their website or pop in and ask about the reading activities they run over the summer.

2. Book Review

Why not write a book review of the books you read during the holiday. Remember to include:

- The author and the title.

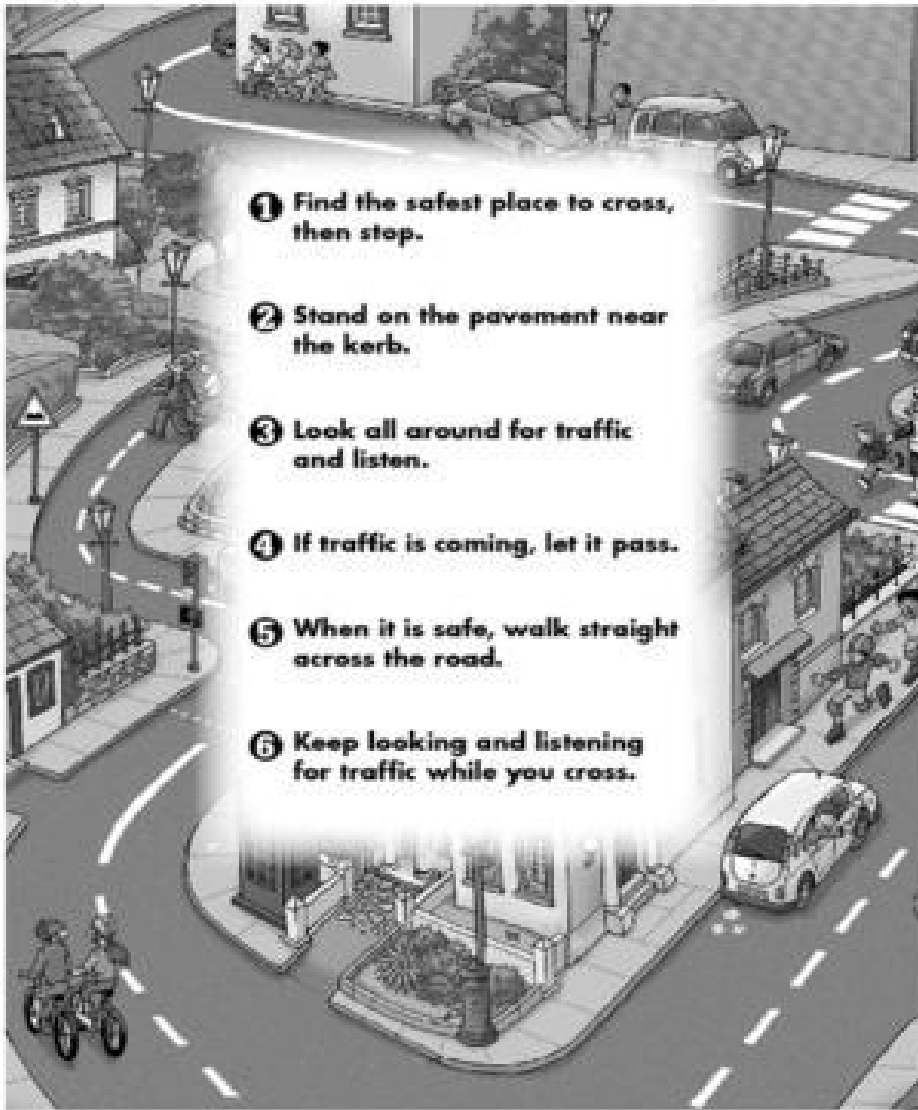
- What is the book about?
- Did you enjoy the book? Tell me why or why not?
- Draw a picture of the front cover.

Getting out and about in London.

Your child will go on lots more trips in Year 1. Teach them road safety.

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The Green Cross Code



- 1 Find the safest place to cross, then stop.
- 2 Stand on the pavement near the kerb.
- 3 Look all around for traffic and listen.
- 4 If traffic is coming, let it pass.
- 5 When it is safe, walk straight across the road.
- 6 Keep looking and listening for traffic while you cross.

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Getting out and about in London

It will also help them if you get them used to using escalators and the underground. Canary Wharf is a great place to practice escalators.

Why not visit the Whitechapel Gallery?

Whitechapel Gallery
77-82 Whitechapel High St
London
E1 7QX
FREE admission
Open: Tuesday - Wednesday
11am till 6pm
Closed: Mondays



The Museum is located less than 1 minute walk from Aldgate East underground station. Alternatively, Liverpool Street and Tower Gateway stations and Shoreditch High Street overground station are approximately 15 minutes walks from the Gallery.

Enjoy exploring the gallery!

You can even go for a wonder round Tower of London to find out about England's great past!

London EC3N 4AB
Open: Wednesday - Sunday
10am till 6pm



Phonics is one of the first steps in learning to read. It helps your child decode words by making sense of the sounds. It will really help your child if they continue to practice the phonics they have already learnt.

Phonics websites

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/alphablocks>

Alphablocks games- A good range of phonics games and quizzes.

<http://www.primaryresources.co.uk/english/english.htm>

Under the word level section of Literacy, a good selection of worksheets and PowerPoints. These cover early phonics and alphabet work.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=saF3-f0XWAY>

A range of phonics songs to sing along with, to help you remember your sounds.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcqqtftr>

A good selection of interactive videos focussing on learning sounds and blending blending to read the sounds in words.

www.ictgames.com/literacy.html

A great selection of games that link well with games in Letters and Sounds.

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2>

A range of interactive phonics games.

Year 1

Science in the Summer



What's inside a balloon?
Why does it rain? How
can I make my bubbles
bigger? These are tough
questions but all you

need to answer them is natural curiosity and a love of science!

Here are some tips to help guide you in sparking your interest in science:

-Visit the Science and Natural History Museums and see wonderful galleries and exhibitions. I especially like the WonderLab (at the Science museum) as it's got some fantastic activities for you to investigate. It's open Wednesday - Sunday, from 10am - 6pm. But please note that you will have to buy a day pass for this interactive gallery. Also please note that entry to the Science Museum is **free but pre-booking is required. So you must book a free Museum Admission ticket in order to enter the museum.**

<http://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk/>



Entry to the Natural History museum is also free but you **must pre book your free ticket** in advance. . Please ensure that you check the websites for up to date information. <https://www.nhm.ac.uk/>

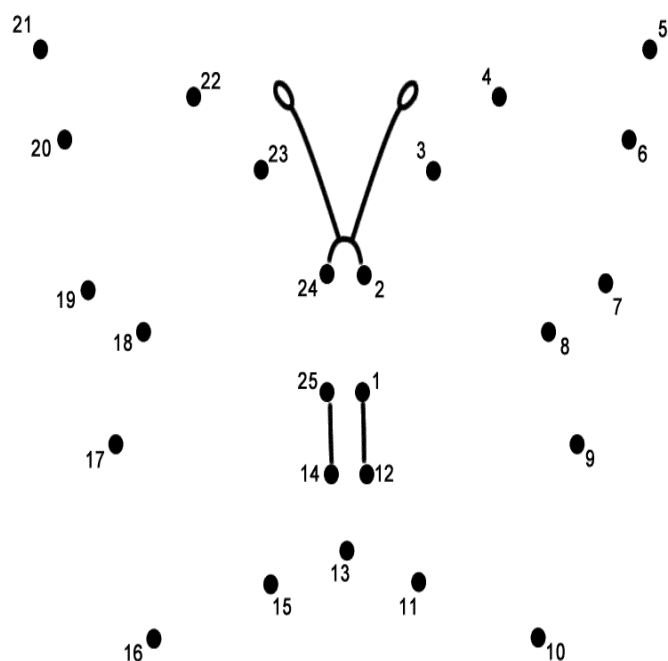
Science challenge

Don't forget to explore science around you:

See how many different Minibeasts you can find in your garden or local park?

- How would you record this information?
- How would you group them?
- Find 3 objects that sink and float in water. Does a balloon filled with milk sink or float and why?





Activity ideas: Put the Christmas story in the correct order. Number the pictures 1-6.

<p>Baby Jesus is born in a stable.</p>	<p>3 kings bring gifts.</p>	<p>The angel came to Mary.</p>

Don't forget...

A healthy mind requires a healthy body. Visit one of the many beautiful parks in Tower Hamlets:

- Victoria Park
- Weavers Field
- Mile End Park



Take your child swimming or learn to ride a bike or scooter to stay fit.



You can also stay fit while at home. Click on any of the links below to join in the fitness fun!

<https://www.thisgirlcan.co.uk/activities/disney-workouts/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p06tmmvz>

<https://www.gonoodle.com/good-energy-at-home-kids-games-and-videos/good-energy-at-home-more-2/>

Children who learn to cook are more likely to eat healthily. Eat colourful fruits and vegetables to make sure you are having a healthy diet.



Most importantly, keep washing your hands to make sure you stay healthy and safe.



My Summer Holiday Diary

Date _____



Reception to Year 1

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