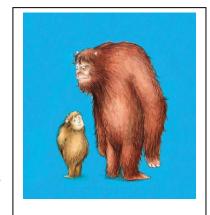
Year 3 remote learning - Day 4 Term 3

English - 45 minutes

In Year 3, we are reading The Abominables as our novel in English! You might recognise this extract from the first chapter:

The sky above her head was a marvellous, rich, royal blue with little fleecy clouds. The grass on which she lay was soft and sweet-smelling and studded with beautiful



flowers: tiny blue gentians, golden primulas, scarlet lilies. Agatha sat up. She felt sore and bruised but that was understandable. You couldn't die and go to heaven without feeling a little bit uncomfortable.

She looked around. The air was warm, and she saw trees covered in red and white and cream blossoms as big as plates. There was a stream, crystal clear and bubbly, with kingfishers darting about its banks. Far above her an eagle circled lazily. She was in a broad valley, surrounded on every side by sheer, jagged cliffs and escarpments. And then to her surprise, beyond the steep ridges which surrounded the valley, she saw the unmistakable outline of the peak of Nanvi Dar, glittering white in the early morning sun.

You are going to write a letter from Agatha to a friend back in England about the wonderful area of the Himalayas in which the yetis live. You could use some of the description from this extract, other features which you can remember from reading the novel, and your own imagination of what this beautiful place might look like and contain!

Example start:

Dear Margaret,

Do you remember when you and I would wander through the blissful parks in Cambridge, watching the punts laze along the river, and we decided that it must be the most beautiful place in the world? Well I can safely say that I have found somewhere far more exquisite! Nestled away in a hidden valley in the Himalayan mountains is a place of such wondrous beauty that I barely know what to tell you about first!

Maths - 30 to 45 minutes

We are now using the bus-stop method for solving division sums. If you need a little reminder to help you tackle these sums, go to the Year 3 homework page on the school website for an instructional video:

https://www.bishoproad.bristol.sch.uk/post_year_3/home-work/

Spelling - 20 minutes

Find the Year 3 spellings for this week on our class webpage.

Today, you are going to write a mnemonic to help you remember one of your spellings.

A mnemonic is a way of helping you remember a spelling by creating a sentence using each letter in the word.

e	e.g. because – big elephants Can always Understand Small elephants							
	Choose a spelling to try this for! Feel free to do so for as many of them as you want!							

Reading - 30 minutes

Enjoy spending half an hour doing some reading. You could read to yourself or to somebody else, or perhaps a mixture of both!

Try to read a range of different texts through your time at Bishop Road. Some ideas include:

- Stories
- Information texts
- Poems
- Magazines

Handwriting 10-15 minutes

Copy out this extract from a poem called 'Nicknames in your best handwriting. Don't forget your lead-in strokes and to make sure your handwriting is fully cursive!

Nicknames

My aunt calls me "Elizabeth."
My grandma calls me "Liz."
My sister calls me "Lisa,"
and the baby calls me "Wiz."

My uncle calls me "Betty,"
while my grandpa calls me "Beth."
My brother calls me "Dizzy Liz"
or sometimes "Lizard Breath."

PE - 30 minutes

Choose two of the PE videos on the 'Home Learning' page of the website, under 'Key Information'. Watch one and then try out the activity. Then watch the other and try that one. Once you know how to do them both, try to beat your personal best! Aim to be active for at least 30 minutes.