



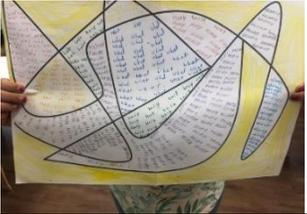
Year 2 Home Learning Activities – Week beginning 13th July 2020

Time to Say Goodbye

This time of year is a time for change as we say good bye to Year 2 and the Infants ready for a new adventure at the Juniors. This week's home learning grid is based the theme of change and transition. It is based on the book The Koala Who Could by Rachel Bright.

Subject	Lesson ideas		
PSHE	Listen to The Koala Who Could by Rachel Bright https://youtu.be/0FGMHKaxjrQ *What does 'change' mean? How can change be positive? When can it be negative? *Think of a time when something in your life changed. What was it? How did it affect you? How did you react? *Discuss strategies that we can use when something in life is changing. How can we help others when their life is changing? *Why is Kevin afraid of change? How did his friends help him?	Kevin is terribly good at three things: clinging, napping and munching on leaf-buns. What three things are you really good at? What skill do you need to improve?	List all the new things you have tried this year. Make a list of all the things you want to try for the next academic year.
Maths	Week 12 – Measure - Time Every day, there's a learning video on White Rose website to watch and a link to that day's BBC Bitesize page. Question sheets and answers saved in Maths folder on the school website. Don't forget you can also use https://primarystareducation.co.uk/ Additional Activities For further games linked to time, try this website - http://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/time.html		
Writing	Write a letter to your new Year 3 teacher to tell them all about yourself. Tell them about your *family *hobbies *favourite and not so favourite things about school *what you think you might need some help with next year *ask any questions you may have about Year 3 Why not post your letter to the Juniors for your new teacher to read over the summer.	Either *Write a new story with Kevin the Koala as the central character. What new activity/challenge might he face? Or *Produce a comic strip involving Kevin. Maybe Kevin is starting a new school. (see Writing resources)	Write a set of top tips for the new Year 2 children. What do you think they need to know about year 2? *classrooms *teachers *topics *school visits *favourite topics or books

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<p>Reading and Vocabulary</p>	<p>Reading comprehension *What feelings did Kevin the Koala feel throughout the story? Fill in the mind map in the reading resources.</p> <p>*Read The Cautious Caterpillar (ebook saved in reading resources) – play the comprehension board game.</p> <p>Reading Comprehension sheets – choose the appropriate level for your child.</p> <p>*The Cautious Caterpillar differentiated reading comprehension</p> <p>*Marcus Rashford, the footballer, has recently been in the news for bringing about a positive change. Read and answer the comprehension questions about him.</p>	<p>Similes A simile is a figure of speech that directly compares two different things. The simile is usually in a phrase that begins with the words "as" or "like."</p> <p>Can you think of some similes for Kevin the Koala? e.g. <i>Kevin is as soft as a ball of wool.</i> <i>Kevin is cuddly like my favourite teddy bear.</i></p>	<p>Read or listen to some other stories by Rachel Bright</p> <p>The Lion Inside https://bit.ly/2NWxcYN</p> <p>The Squirrels Who Squabbled https://bit.ly/31NSdwT</p> <p>The Worrysaurus https://bit.ly/3gzscph</p>
<p>Spelling/ Handwriting</p>	<p>Common exception words Well done – we have practised all of the Year 2 Common Exception words from this year. Have a go at producing a spelling scribble with the words.</p> 	<p>Handwriting Practise all the joins covered during Year 2 by copying out the poem 'The Star' by Jane Taylor in your best handwriting.</p> <p>(see handwriting resources)</p>	
<p>PE</p>	<p>Unfortunately, we didn't get to have our Sports Day this year but why not have a go at creating your own 'Family Sports Day':</p> <p>The egg and spoon race – a classic sports day event and one that every home has the equipment for, but don't forget to hard-boil your eggs, you don't want egg yolk all over your lovely lawn!</p> <p>The sack race - use an old pillow case or sleeping bag</p> <p>Running race - set up a track that goes around your garden or create a straight sprint track</p> <p>The three-legged race - use some old ties lying around the house or even scarves that have been stored away for winter to tie legs together – easy!</p> <p>An obstacle course – the perfect event to use your imagination! The course can be made up of anything, from jumping over household items or crawling under duvets, to doing cartwheels or walking with a beanbag on your head – the possibilities are endless!</p> <p>You could even make medals or certificates to celebrate everyone's efforts.</p>		