



Spelling Shed	TTRockstars	Oxford Reading Buddy
<p>This week's top 5 Spelling Bees:</p>  <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Vanessa</li><li>2. Ranvir</li><li>3. Sri</li><li>4. Raean</li><li>5. Shaan</li></ol>	<p>Top of the Pops- Top 5 Year 6 Rockstars of the week:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Nihal</li><li>2. Harry</li><li>3. Sri</li><li>4. Emma</li><li>5. Joseph</li></ol>  <p>Same as last time! Well done you 5! Keep up the good work! Can anyone else try and knock them off the top 5 this week?</p>	<p><b>The Trials of Ruby P. Baxter</b> by Joanna Nadin With troubles at school, a totally embarrassing dad and a goat for a pet, life can be very trying for Ruby P. Baxter. Read all about it in her TOP SECRET diary. If you enjoy Diary of a Wimpy Kid, you're sure to enjoy this one too.</p> 

Last week would have been our Year 6 residential so our focus will be:



We have tried to make this week as practical and hands-on as we can, just like our residential week! There are a plethora of activities for you to choose from – please don't feel like you need to do all of them. However, just like on residential, we would encourage you to try new things.

We would love to see the work you produce – don't forget to email it in to [wt.y6homelearning@perryhallmat.co.uk](mailto:wt.y6homelearning@perryhallmat.co.uk)

Please contact us if you have any questions about the tasks we have provided.

## Creative Writing

Take a virtual day out and visit one or more of these attractions:

- [Natural History Museum](#)
- [The British Museum](#)
- [Guggenheim Museum, New York](#)
- [London Zoo](#)
- [Longleat Safari Park](#)
- [Yellowstone National Park, USA](#)
- [Stonehenge](#)
- NASA  
[Langley Research Centre](#)  
[Glenn Research Centre](#)

Or you can try some 'augmented reality experiences' via [The Space Centre Houston's app](#)

- Walt Disney World  
[Frozen Ever After ride](#)  
[It's A Small World](#)  
[Pirates of the Caribbean](#)

For each of these attractions you visit, take a photo of you enjoying the attraction and sum up your experience by answering the following questions:

- 1) Where did you visit?
- 2) Describe your tour.
- 3) List 3 things you saw on your tour.
- 4) List 3 interesting facts about your tour.
- 5) List 3 things you learnt on your tour.
- 6) What was your favourite thing on your tour?

The best ones will go onto our school website – give it a bash!

## STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Manufacturing)

Which of these activities will you try?  
We'd love to see your photos.

- Make a raft so that a toy can float in the bath or kitchen sink without getting wet.
- Natural art  
Collect a few leaves or petals from your garden. Place them between 2 pieces of paper or a piece of spare white material. Using a stone bash the leaves and petals through the paper. When you open up the paper or material what do you see?
- World's tallest tower  
In 2020, the new world's largest tower will be the Jeddah Tower, in Saudi Arabia. It will have 200 floors and will reach 1008 meters high. Use scrap paper and junk box materials to build a tower. You might like to search for photos of the 'Jeddah Tower' to help you with your design. What is the tallest tower you can build?
- If we have a clear night, ask your adult if you can stay up a bit later and do some star gazing. Which different constellations can you see? Alternatively, if the weather is bad then explore the constellations using <https://in-the-sky.org/skymap.php>

## Creative Curriculum

These challenges have been suggested to help this week stand out from the normal routine of home learning.

N.B. Some of these challenges will need adult supervision. Please send photos of your achievements so we can share them on the website!

Challenge 1 – Put a clean duvet cover on your duvet, a clean pillow case on your pillow, then make your bed (keep this up all week). This is always the first task asked when children arrive at their dormitories.

Challenge 2 – Build a den inside your home to sleep in for one night with your bedding you have prepared. Sleeping somewhere different can be exciting. Make sure you have late-night snacks!

Challenge 3 – Create an assault course in your garden. Can you time yourself going around it? What about 10 laps?

Challenge 4 – Create an illusion photo. Either make it look like you are climbing a high wall (put your cycle helmet on as a prop) or use chalk (or place items on the ground side-on) to make it look like you are doing something super daring and brave.

**Make sure the ground isn't too hot when you lie down for the picture!**



Challenge 5 – Make a den outside. Try to use it as a quiet base: listen to the birds, watch insects and read a book.

MyMaths	Computing	Mindfulness
<p>You have daily MyMaths lessons to access. Each activity has a short lesson before it to model how to use each skill.</p> <p>There are also some great games to have a go at.</p> <p>Remember: there is a new task assigned daily and they have a deadline! We will be checking to see who has been completing these.</p>	<p>This week's task is going to be a little bit different. During our residential week, we tend to do a lot of reflecting over our time at Woodthorne.</p> <p>We're going to start a blog, collecting your favourite memories from your time at Woodthorne.</p> <p>Perhaps it was a school trip? A silly memory that you have from Early Years? When you met your best friend?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Think of something kind to share with someone in your family. Spread kindness and ask them to repeat the action with someone else.</li> <li>• Ask your family to switch off all social media, and technology for 20 minutes whilst you all enjoy family time. This could be dinner, a game etc</li> </ul>
PE	Reading	Art & D&T
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ten minute hike</b> How many steps can you take walking around your house (and garden if you have one) in ten minutes? Record the number of steps that you take.</li> <li>• <b>Human knot challenge.</b> With 3+ people in your household (the more people, the more challenging it is). Have everyone stand in a circle facing the centre. Everyone raise their left hand and hold the left hand of someone across the circle. Then raise the right hand and hold the right hand of someone different across the circle. You then need to get yourself unknotted, into a big circle without letting go of the other peoples' hands.</li> <li>• <b>Mountain climbing</b> If you have steps in or near your house, why not challenge yourself to climb a mountain. For example, if you wanted to climb Snowdon, you would need to climb 4610 steps. Different mountain heights as steps: <a href="https://www.muchbetteradventures.com/magazine/how-many-stairs-do-you-need-to-climb-to-reach-the-top-of-famous-mountains/">https://www.muchbetteradventures.com/magazine/how-many-stairs-do-you-need-to-climb-to-reach-the-top-of-famous-mountains/</a></li> </ul>	<p>Where is the most extreme place you have ever read a book? Whether it's up a tree, on top of a mountain or standing on one leg, we want to see your weird and wacky pictures of the most interesting place that you've done some reading during lockdown.</p> <p>The wackiest one will make it to the school website.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Imagine that you are actually going to be cooking a meal for your whole family on the camp fire. Your budget is £10, what would you cook? Create a menu and then price up all of your ingredients.</li> <li>• Optional: If your adult is happy for you to do so and you have the food at home, why not even try cooking the meal for your family?</li> <li>• What's a camp without a campfire? Your task is to build a campfire using whatever you can find – it does not have to be real. You could: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Build a Lego fire</li> <li>• Draw a fire</li> <li>• Paint a fire on cardboard</li> </ul> </li> </ul>