



Dear parents/carers,

We hope that you are all safe and well and we are all thinking of you at this difficult time. Due to the current circumstances, we have outlined a few different activities below that the children can access by themselves in order to keep their minds and bodies active in this national crisis. Children are encouraged to complete these at their own pace without the pressure of a strict deadline.

Children should still be reading every day, either a book from school or their own. Children should also be working on their times tables either on TTRockStars or other ways.

English:

- Spellings - children can learn words from the year 3/4 and year 5/6 spelling lists. A few words can be practised each day and the children can attempt to write these words in a sentence.
- Reading comprehension – children can watch the videos and answer questions. There are also three book blurbs with questions and three reading comprehension activities.
- Lion fact file – children can make their own lion fact file by first researching and then writing down information they have found. Information could be based around the food lions eat, where in the world they are found or their habitats for example.

Maths:

- Addition questions.
- Subtraction questions.
- Multiplication questions.
- Division questions.
- Every day, children can try and do as many star jumps as they can in 1 minute and record in a tally. At the end of the week the children can present their data in a simple bar chart/ line graph.
- Children can create their own maths board game. Players have to answer maths questions when they land on a particular square.

Creative task:

- Children can draw/paint a lion on paper.
- Children can make their own lion masks.
- Children can draw a cartoon of Mr Bourne or Miss Wright. This will be a competition with a deadline on the 8th May. Pictures can be e-mailed to the e-mail address below and the winning picture will be displayed on the school website.

Please don't hesitate to contact us via e-mail: year5@lower-farm.walsall.sch.uk.

Please feel free to use the above email address to send us any photos/work that the children have been completing as we would love to see them! Please can you include in any emails whether you give permission for the work to be shared on our school website and social media.

Thank you for your continued support during this difficult time! Stay safe and stay positive! We **WILL** beat this!

Mr Bourne, Miss Wright & all of the year 5 staff 😊 x