



Davington Weekly Overview

YEAR 1

This week's overarching question or theme:
NEW TOPIC!!!!!! ----- JANE OF THE JUNGLE
Who is Jane Goodall?

Week beginning: 27/4/20

Teachers: Mrs Bishop, Mrs Bunting and Mrs Oliver.

You may want to consider doing the following **English** activities with your child:

Reading;

We would love to know what you are all reading at home. Send us a photo of your child reading and we will give a prize for the most unusual place or the best costume!

Animal Magic is available as an ebook on the Oxford Owl website

https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/digital_books/1164.html. You can register on the site for free. Then choose a book that is the right colour band for your child. Please make sure your child reads for ten minutes every day. There are questions that you can ask your child at the beginning or end of each book.

Writing;

This week we are going to write job advertisements.

Start by watching the Jane Goodall interview on Youtube.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WjY31JY0qIU>. Please talk with your child about the job that Jane Goodall did in the jungle. Discuss what kind of person you would need to be to do her job.

Then you could write down a list of the qualities you would need to work with Jane Goodall e.g. brave, strong, kind.

You can then turn this list into questions for your advert, e.g. Are you brave enough to live in the jungle? (Don't forget the capital letters and question marks.)

You can find out more about using question marks on BBC Bitesize

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z8x6cj6/articles/zcm3qhv>

Follow the links for Primary, England, KS1 (Year 1 to 2) Subjects, English, Punctuation, Question Marks. There are lots of other great resources on Bitesize that you could have a look at.

When your child has written the advert you could act out the interview. Did you get the job?

- **Phonics;** Revise all the ways we can write letters that make the sound 'oa'. **oa** as in coat, **oe** as in toe, **o-e** as in pole, **ow** as in mow and **o** as in photo. Try using <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/member-only/oaAltSpellings.html>. Take one sound a day and see how many words you can think of with that sound. 😊
- **Spellings;** Please continue to learn to spell the common exception words for Year 1. The best way to do this is to choose 5 words a week and write them out every day. Your child may be able to spell lots of the words already. If so you will only need to work on the words they cannot spell. If you could not download the list you can find it by doing an internet search for Year 1 common exception words.

You may want to consider doing the following **Maths** activities with your child:

This week in Year One we would like you to do some addition. In Year One the children are expected to add numbers between zero and twenty. They need to know the words add, addition, plus, total, altogether and more. They also need to be able to read the number words for numbers to one hundred.

- Start by looking at the BBC Bitesize KS1 Addition.
- Try playing shops at home. You could set up a shop selling toys, books, food etc. Encourage your child to set the prices and write the labels. They can then add up the price of two items. Use real coins to help them add.
- Try a shop where the prices are written in words not numbers.
- You can find lots of addition games at <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/addition-and-subtraction>
- Remember to practise counting to 100 forwards and backwards every day.

You may want to consider doing the following **Topic** activities with your child:

- Jane of the Jungle. Jane Goodall is reading a different story every week at storytime.janegoodall.org. Listen to Jane Goodall reading Elephant family <https://www.rootsnshoots.org.uk/blog/2020/04/17/new-join-dr-jane-for-a-virtual-reading-of-elephant-family/>

- What can you find out about elephants? Do you have any stories about elephants you can read? Elmer is a patchwork elephant <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wdyo4ykh2WA>
- Can you create your own patchwork elephant and send us a photo?
- Find different ways to make a rainbow. Matthew in 1B used the sun, a glass of water and a mirror. Can you find out what he did or discover your own way?

Outdoor Learning opportunities:

- Try a nature scavenger hunt. Use felt tips or colouring pencils to make a list of different colours. Then try and find something outside that matches each colour.



- Can you spell each colour word? If you have chalk you could try making a rainbow of colour words.

Ideas for keeping fit and healthy:

- Joe Wicks daily PE lesson 9:00 – 9:30
- Have a go at Oti Mabuse's (Strictly Come Dancing) children's dance class on Youtube https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=oti+mabuse+channel

This week's dinner table conversation questions:

- If you could have any 3 wishes granted, what would they be?
- If all your clothes could only be one colour, what colour would you choose?