

Davington Weekly Overview

YEAR 3

Week beginning: 20th April 2020

Teachers: Ms Preston, Miss Reynolds and Mrs Cunningham.

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

- Write a letter to your adult self to go into a time capsule. Include the following details: Day, date and time, what is happening, how you feel about what is happening, what you aren't enjoying and what you are finding fun. Who you live with, including any pets, 5 things that you intend to do when this is all over and finally, what important message would you send to yourself? You can include as much detail as you would like. We would love to see a photo of this. Try and write on lines and use joined, neat writing. Draw a picture of your family at the bottom of the letter.
- Read 4 pages of your reading book to an adult. Answer 4 to 5 questions about that part of the story that they ask you. Try and write your answers in full sentences and remember to use APE (answer, prove and explain) where appropriate.
- Choose a book to read and share to everyone at home with you.
- Continue your diary about your learning at home. What have you done? What have you learnt? What have you enjoyed? Think of 5 more things you would like to learn at home.
- Learn between 5 to 10 spellings use 'Look, Cover, Write, Check'. **Particular, peculiar, perhaps, popular, position, possess, possession, possible or possess, possession, possible, possibly, perhaps, popular.**
- Get someone to test you on those spellings.
- Put those spellings into sentences.
- Practise your handwriting.

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

- **Column addition**
- Find a die. You are going to make a 3 digit number by rolling the die 3 times and write these digits down. The first roll will be your ones digit, the second roll will be your tens digit and the third will be your hundreds digit. Repeat this once more to get a second 3 digit number, write this below the other. Make sure the digits are in the correct columns. Start by adding the ones column. Remember to add any digits that are on the 'doorstep'
- Eg.
$$\begin{array}{r} 346 \\ +128 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
- **Times tables**
- Practise your 3x 4x and 8x tables by laying out Lego bricks. Write the number sentences to go with each set of bricks. See below.



$1 \times 4 = 4$ $2 \times 4 = 8$ etc.

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

Cook a Roman recipe with an adult in your family. Here is a recipe for Roman slipper bread which you could try:

200ml water

½ tbsp honey

*250g Doves Farm Organic
Stoneground Wholemeal Spelt
Flour*

½ tsp Doves Farm Quick Yeast

¼ tsp salt

½ tbsp olive oil

flour for dusting

1. Warm the water and honey, stirring until dissolved then leave to cool.
2. Line a baking tray with parchment and dust it with flour. Pre-heat the oven.
3. Put the flour, yeast, and salt into a large bowl and blend them together.
4. Stir in the water, and when everything looks craggy and lumpy, stir in the oil.
5. Using your hands gather everything together into a doughy mass.
6. Knead the sticky dough in the bowl, for 100 presses. Avoid adding flour if possible.
7. Tip the dough onto the prepared baking tray, gently forming it into an oval and dust with flour.
8. Leave the bread to rise in a warm place for 25 minutes.
9. Bake for 30 – 35 minutes. You will know it's done when the bottom sounds hollow when tapped.
10. Leave to cool on a wire rack.

Temperature

180°C, Fan 160°C, 350°F, Gas 4

Cooking time

30-35 minutes

A 'slipper' is a low rise loaf. This Roman bread is made with a slightly wetter dough than many bread recipes and the resulting loaf has an appealing wheaty flavour and good crumb structure. The title of this recipe is based on the recipe writing of the Roman scholar Apicius.

Time capsule: Take a photo of you and your family and start creating a time capsule to bury. The letter you will write this week is to also go in here. See if you can find a newspaper clipping about what is happening in the news and also add this. Tell us what else you are going to add to your time capsule.

Outdoor Learning opportunities:

- Keep up your diary entries of how things are changing in your garden or outside. Think about the plants, trees and wildlife you can see.
- Tend to the seeds which you hopefully started last week. Note any changes you see.
- Take time to find a flower, in your garden or on your daily exercise. Take a photo of the flower. Try to sketch it. Can you label the parts of the flower you can see?
- Sprinkle some wild flower seeds on your daily walk to help the bees and butterflies- make sure it is not in somebody else's garden! Remember where you sprinkled them and watch for changes over time.

Ideas for keeping fit and healthy:

- Joe Wicks daily PE lesson 9:00 – 9:30
- Try some yoga this week. Have a go at the following poses:



This week's dinner table conversation questions:

- Who is your favourite tv/book/story character and what do you like about him/her?
- If you could eat lunch with anyone in the world where would you go and what would you eat together?