



# Davington Weekly Overview

## YEAR 6

**This week's overarching question or theme:**

**South America**

**Week beginning: 30/3/20**

**Teachers: Mr Peal and Miss Jenkins**

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

**Monday-** Choose 10 words from the appropriate spelling list sent out last week to practice. Look, say, cover, write, check each of these 10 words and then put each one in a sentence.

**Tuesday-** Revise subjunctive form and other grammar definitions using the grammar sheet sent home last week. If you can access it, try the grammar quiz where you can pick your topic

<https://www.educationquizzes.com/ks2/english/>

**Wednesday/Thursday** - Hopefully you have finished your explanation texts if you took them home last week. Feel free to email a picture to the year 6 email account to show us. If you have done this, draft a letter to the government explaining the strategies that you think they should take to tackle the latest worldwide problem: coronavirus. You will need to think about all of things that a letter should include - you might need to research this online beforehand. It may also be worth considering using persuasive language, paragraphs and formal language. This will link nicely to SPAG by using the subjunctive form. E.g. 'The Headteacher requests that...' 'If I were you...' This letter, including the address, should take up two sides of A4.

**Friday** - Write an email to us explaining how much you've been missing us, what you have done this week and how you have been keeping busy during this week!

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

**Monday-** To learn the properties of a circle. Diameter= the distance from one side to the other. Radius= half the diameter. Children to measure the diameter and radius of circular household objects e.g. a mug. If you want to challenge yourself further, work out the circumference of these circular objects using the formula;  $\pi$  (3.142 x diameter)

**Tuesday-** If you have a compass, try to draw circles with a diameter of 4cm, 8cm, 6cm. Work out the circumference for these shapes. If you do not have access to a compass, try making numbers on countdown

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?f=countdowntimerv3>

**Wednesday-** Ask as many people as possible in your house and on the phone or FaceTime, a question of your choice. E.g. What is your favourite drink? Then, make a bar chart out of this data.

**Thursday-** Using your bar chart from yesterday, write six questions for someone to answer about it. E.g. What is the least popular drink?

**Friday-** Practise Timestables on TT Rockstars <https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth>. Ask your adults to make you a 3 minute challenge sheet

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

- Watch Newsround every day at [https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/news/watch\\_newsround](https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/news/watch_newsround)  
Or on the CBBC channel at 9:15am, 12:15pm or 4pm
- Research and record the names of all 13 South American countries using the internet, atlases or other books.
- Choose three to research in more depth. Try and find out the capital city, the flag (draw and colour it!), currency, language and three fun facts.

**Outdoor Learning opportunities:**

- Start a nature diary. Go into the garden or look out of the window each day and take note of what you see, Birds, flowers, changes in the weather, what else?
- Sketch something outside, a plant or tree.

**Ideas for keeping fit and healthy:**

- Joe Wicks daily PE lesson 9:00 – 9:30
- Set up a circuit in your back garden, see how many times you can do it in 10 minutes
- Play 'cat and mouse' – remember as the mouse you need to travel and turn quickly if you are going to avoid being caught by the cat.

**This week's dinner table conversation questions:**

- How would you describe a perfect day for you?
- If you could wake up tomorrow with a superpower, what superpower would you want to have?

Example for a daily timetable

	9-9:30	9:30-10:30	Break 10:30-11	11-12	12:10-1:15	1:15- 2:30	2:30-3:30	3:30-4
<b>Monday</b>	Joe Wicks/Just Dance	English activity as listed above	Time for a healthy snack and choose a fun activity	Maths activity as listed above	Newsround, then lunch!	Topic activity as listed above	Outdoor learning activity as listed above	Read in your head
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