

# Davington Weekly Overview

## YEAR 3

Week beginning: 27<sup>th</sup> April 2020

Teachers: Ms. Preston, Miss Reynolds and Mrs. Cunningham.

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

- Can you think of any words with the suffix –ian (for example: magician, musician)? What does this suffix mean? Can you create some word art for each of your words? Take a look at the examples below for some ideas!



- Spellings: This week we would like you to try and learn the following spellings. **Natural, naughty, notice, occasion, occasionally, often, opposite and ordinary.** Remember to use the 'Look, say, cover, write and check method'.
- We are thinking about the story 'Jack and the Beanstalk'. Try to remember the story and retell it to an adult. This link might be helpful <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W5rxflRgXRE&t=21s> but there are lots of other fantastic versions of the story available.
- Draw a picture of one of the main characters in the story. Can you write some interesting adjectives to describe the character?
- If you could grow a giant beanstalk, what would you like to find at the top? Would it be a room full of chocolate, a gaming paradise or perhaps a stable full of horses? Use your imagination and write a paragraph to describe what you would like to find. Draw a picture if you have time!

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

- This week we would like you to practise your 3 and 4 times tables. Try throwing a ball in the air or skipping whilst counting in multiples of 3 or 4. How high can you go? Try to improve your score each time.
- Draw a Waldorf multiplication flower. Write your times table focus number in the centre of the flower and then write the answers on the petals. See the example below if you're not sure. Make the flower as colourful and imaginative as you can.




- We would like you investigate measurement as part of your maths learning this week. Have a look at the bottles and containers in your house. Make a note of the capacity for each one. Which bottle holds the most liquid? Which bottle holds the least? Can you make up some sums using these measurements? For example, a bottle of orange squash holds 1 litre (1000ml). Mrs Cunningham pours 400ml into a glass. How much is left in the bottle?
- Why not have some water fun in an outdoor space using measuring jugs and water? You might need a towel!

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

- This term we are learning all about climates around the World. Start a weather diary to record what the weather is like over the next few weeks. Can you think of an interesting way to record the weather in your diary? You could use pictures, words or symbols. Use your imagination!
- Try to learn some French vocabulary for the different 'weather' words. Here are some words to start you off:-  
The weather = le temps  
The sun = le soleil  
The rain = la pluie  
The clouds = les nuages  
The snow = la neige  
The lightning = l'eclair
- **'A View from a Window'**. Pick a window in your house, take a look at what you can see. Use the window as your picture frame and sketch the view. Don't forget to include all the vibrant colours and detail in your image. Take your time!

## **Outdoor Learning opportunities:**

- The climate is changing and Spring is officially here! Spend some time exploring your garden or an outdoor space. Pick five different animals/manifects and do a tally chart of how many you can find. For example, how many woodlice can you find? How many different birds can you see? Remember to records you tallies like this:-  

- Can you find any interesting shaped pebbles or rocks in your outdoor space? Try to find different kinds of pebbles: big, small, smooth, rough, different colours. If you find a particularly smooth pebble then perhaps you could paint your pebble.

## **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](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=oti+mabuse+channel)
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## **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?