



Davington Weekly Overview

YEAR 2

Week beginning: 27/04/20

Teachers: Mrs Dunt and Miss Blair

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

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vvpMn6MdIO8> 'Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs', by Giles Andreae and Russell Ayto. Read along to the story.
- First think about what happened in the story – the beginning when Flinn discovered Captain Stubble, the middle when they found his boat and the pirate dinosaurs, then the battle between the TRex and Flinn, and the ending when they return to school.
- “You’ve been in that cupboard for a long time Flinn. What have you been doing?” Create a story plan. Use time words first, next, then, after that, finally. These will help you order your story. Things to think about...Where does your adventure start? Who do you find in the cupboard? What will you travel on? Do you fight a baddie? Are you a goodie or a baddie? Once you have a plan, write about your own adventures. Can you add illustrations too?
- Are you using cursive script? Write out the alphabet, making sure you lead in and lead out for each letter. Keep your formation and presentation neat.
- Please learn 5 – 8 spellings. wrap, wrist, wrong, wreck, wren, write, wrote, wriggle. Can you use these words in sentences. Remember that although they start with the phoneme ‘r’, they are actually spelt with a ‘wr’.

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

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z3rbg82/articles/zq2yfrd>
- Let’s think about fractions this week. Whole, half ($1/2$), quarter ($1/4$). Draw a circle, will it be a pizza or a cake? Cut it in half. How many pieces? Are they equal and fair? Cut it in to quarters and count the pieces now. Can you share other shapes equally in $1/2$ and $1/4$? A square? Rectangle? Triangle. Investigate!
- Now let’s share a number. <https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/doggyDivision/index.html> Play the game first to feed the dogs. Then record using the division sign. Can you record these as multiplication too?
- Practice 3 and 4 times tables and record them as division too.
- Challenge yourself. Can you explain the answer to this question?

Multiplication and Division - Explain Your Reasoning 3

If you halve an even number it will always make an even number.

True or false?

Explain your answer.

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

- Make a boat for Captain Stubble. Can you make it waterproof? (Think back to what we used in the dragon dungeons) Test it in the sink or the bath. How many objects can it hold before it sinks? Make a prediction first. You could use marbles, Lego, bottle lids, coins as objects. Did you boat work well? Could you make it better?
- Select some other objects and predict whether they will float or sink. An apple? A leaf? A cork? A rubber? A sponge? Choose your own objects.
- Who would you like as your crew? Think of 5 famous people (or just people you know!) you would choose to help you sail your ship. Give reasons why you have chosen them. If you have time, you could think of more and make them in to a Top Trumps card game to play with your family.

Outdoor Learning opportunities:

- Make a picture and put yourself in to it! Here are a few examples. We would love to see your photos!
- Collect 7 different items that are the colours of the rainbow. You could do this in your house or in your garden. Or both!



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?