

# Year 1 Learning Log – Spring Term 1



**Tasks to complete regularly. 'Little and often' is the best way.**

## Reading:

Remember to **read** out loud and record in your reading record. Do this at least 4 times a week.



You could read your reading book, a book from home or a library book etc....

## Mathematics:

Your child will occasionally have maths homework to do on class dojo. This may be practising a particular skill we have been working on in our maths that week or working on our number bonds and timestables.

In Year 1 we learn to count in 2s, 5s and 10s and you can always practise this at home by chanting or singing the times table or counting out objects using these amounts!



## Spellings:

Practise the list of spelling words every week.

Your spelling test will be on a Tuesday. You will get your new spellings every Tuesday on Class Dojo.



Can you read and spell the common exception words for Year 1?

**In addition, choose 1 of the following tasks to complete each week.**

**Make a few notes, pictures or a video on Class Dojo for each task to show your teachers and your friends.**

## Geography

**1.** We are learning that maps are an aerial view of an area!

Can you draw an aerial view of your bedroom, garden or any other room in your house?

**2.** On a map, can you find your route to school? Can you recognise any landmarks or street names?



## Science – Animals

**1.** Pick your favourite animal and write a fact file about it!

- Draw your animal.
- Is it an omnivore, herbivore or carnivore?
- Is it a mammal, bird, fish, reptile or amphibian?
- Can you tell me an interesting fact?

**2.** Learn the names of some common British birds. On 28<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> January you could take part in the RSPB's Big Garden Bird watch and find out which feathered friends visit your garden!

You can do this at any time and then draw and label the birds you see.



## English

**1.** Think of a place in our local area and use this as the setting of a short story with a beginning, middle and end.

**2.** Have a tricky word scavenger hunt! Write your tricky words down and hide them around the house for your family to find, or ask a grown up to hide them for you!

**3.** Write a recount of a journey you have been on in our local area and describe what you saw. Where did you go? Who did you travel with? What did you see?

### Winter Walk

Even though we are in our Spring Term, it is still Winter!

1. Get outside and look out for signs of winter. Take some photographs and write about what you discovered.

What did you see? What was the weather like?



2. Plan the perfect outfit for someone to wear on a winters day. Can you draw or photograph your wintry outfit and tell me why you chose the clothes you did.

### Creative

Create a picture or model of a place in our local area.

This could be your own home, the park or a shop!

Be as creative as you like, you could junk model, paint, use play dough or clay!



### D&T

As we are learning about our local area and where in the world it is – this is the perfect time to celebrate Wigan's most famous dish – the pie!

At home can you get creative in the kitchen and bake your very own tasty pie. This could be sweet or savoury – but it must be yummy!

**\*Challenge\***

Can you write a set of instructions telling me how you made your pie?



Science – Animals	English	Family Time
<p>Find an animal that begins with the first letter of your name – can you draw and label its body parts?</p>	<p>We often take time to say thank you in Autumn.</p> <p>This half term can you take time to write a thank you message to someone? This could be to a family member, someone in school, or a friend – or anyone else that you would like to say thank you to!</p>	<p>Movie Night! Grab some popcorn and your favourite snacks, pick your favourite film and have a cosy night on the sofa together.</p> <p><i>*Challenge*</i> Write a review of your film and tell me why it's your favourite! What was the best bit?</p> 

**Take a photo and pop it on Class Dojo. You may want to add photos or any leaflets, certificates etc that helps further explain any of the tasks.**

**Homework deadline for the week is Friday, where children will have opportunity to share their homework tasks with an adult and their friends in the Dojo Show!**

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