



Area of Learning	Focus	Home Activities / How can you help your child at home	Useful Websites
Literacy	Spellings:	Homophones and near-homophones (1) Near-homophones are words that sound similar. They are also spelled differently and have different meanings.	Practice online spelling games here Spelling tests and Games
	To spell and use homophones correctly.	Here are some examples of near-homophones. desert (meaning: a barren place) For example: The explorer was lost in the desert for nearly a week! dessert (meaning: a sweet course after the main course of a meal, specifically fruit) For example: Would you like dessert , or are you full?	Learn more about adjectives
	To spell words with silent letters.	wary (meaning: cautious) The lion tamer was wary of the lion, after a narrow escape the previous week. weary (meaning: tired) After his long training session at the gym, Jamal felt weary.	Let's Practice-amazing-adjectives
		affect (a verb, meaning: influence or change) 'I'm sorry,' said Mum, 'but the bad weather may affect our plans for a picnic.' effect (a noun, meaning: result, outcome) Standing too quickly had a strange effect on him, making him light-headed.	Active versus Passive Voice - YouTu
		<u>Adverbs</u>	https://www.englishgrammar.org/a ive-passive-voice-worksheet-8/
		Talk and Encourage the children to do the following:	Active voice Passive voice
	Grammar:	Discuss how adverbs are used as modifiers to express time, place, manner, degree and frequency in sentences/text.	Tells us what a person or thing does. The subject performs the action (verb) on the object. Tells us what is done to someone something. The subject is being acted upon.
	Learning Objective: To explore different types of adjectives and adverbs in sentences.	Click on the following link to understand more about adverbs: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=94aFcx6oliY</u> Encourage them to practice the use of adverbs in	Subject + verb + object Object + verb + subject Example: • Anna painted the house. • The teacher always answers the students' questions. • The students' questions are answered by the teacher. • Ali posted the video online. • The video was posted online by





To examine the use of active	Identify the adverbs as modifiers to express time, place,	And a grant state of the second state of the s
and passive Voice in sentences.	manner, degree and frequency in sentences/text.	TYPES OF ADJECTIVES
	Adjectives and Active & Passive Voice	Proper Adjective Quantative Descriptive Indefinite Adjective Adjective Adjective
	Discuss how adjectives are used in describing nouns.	Possessive Demonstrative Interrogative Distributive Adjective Adjective Adjective
	Encourage them to practice the use of adjectives in sentences/text using the link given in the next column. Identify the different types of adjectives used in sentences.	Cardinal Ordinal Compound Articles as Adjective Adjective Adjective Adjective
	Ask the child to refer to magazines or newspaper articles to spot Active and Passive Voice.	http://michaelmorpurgo.com/allboo
	Click on the following links to understand more about adjectives, adverbs and active and passive voice.	Michael Morpurgo
Text Level: The Butterfly Lion – Michael	ADVERBS An adverb describes a verb, an adjective or another adverb. It tels us how, where, when, how much and with what frequency. An adverb can tel	<u>Meet Children's Laureate Sir Michae</u> <u>Morpurgo BookTrust</u>
Morpurgo: To explore the aspects of author's writing style by comparing themes,	HOW? WHERE? quietly above peacefully abova carefully far slowly away WHEN? HOW MUCH? quite guite far soon later enormously	<u>(81) Michael Morpurgo -The Butterf</u> Lion - Reading - YouTube
characterization and settings from different books by the same author.	badly closelyback heretomorrow yetentirely very alreadynormaly generaly usualy occasionaly ackwardswel backwardsalready tonightextremely ratherusualy occasionaly seldom rarely increasionaly almostfast quicklybelow downthen last yearalmost justseldom rarely never	michael Many view of the of th
	Click on the given links and read books of Michael Morpurgo. Discuss and share alternative openings and endings with the child. Encourage them to use their creativity and attempt the story in	





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To explore and discuss characterization in "The Butterfly Lion"



Reading Comprehension

Learning Objective: Unit 13: Non- Fiction The Trojan War

To retrieve, record and present information from non-fiction text.

To summarise the main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph, identifying key details that support the main idea.

To draw inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from Michael Morpurgo's style.

Encourage your child to draw, label or note a few words or phrases to describe their characters and settings.

Discuss with the children about differences between statements of fact and opinion.

Ask children to research more about the Trojan War using library books or the internet. Ask them to consider what things they consider likely to be factual, and to be prepared to share their findings with the class or a group.

Encourage children to give reasoned justification for their views.



https://www.englishmaven.org/Pages /Reading%20Comprehension.htm

https://www.k5learning.com/reading -comprehension-worksheets/fourthgrade-4

http://www.primaryresources.co.uk /english/english.htm

https://www.everyschool.co.uk/engl ish-key-stage-2-comprehension-2.html

Primary Resources: English: Text Level: Non-Fiction: Explanation Texts

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =GGHQ0dL_ZHo

What is an Explanation Text? | Twinkl Teaching Wiki - Twinkl

How to Write an Excellent Explanation Text in 5 Simple Steps (literacyideas.com)





their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence.	Encourage children to explor letters, posters, diagrams, ch		rent forms of an explanation seaflets, questionnaires.	text –	
	Discuss with children that expusually written in chronologic described in the exact order to Ask the children why diagram explanation teat? Click on the given links to explanation	cal ord that th ns are	 der – this means the process is sings happen or are done. an essential part of the 	5	Explanation Text: EXPLANATION Texts An explanation text tells the audience HOW something works or WHY something happens. It often describes the stages of a process.
<u>Text Level:</u>	22 y			EXAMPLES The Lifecycle Of A Frog	
Explanation text	EXPLANATION TEXTS			How Our Heart Pumps Blood Why Is The Sky Blue?	
	KEY FEATURES	~	KEY FEATURES	~	
Learning Objective: To explore the features and	Title (often uses 'How' or 'Why?')		Technical vocabulary (subject-specific)		
structure of an explanation text.	Opening paragraph (introduction)		May include labelled diagrams/illustrations		
What is an explanation text?	Chronological order		Clear layout		
E E E	Organisational devices (such as sub-headings or bullet points)		Causal conjunctions		
An explanation text is a NON-FICTION text	Present tense (unless it's a historical explanation)		Time connectives		
which DESCRIBES HOW or WHY things happen.	Impersonal tone (third person, passive voice, formal connectives)		Conclusion (linking back to the introduction)		
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	Moral Education link- Helping Each Other for Everyone's Benefit Assess how to grow and develop in a positive way, while cooperating and collaborating with other people so as to promote mutual well-being.		
Numeracy	To calculate and solve problems involving the perimeter of rectangle.	 Talk to the children that Perimeter is the distance around the edge of a shape. Share a few real-life examples to calculate the perimeter of different shapes. Encourage the children to use the formulae for finding the different shapes such as rectangle. 	https://toytheater.com/perimeter- climber/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= 1xfo5aLn2IU
		Talk to your child about graphs play an important part in our modern lives. Graphs are beneficial because they summarize and display information in a manner that is easy for most people to comprehend. They are used extensively in Sales and marketing, Economics, Business, Psychology, Science and Medicine.	bar chart <u>https://www.mathgames.com/skill/6.</u> <u>94-create-bar-graphs</u>









To calculate the area of a given shape and solve the problems in real life context.



Share that typical examples of the types of data that can be presented using bar graphs are monthly rainfall and annual unemployment rates etc.

Share and Talk to the children that the formula to find out the area of rectangle is Length x Breadth



Trevor is using wood tiles that measure 1 square meter. Trevor has 36 tiles. The space Trevor is tiling measures 10 meters long and 4 meters wide. Will Trevor have enough wood to cover his floor? Explain your answer in words, pictures, or numbers.



Hope says that she tiled a bigger wall than her brother Mark. Hope's wall was 7 meters by 4 meters. Mark used 21 square meter tiles to cover his wall. Whose wall was larger?



https://www.mathgames.com/skill/6 .93-interpret-bar-graphs

https://www.mathgames.com/skill/5. 115-area-of-squares-and-rectangles

I-Pad applications: https://www.mathsisfun.com/geome try/area.html







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Science Unit-Earth, Sun and Moon	To construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs,	Discuss how a simple circuit works and the important components of a circuit. Why is a switch an important component of a circuit?	https://learningcircuits.co.uk/
	switches and buzzers To use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram. To compare and give reasons for variations in how components function To compare series and parallel circuits. To build simple circuits to solve problems and find answers to questions. To design, create circuits and explain their working.	 Talk to them about the filament of the bulb. Compare the filaments of a working and non-working bulb. Show the circuit diagram of an electronic toy and discuss with them the symbols. Dismantle a simple electronic gadget or toy. Identify the different components and the wiring. Encourage your child to put it back together again. Does it work? Discuss with them how the different lights at home can be switched controlled by its switch while other lights and equipment's work. How is this possible? Discuss with them the dangers of electricity. Discuss with them the connection in decoration lights. What type of connection is it? How all bulbs will light up with one switch? 	<pre>bit content of the content of t</pre>





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	"قصة " صوت المحبة		
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	لعبة جملة وكلمة للتعرف على كان وأخواتها .	
	أَنْ يُفَسرَ التلميذ المُفْرَدَات الجَديدةَ	جمع صور تحمل كان وأخواتها	
	مُوظِّفًا القَامُوس المُصور.	مشاهدة فيديو عن نشيد كن بلسمًا .	
	أَنْ يُحَدِّدَ التلميذ عَنَاصِرَ القصةِ	تدريب التلميذ بالمنزل على بعض الكتابات الوصفية وكتابة اليوميات.	
	الفـَــنِّيَةِ.: (الشَّخْصِيّاتِ، وَالمَكانَ	يَكْتُبُ التلميذ فِقْرَةً مُضَمِّنًا إيّاها جُمْلَةً رَئِيسَةً، وَتَفاصيلَ داعٍمَةً، وَجْمَلَةً خاتِمَةً.	
	وَالزَّمانَ العاطفة .	يُحَدِّدُ التلميذ بعض الأحداث مُسْتَخْلِصًا مَغْزاهَا، مُعَبِّرًا عَنْ رَأَيِهِ فيها .	
	أن يُجيبَ التلميذ عَنْ أَسْئِلَةٍ النَصِّ		
	وَيَطْرَحُ أَسْئِلَةً: (مَنْ - ماذا - مَتَى - أَيْنَ -	يمكن لولي الأمر الدخول من خلال الرابط المرفق لموقع قناة اللغة العربية	
	لمِاذا – كَيْفَ) مُظْهِرًا فَهْمَهُ لِلنَّصِّ،	والتربية الإسلامية الخاص بمدرسة ونشستر ومتابعة التسجيلات الخاصة	
	مُبْدِيًا رَأَيَهُ فَيْهِ. أن يستنتج التلميذ سمات الشخصيات	بالدروس ومشاركتها مع التلميذ وتدوين ما تعلمه في دفتره المدرسي.	
	ال یستنیج التلمید شمات السخصیات نشید (کن بلسما)		
	أَنْ يُفَسرَ التلميذ المُفْرَدَات الجَديدة		قناة اللغة العربية والتربية الإسلامية بمدرسة
	مُوظِّفًا القَامُوسِ المُصورِ.		ونشستر
	أن يشرح التلميذ المعنى الإجمالي		منصة كتي
	للنصوص الأدبية.		
	أن يُفَسِّرُ التِلميذ الكَلِماتِ مُسْتَعينًا		
	بِمُرادِفاتِها وَأَضْدادِها وَسِياقِها		
	أَنْ يُصَمِّمَ التلميذ بِطَاقَةً تَعْرِيفيَّةً عَنْ		
	الشاعر		
	كتابة نص معلوماتي		
	أن يفسر التلميذ الجمل والعبارات المستخدمة في النصوص الأدبية.		
	المستخدمة في التصوص الأدبية. أَنْ يستنتج التلميذ العلاقة بين		
	الأحداث (أحداث بسيطة من النص).		
	أن يُجيبَ التلميذ عَنْ أَسْئِلَةِ النَّصِّ		
	وَيَطْرَحُ أَسْئِلَةً: (مَنْ - ماذا - مَتَّى - أَيْنَ -		





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	لمِاذا – كَيْفَ) مُظْهِرًا فَهْمَهُ لِلنَّصِّ، مُبْدِيًا رَأْيَهُ فَيْهِ.		
Arabic for Non - Arabs	Hobbies: الهواياتTo describe different hobbiesthat you can preferer(reading- drawing-shopping- writing)To use specific expressions and forms to write about a Hobbies.To express his/her opinion in different happy events.To analyse a text about the Hobbies events.To create a paragraph about the Hobbies apply events.Happy occasion outureTo describes happy occasion(birthday-mother's dayTo use some punctuation 	Encourage your child to use the topic vocabulary to practice writing about his favorite favourite hobby. Encourage your child to memorize their new vocabulary about the new topic from the Arabic notebook and book (dictionary). Share videos with your child about happy occasions in Arabic to help him - her in speaking and writing about them. Go through the links on the Arabic and Islamic YouTube channel so that you can help your child learn more at home about the topic	Arabic and Islamic YouTube Channel Kotubee reading platform
Islamic for Arabs	سورة التكوير أن يتلو التلميذ أول 14 آية من سورة التكوير تلاوة سليمة. أن يبين التلميذ معاني المفردات أن يشرح التلميذ الآيات القرآنية مطبقًا لحكم القلقة. الإحسان الي الناس	مساعدة الابن في البحث عن آيات قرآنية عن أحداث يوم القيامة. مساعدة الابن في البحث عن صدق النبي مستدلً عا بآيات من القرآن. مساعدة الابن في البحث عن مواضع القلقة في الآيات القرآنية وتطبيقها. مساعدة الابن في البحث عن أحاديث نبوية شريفة تحثنا علي الإحسان الي الناس. حث الابن على حسن الخلق والإحسان الي الناس. حث الابن علي صلاة الجماعة في المسجد أو البيت. يمكن لولي الأمر الدخول من خلال الرابط المرفق لموقع قناة اللغة العربية والتربية الإسلامية الخاص بمدرسة ونشستر ومتابعة التسجيلات الخاصة بالدروس ومشاركتها مع التلميذ وتدوين ما تعلمه في دفتره المدرسي.	قناة اللغة العربية والتربية الإسلامية بمدرسة _ ونشستر





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	أن يستنبط التلميذ أهمية الإحسان الي الناس. أن يوضح التلميذ صورا من الإحسان أن يشرح التلميذ مشاهد حياتية للإحسان الي الناس . صلاة الجماعة أن يوضح التلميذ أهمية وفضل صلاة الجماعة. أن يشرح التلميذ كيفية أداء صلاة الجماعة. المسبوق.		
Islamic for Non – Arabs	 The real Bankrupt (Noble Hadith) To explain the concept of the bankrupt. To identify the actions that cause Man bankruptcy on the day of judgement. Calling (Da'wah) the People of Ta'if to Islam. To identify the goal of the messenger (P-B-U-H) of calling the people of Ta'if to Islam. 	 Share with your child the general meaning of the Hadith of the bankrupt man. Talk with your child about the concept of real bankrupt. Talk with your child about the goal of prophet Mohamed of Colling the people of Ta'if. Explain to your child the patience that prophet show during the events of calling the people of Taif. Share with your child the supplication for riding. Talk with your child about the etiquette of using means of transportation. Encourage your child to color monthly prayer chart and answers in book ISLAM MY WAY OF LIVING as Encourage your child to apply obligatory element of Salah. Go through the links on the Arabic and Islamic YouTube channel so that you can help your child learn more at home about the topic. 	<u>The Bankrupt</u> <u>Arabic and Islamic YouTube Channel</u> <u>calling the people of ta'if</u> <u>Calling the people of Ta'if</u>





To explain the patience and determination the Prophet show during the events of calling the people of Ta'if The etiquette of riding means of transportation. To learn the supplication for riding from memory. To explain the etiquette of using means of transportation. To conclude the benefits of the etiquette of using means transportation.Talk about the features of human geography and physical geography. Encourage your child to create a map of your local area.https://www.dubaionline.com/maps/ https://www.dubaionline.com/maps/ https://kids.britannica.com/kids/articl edensite.GeographyTo explore the physical and human geographical features of your local area.Talk about the features of human geography and physical geography. Encourage your child to create a map of your local area. Vocabulary: Physical geography, buttlement, economy, natural resources, river, lake, landscape, mountain, volcano, biome, vegetation belt, wildlife, flora, fauna, climate, water, fieldwork, measure, observe, record, map, sketch, graph.https://kids.britannica.com/kids/articl e/North-America/353542	<u> </u>	ing Learning Newsletter-rear 5- November 2	025
https://www.ducksters.com/geograp hy/northamerica.php https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/ geography/countries/article/united- states	To explain the patience and determination the Prophet show during the events of calling the people of Ta'if The etiquette of riding means of transportation. To learn the supplication for riding from memory. To explain the etiquette of using means of transportation. To conclude the benefits of the etiquette of using means transportation. To explore the physical and human geographical features	Talk about the features of human geography and physical geography. Encourage your child to create a map of your local area. Vocabulary: Physical geography, human geography, settlement, economy, natural resources, river, lake, landscape, mountain, volcano, biome, vegetation belt, wildlife, flora, fauna, climate, water, fieldwork,	https://www.dubaionline.com/maps/ https://korter.ae/discovery- gardensduba https://kids.britannica.com/kids/articl e/North-America/353542 https://www.ducksters.com/geograp hy/northamerica.php https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/ geography/countries/article/united-
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History	To explore Anglo- Saxon	Talk to your child about the significance of artefacts in history.	https://kids.britannica.com/students/
	artefacts.	Share with your child the impact of Anglo- Saxon culture on world	article/artifact/316586
		history.	
		Encourage your child to research the Anglo-Saxon artefacts in world	https://www.bl.uk/anglo-
		museums.	saxons/articles/learning-and-
		Vocabulary: artefact, excavation, archaeology, historian, sources,	education-in-anglo-saxon-england
		evidence, interpretation	
			https://londonducklings.co.uk/kids-
			british-museum/
			british-museum/
		Talk with your child about the measures to be taken to save everyone	https://www.c2es.org/content/climat
UAE Social		from the effect of climate change.	e-basics-for-
Studies	To explore how we know that		kids/#:~:text=The%20primary%20cau
	the climate is changing.	Share with your child how the changing climate affects life on earth.	se%20of%20climate,the%20planet%2
			C%20creating%20climate%20change.
		Encourage your child to research how scientists find the change in	
		climate over millions of years.	
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		Vocabulary: sediment, ice cores, force field.	guide-to-climate-change/
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			https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/disc
			over/geography/general-
			geography/what-is-climate-change/





French	To identify animals in French. To differentiate between masculine, feminine and plural nous. To identify Colours in French. To describe animals using adjective agreement.	Talk Ask your child to talk about the animals in French. Share Create a presentation or poster about colors and animals. Encourage Students to keep exploring the links given.	 (1) French for kids: vocabulaire, les animaux de compagnie, - YouTube (2) (1) J La Chanson des Animaux J French Animals Song J Les Animaux en Français J Learn French Basics J - YouTube (3) (1) French colors - Couleurs - Arc en ciel by alain le lait - YouTube (4) (1) Pets in French - YouTube (5) (1) How to say 'the' in French the definite article - YouTube
Physical Education Activity-1 Activity -2 Activity - 3 Activity - 4	Sports day: Practice Galloping & jumping <u>Rounder:</u> Bowling (From Short Distance) <u>Rounder:</u> Fielding positions and game <u>Rounder:</u> Batting	Talk and Encourage the children to do the following: <u>Proper warm up</u> The Students will do the proper warm up and will practice the skills with basic rules.Follow the links for the skills and rules <u>Cooldown</u> After the game students will do proper cooldown activity.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =RnTIBjNsHFg https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =5oHdTARFmOY https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =f5Lxiy9_L9Q https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =f5Lxiy9_L9Q





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			=f5Lxiy9 L9Q
			https://www.youtube.com/watch?v
			=WC3kFvO8GRQ
Music Year	Improving children's	Encourage the child sings action songs at home and practice	https://www.timeout.com/new-
05	confidence and musicality	recorder at home.	vork-kids/music/best-kids-songs
	through singing actions		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v
(Kiko)	songs and chanting	Ask the child to perform the songs we learned in school.	=jszDCEGWbNo
	rhymes.		
	Improving on listening	Help the child choose which other songs they know aside	
	skills and recalling.	from the songs taught in school and let them invent their	
	Playing with a recorder	own singing actions.	
Music Year	Improving child's	Let the child understand the music note and the finger	Easy Havana Recorder Tutorial Part 1
05	confidence and musicality	position on the recorder.	<u>- Step by Step - YouTube</u>
	through music letter		
(Joyson)	names reading.	Ask the child to perform it with the beat. Below mentioned	
(,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	_	link is for the beats.	
	We explore the music		
	notes in a specific song	80 BPM - Simple Straight Beat - Drum Track - YouTube	
	"Havana" to help		
	students play in the		
	recorder.		
	Learning how to play the	Let the child practice at home, even though there will be	
Music Year	song "Havana" on	squeaking.	
05	recorder	Be an audience. Kindly check if the child is holding the	
		recorder properly.	
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	Topic Radio Station	Radio Station Research:	
ICT			
	To use software and digital	Challenge to research existing radio stations to investigate what a	Fun Kids - the UK's children's radio
	devices for recording sound.	broadcast is and what they enjoy listening to. Research examples of	station - (funkidslive.com)
	To make adverts and use	good adverts and what makes a good advert.	How to write BBC World Service
	jingles.	Podcast Research and Interview:	
	To write scripts and design additional advertising for the WIN Radio.	Discuss about ideas for their own new podcast to be recorded about an event, hobby or interesting topic of their choice.	
	To design and record a persuasive radio advert for a product/service.	Challenge to think of interview questions for a friend or family member.	
	To present and evaluate		
	audio content.		