

Squirrels Home Learning Ideas	
Weekly maths tasks (No more than 1 per day)	Weekly reading tasks (No more than 1 per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ask your child to play on Times Table Rockstars Use the daily Maths from White Rose Home Learning. Year 4 https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-4/ I see maths daily problems could also be used as an additional task (Challenge is included here). https://www.iseemaths.com/home-lessons/ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ask your child to read a chapter from their home reading book or a book of their choice. Following this, ask your child to summarise the events from the chapter. They could bullet point what happened, create a comic strip or present the information in their own creative way. Encourage your child to note down any unfamiliar words from the chapter they have read. Explore the meanings of these words by using a dictionary, reading around the sentence or using print conventions.
Weekly spelling tasks (No more than 1 per day)	Weekly writing tasks (No more than 1 per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ask your child to practise their spelling words on Spelling Shed, or on paper, using a method of their choice. Practise the common exception words for Year 3 and 4. http://www.crosslee.manchester.sch.uk/serve_file/253974 Put them into a word search, or a hangman type game or make a word pyramid. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Write a recount to a family member telling them all about how your day or week has been. You could email or post it to someone. Write a shopping list that ensures their family will eat a balanced diet. Remembering to include exciting adjectives. Write a set of instructions on how to play a game or do something. Don't forget to include headings and subheadings. Then write their set of instructions, remembering to include imperative verbs. (Verbs that command you to do something). Write a book review of something they have read. Choose a particular topic and write an acrostic poem. Think about where it comes from? What does it look like? What does it taste like? Etc.... Try the daily English task from bbc bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons Take part in a writing master class at https://authorfy.com/ Write a description of a setting using Pobble 365 https://www.pobble365.com/
<p>Cross Curricular Links</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oak National Academy www.oaknationalacademy.co.uk BBC Bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize Your child's class page on our School Website. https://www.stalbridge.dorset.sch.uk/year-4/ 	

Please keep checking the website for cross curricular ideas and I also set assignments on Seesaw every Monday and Thursday if your child would like to have a go at those. Most importantly look after each other and do whatever you feel is right for you and your child. These are just ideas and nothing is compulsory. Please keep in touch via Seesaw, we are all missing the children.

Best wishes

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