

Year 2 Week 4 – Food

Weekly Maths Tasks

Task 1: Times Table Rockstars and Numbots.

Get practicing your 2, 5 and 10 times tables on [Times Table Rockstars](#). You can use the same log in details to go onto Numbots, where you can practice addition and subtraction. How many awards can you win this week? Will your class get the most awards?

Task 2: Get Baking!

Baking includes lots of Maths skills – weighing, measuring, halving, doubling, estimating.

Give this recipe a go and send in your creations to us so we can put you on our twitter page.

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/easy-vanilla-cupcakes>

While you are busy baking, I want you to think about this:

1. This recipe makes 12 cupcakes. How many eggs would you need if you wanted to make double the amount of cakes?
2. If I used 100g of flour, is that enough? How much more do I need?
3. If you made these 12 cupcakes and wanted to share them out to 6 children at school, how many cupcakes would they get each?

Task 3: Food sequence

Create a food sequence using any food from around your home.

Look at what Mrs Everett created:



She has created a sequence of 1, 3, 5, 7, 9

What do you notice about those numbers?

Create as many different patterns as you like.

Think about:

- Counting in twos, threes, fives and tens
- Odd or even
- Doubling or halving
- Shape pattern (cube, sphere, cube, sphere or 2D, 3D, 2D, 3D)

Get creative and send us your sequences!

Weekly Reading tasks

Task 1: Read the story of Pumpkin Soup

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IDax5kx2-Ks>

Why did Squirrel and Cat feel upset? Why did Duck leave his friends? What made all the animals feel better?

Think of a time you have fallen out with a friend or family member. How did it make you feel? Can you think of a way to make yourself feel better next time, just like Cat, Squirrel and Duck?

Task 2: Practise your phonics

by playing games on <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>. Resources are currently free, use the username and password provided on the website homepage.

Task 3: Choose two stories to listen to: [Storyline Online](#)

Think about the links between the two stories you have chosen and write down some similarities and differences. What is the same or different about the main characters and the story? Are the stories both fiction? Do the stories have illustrations?

Weekly writing tasks

Task 1 Instructions: Help your adult make a healthy meal. Can you write instructions to explain how to make the meal., Use headings, subheadings, numbered steps and commands (bossy verbs).

Task 2 Poetry: Read some of the food poems here: <https://bit.ly/2YYRB4A> by Ken Nesbitt. Can you write your own food poem about your favourite food? Choose whether it should rhyme or not and how to set out your poem.

Task 3 Advertisement: Design a box for new cereal. Look at some of the cereal boxes you have at home and think about what needs to be included on your box. What will the name of your cereal? How will you describe it? What eye-catching information can you include?

Task 4 Story: Listen to the story of Supertato: <https://bit.ly/2B5jqZB>. Write your own story with an item of food as the main character. What might the problem be in the story? How does the problem get solved? Can you describe the characters and the setting in detail.

Learning project

The learning project this week is all about food. The activities will develop your design and technology skills.

Task 1 School Menu. Design a school menu for one week. Think about what should be served each day and how to make it healthy and balanced. Can you include prices on your menu? Can you include pictures of each food?

Task 2 Cooking: Look here: <https://bit.ly/2NpsiTC> and find a recipe you would like to cook or find your own recipe. Ask an adult to help you check you have everything and to have a go at cooking it. Take a picture of what you have made to share with us.

Task 3 Fruit and Vegetable Printing: Look at this video: <https://bbc.in/37W8RLN>, which shows the work of artist Lynn Flavell. Can you make your own fruit and vegetable printing picture in the style of Lynn Flavell?

Task 4 My Favourite Food: what is your favourite food? Can you make a fact file about it. Research how it is grown or made, the country it is produced in, how it is eaten and any other fascinating facts. Think about how to set out your fact file so your teachers will be excited to read it.

Other useful websites/resources

[Oak National Academy](#) – government provided lessons, including video presentations

[BBC daily lessons](#) – loads of great resources, games etc.

Email

Remember you can discuss work with the class teacher via weekly phone calls. You can also email any photographs or work to be shared on twitter. Please include your child's name and class on emails so it can be forwarded to the correct teacher!

Email - enquiry@yarnfieldprimary.org.uk