

Music

1. **What musical family is the glockenspiel part of?** Percussion
2. **How do you make a sound on the glockenspiel?** Hit the notes.
3. **What are the notes on a glockenspiel?** A B C D E F G
4. **What are the black notes called?** Sharp # or flat b
5. **How can I change the volume on a glockenspiel?** Hit the notes harder or softer.

Gymnastics

1. **What does in unison mean?** Together
2. **Name the different types of jump.** Bunny, rocket and star
3. **Name the different types of roll.** Teddy bear and forward
4. **How should you walk in gymnastics?** Pointed toes
5. **Where do my knees need to be when I do a bunny hop?** Together

Hockey

1. **How should you hold a hockey stick?** Left hand on top of stick. Right hand at bottom
2. **How do you pass the ball?** Focus on direction, side on. Push don't pat
3. **How do you stop the ball?** Stand face on to ball, bend knees
4. **What do we need to remember when shooting?** Push or slap shot accurately and stick facing the target.
5. **How do we safely tackle someone?** Stick behind the ball, eye on the ball and low body.

French

Say the following in French:

1. **un chameau-** a camel
2. **un serpent-** a snake
3. **un singe-** a monkey
4. **une grenouille-** a frog
5. **un chien-** a dog

PSHE

1. **What does being jealous mean?** A feeling of wanting to have what someone else has.
2. **Name 3 positive feelings.** Happy, excited, proud, grateful, ecstatic
3. **Name 3 negative feelings.** Unhappy, upset, angry, jealous, embarrassed, ungrateful
4. **Why might people feel jealous?** If they feel isolated, lonely or insecure
5. **How can you cope with feeling jealous?** Talking, asking for advice and relaxation

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Information for parents

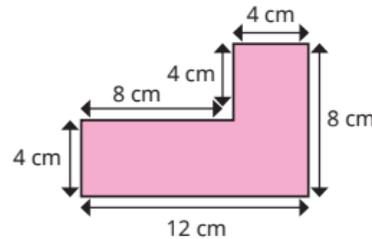
Miss Bright, Mr Adams, Miss D

Dear Parent/Carer,

We hope that you have had an enjoyable half term. This letter is to inform you of what your child will be learning this half term, through a range of questions that they should be able to answer by the Easter holidays.

Mathematics

1. $\frac{1}{7} + - = \frac{6}{7}$ $\frac{5}{7}$
2. Write $\frac{9}{6}$ as a mixed number. $1\frac{3}{6}$
3. What's $\frac{3}{10}$ as a decimal? 0.3
4. What's 0.51 as a fraction? $\frac{51}{100}$
5. What's the perimeter of the shape?
40 cm



Please also spend time at home practising times tables with your child. They will be sitting the Year 4 multiplication tables check in the summer term. They can do this using the Multiplication Check on Maths Frame. We do this very frequently in class, so your child will be very skilled using it.

English

1. Underline the subordinate clause. Jelly had twenty pounds in her pocket, which she had been saving for Grans birthday. Jelly had twenty pounds in her pocket, which she had been saving for Grans birthday.
2. Identify the pronouns in the sentence. Jelly was talking to her Gran. Jelly was talking to her Gran.
3. What is a metaphor? A metaphor is a way to describe something as if it is something else – She was skating on thin ice.
4. What does it mean to gaze at something? To gaze means to look at something.
5. Add a fronted adverbial to this sentence – Jelly ran to her Gran's caravan. As the sky darkened, Jelly ran to her Gran's caravan.

A reminder that children should be reading at home at least 3 x a week and recording it in their reading journals. It is expected that reading journals are brought to school each day and handed in on a Friday.

Science

1. What happens if a plant does not get light? It may not grow well. It may droop and look lacklustre. Its colour may change.
2. How can plants adapt to get water? Plants may use their leaves or root onto another plant and use their water source.
3. If the weather was extreme cold (freezing) or extreme heat, what could happen to the plant? Depending on the climate they live in they may already be able to adapt e.g. cacti who store water. Some plants who are not used to this habitat may die.
4. What does classification help us to do? To identify different living creatures and plants by sorting them by their similar characteristics.

Design and Technology

1. What does a hydraulic system use to carry pressure? Liquid carries pressure in a hydraulic system.
2. Name one thing that uses a hydraulic system. Brakes, amusement rides and lifts all use hydraulic systems.
3. Is a volcano a hydraulic system? A volcano is a hydraulic system.
4. Which part of a volcano is a hydraulic system? The magma chamber is part of the hydraulic system.
5. When using Modroc how do I make sure it sticks? To make sure Modroc sticks you need to ensure it is wet.

R.E.

1. What is a trial? When someone is asked questions about breaking the law.
2. What is crucifixion? When someone is killed as a punishment.
3. Who are the four authors of the Bible? Mark, Matthew, Luke and John.
4. According to the Easter story, who was called 'The King of the Jews'? Jesus Christ
5. Who was it that denied Jesus? Peter

Geography

1. Where is Lower Saxony? Northern Germany
2. What is grown on farms in Lower Saxony? wheat, rye, oats, potatoes, sugar beets, and dairy and beef cattle.
3. What is grown on farms in Cambridgeshire? wheat, oilseed rape, sugar beet, potatoes and pig and poultry
4. How is it different in Lower Saxony compared to Cambridgeshire? More rain in Lower Saxony
5. How is it similar in Lower Saxony compared to Cambridgeshire? A lot of the crops are the same and the land is equally flat, which is good for crop production.