

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.

Design and Technology

1. **What is a pneumatic system operated by?** Air
2. **What does a compressor do?** Compresses air
3. **When 2 syringes are connected by a tube, what is the activator?** The tube
4. **What do you call the top of the rocket?** The nose
5. **What is a prototype?** A first version of something which you can test and improve on.

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

Rugby

- 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.

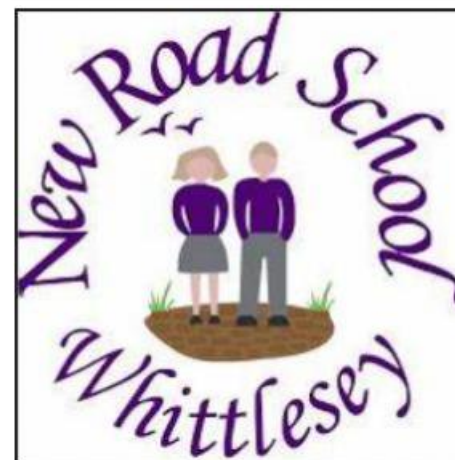
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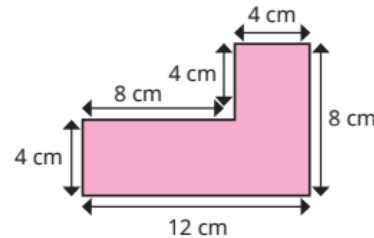
Miss Alegre, Miss Littlechild and Ms Khan.

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. $\frac{9}{7} - \frac{3}{7} = \frac{\square}{7}$ $\frac{6}{7}$
2. What is 3km 450m in metres? 3450 m
3. What is $\frac{3}{10}$ as a decimal? 0.3
4. What is 0.51 as a fraction? $\frac{51}{100}$
5. What is the perimeter of the shape?
40 cm



English

1. Underline the subordinate clause. Jelly had twenty pounds in her pocket, which she had been saving for Gran's birthday. Jelly had twenty pounds in her pocket, which she had been saving for Gran's birthday.
2. Identify the pronouns in the sentence. She was talking to her gran. She was talking to her gran.
3. What is a simile? A simile directly compares two things using comparison words such as 'like a' or 'as a' - She ran like the wind.
4. What is a metaphor? A metaphor is a way to describe something as if it is something else – She was skating on thin ice.
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.

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. What happened on Good Friday? Jesus was crucified

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. Why is a holly leaf spiky on the lower parts of a holly tree and an oval shape at the top of a holly tree? As predators like deer eat the leaves, the tree has adapted to spiky leaves to prevent the deer eating them at the lower parts of the tree.
5. What does classification help us to do? To identify different living creatures and plants by sorting them by their similar characteristics.

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

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.

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