



Year 3 and 4 Summer Home Learning Suggestions - English

Reading:

- Have a look at the reading trail for your new year group and try to read at least one of the books recommended.
- Create a character profile based on your favourite character from a book. Try to include information about their appearance, personality and anything you like/dislike about them.
- Choose a book you know well, can you create a new front cover and blurb for it?
- Create your own dictionary by writing down any new words that you come across while reading, along with the definitions.
- Read news articles. The following link will take you to articles based on positive events!
<https://live.firstnews.co.uk/positivity-place/>
- If you could ask an author any question, who would you ask and what would it be?

Writing:

- Use the link below which will take you to The Fun Shed, where you will find video clips! Use these to create comic strips or storyboard the main events. There are lots more ideas too below each video.
<https://www.literacysshed.com/the-fun-shed.html>
- Think of a story you know well, could you re-tell it in your own words?
- Write about what it would be like if you had an alligator as a pet.
- If you could have any secret super power, what would you want it to be and why? Write a paragraph to explain why, and you could include an illustration.
- Write a set of instructions on how to do something that you enjoy e.g. how to make your favourite sandwich or how to complete a level on your favourite computer game.
- Write a letter to a friend or family member telling them all about something you have enjoyed recently.

SPAG (Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar):

- Use the LGFL grammar website to make sure you know what all of the grammatical terms mean for your year group.
<http://grammar.lgfl.org.uk/>
- Learn how to spell the Year 3 and 4 word list. You could make a word search out of the words to help you. <https://thewordsearch.com/maker/>
- Can you create an A-Z of adjectives, adverbs, or verbs?
- Watch MC Grammar's videos to help you to remember some grammar.
<https://www.theteachertrain.com/mc-grammar>
Can you make one of your own raps to help you remember a grammar term?

Handwriting:

- Improve your joined handwriting by writing up one of your own stories in neat, or write out an extract from your favourite book. Remember not to join capital letters!