

**Year 3 4 Weekly Homework (Week commencing Monday 22<sup>th</sup> June)**

**Remember to send evidence of your work (either in a message/photo/video) to the class dojo on the portfolio or on message.** Or via email at

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Your homework is your choice! There are 9 challenges to choose from below. Please complete 6 challenges this week. Also remember to check for the extra dojo challenges on class dojo

**Challenge 1- Postcard**

Write a postcard to a family member recounting a celebration that has taken place.

For example this could be about any celebration for instance a birthday , Christmas, New year or Easter and many more.

Front

Back



**Remember to include:**

Address that you are sending the postcard to

A greeting phrase

Information about the celebration

Lost of descriptive techniques

A goodbye phrase

**Extension**

Postcards normally have a picture on the front, could you design the front of your postcard with pictures related to your celebration.

**Challenge 2- Maths Problem**

For your birthday you have been asked to create a list of what presents you would like. You will need to find out how much everything is and work out how much money you would need in total.



You have an imaginary budget of £250 so spend it wisely.

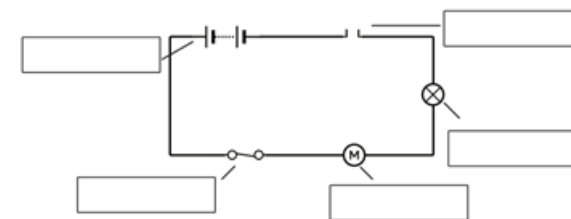
Create a list of everything you would like and find out how much they will cost individually. Once you have picked everything you will then need to see if this is all within your budget. If not it is time to make some cuts.

It is your choice how you spend it and if you spend it all.

Happy imaginary shopping!

**Challenge 3 – Electricity**

Draw your own version of this circuit and label the different parts in it.



**Extension activities:**

- Find out what is the use of all of the features within this circuit.
- Draw your own circuit

Watch this link to see the next lesson on Electricity

'What is power?'

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2882hv/articles/ztyjmsg>

#### **Challenge 4- Creative birthday project**

You celebrate your birthday once a year, apart from if you are the queen who has more than one.

For this challenge I would like you to complete your own choice of birthday resources this could be anything from the following list. Each activity is worth 5 dojo points!

- Birthday card.
- Creating birthday party invitations.
- Making birthday snacks.
- Planning your perfect birthday.
- Drawing a design of how you would like your birthday party to look.
- Writing a letter to persuade someone to buy you a gift you would like

You can choose any or all of the activities in the list to help you create your own amazing Birthday bonanza celebration.



#### **Challenge 5- Creation Station**

Let's Create:

Create a board game that focuses on celebrations.

Think about what the player can learn from it? Think about how to play the game. Is it going to be a game like Monopoly or Snakes and ladders? Are they going to need a dice? Cards? Characters? etc....



#### **Challenge 6 – Mindfulness**

Time to Talk:



Look through old photos of previous celebrations you and your family have taken part in. Think and talk about these questions with your family.

- What can you remember happened?
- Why do you and your families celebrate the way you do?
- What celebration was your favourite and why?
- What different celebrations do you celebrate?
- How do you celebrate?
- Do you have traditions that you do when you celebrate certain things?

### Challenge 7- Research challenge

Let's Wonder:

Use this challenge to find out how a certain celebration is celebrated in another part of the world. You can pick what holiday to research and also what part of the world you would like to find out about.



*So for instance*

How are birthdays celebrated in Africa?  
How is Christmas celebrated in Australia?

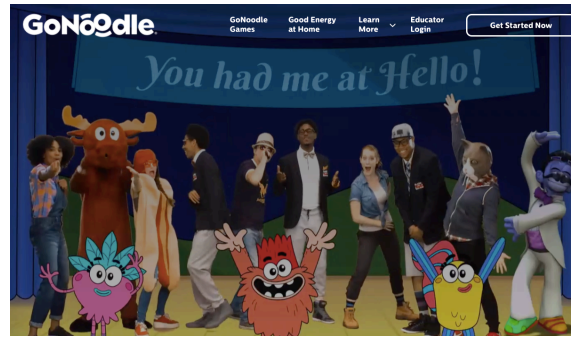
Create fact files to show the similarities and differences between them.

### Challenge 8

PE!

Have a look on go noodle for lots of fun active things to do.

<https://www.gonoodle.com/>



I know that my favourite part of the day is Joe Wicks' workouts but here are a few alternatives to try this week if you would like a change

Why don't you try

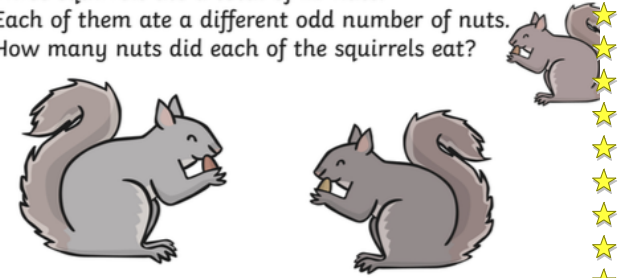
- The keppy uppy challenge
- The toilet roll keepy uppy challenge
- Create an obstacle course and challenge yourself or someone in your family to complete the course
  - Learn a new tiktok dance
  - Try a youtube 'just dance' video

Remember to try and make use of the

### Challenge 9- Maths challenge

#### **Odd Nut Challenge**

Three squirrels ate a total of 25 nuts.  
Each of them ate a different odd number of nuts.  
How many nuts did each of the squirrels eat?



Find as many different ways to do it as you can.

Here are some useful extra websites you could use if you are looking for more resources:

BBC bitesize has lessons on different subjects each day. These lessons include videos and tasks to do.

Maths-

White rose maths- daily lessons

BBC Bitesize- Daily lessons

Mathletics, ttrs.

English-

BBc bitesize

Phonics play- free log in

Bug club

Oxford owl

ICT-

Purple mash

BT coding

Music-

Youtube 'musichands'

Music Partnership North- Local heros project

PE-

Youtube, just dance, yoga,

Nike- livingroom challenge

Remember to make use of your log ins for mathletics, TTRS, bug club and purple mash alongside all these websites!