

Year 3 4 Weekly Homework (Week commencing Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April)

Topic: France

Your homework is your choice! There are 9 challenges to choose from below. Please try and complete 6 challenges this week.

**Challenge 1- Descriptive writing**

Improve and finish the writing by adding your descriptive writing techniques and your own ending.

Read the following:

*"The girl walked to the castle. It was big. The sky was bright.  
Someone came out the castle door. It was ....."*



*Remember to really paint a picture in the reader's mind of what the girl, castle and mysterious person were all like. Use all your techniques we have learnt about: adjectives, adverbs, varied sentence openers, different types of sentences etc.*

**Challenge 2- Maths problems**

Missing number problems

Can you complete the following calculations by filling in the missing numbers?

$$7 \times ? = 49$$

$$6 \times 8 = ?$$

$$5 \times ? = 45$$

$$10 \times ? = 120$$

$$8 \times ? = 56$$

$$? \times 3 = 21$$

$$? \times 5 = 60$$

**Challenge**

$$40 \text{ divided by } ? = 4$$

$$36 \text{ divided by } 6 = ?$$

$$63 \text{ divided by } 9 = ?$$

$$? \text{ divided by } 7 = 3$$

**Challenge 3 – Suffixes problem**

Read the following :

**'Housework isn't very enjoyable and because I'm quite clumsy, it is often dangerous. My clumsiness can be a real problem!'**

Mr Whoops has accidentally used three suffixes incorrectly. Fix the words by using the correct suffixes.

Suffix: A **suffix** is a letter, or group of letters, that is added to the end of a root (base) word.

**Challenge: can you think of any other words which use those suffixes?**

**Challenge 4- Science**

Watch the following clip:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zgffr82/articles/zx9hcg6>

Can you write an explanation with diagrams to explain how sounds are detected?

**Challenge 5**

If you could create a potion to do anything you wanted what would it be and why? Choose either or both of the following:

- Create instructions and ingredients list as to how to make this potion.
- Tell me what your potion is and what it does and why you chose this.

**Challenge 6** Imagine you are a superhero!



Can you draw a picture of your superhero? Labelling what each part of your costume does. What is your super power? How did you become a superhero?

### Challenge 7

*It has been 2 weeks since I have heard from you and have been missing you all, I would love to hear about what you have gotten up to.*

Can you write a letter to tell me some of the things you did with your two weeks off during the Easter holidays?

Remember to start your letter with ' Dear Miss Balmer' and to sign it off with your name at the end.

### Challenge 8

2 hours of exercise is recommended per week!

Here is a list of some things you could be doing if it is available and safe to do so.

- Joe Wicks workouts (I know I am enjoying doing these)
- Go on small walks if possible and safe to do so
- Try challenging yourself to how many of an action you can do in 1 min (jumping jacks, steps, jumps)
- Try helping out around the house this will get you very active
  - Test your hand at some gardening
  - Skipping is a great form of keeping active

There are lots of videos on YouTube of dances you can try and learn or exercise videos, which are great fun and can keep you busy and active while also staying safe!

### Challenge 9

Time to talk!

Family and friends are extremely important at this strange time.

Talk to your family members/ friends and find out some facts about them.



Birthday

Find out some of their favourite things:  
Favourite colour, food, hobby, song.

Were they all born in the local area?  
Has anything changed in the local area since they were born?

What fun memories have they got from being young?