

Devonshire Hill Primary School Homework Passport

Year 1

Spring 1

2016/17



Topic: 'The Magic Toy-Maker'

Focus Figure: Ole Kirk Christiansen

Focus Text: *Dogger* by Shirley Hughes

Choose 2 or more to complete.

1. Make a 3D model toy from junk materials. Try to include a moving part.
2. Design a toy that could be from the future. Draw a picture of your idea and give a brief description of what the toy does.
3. Sort your toys into groups, for example: soft toys, electronic toys, wooden toys, mechanical toys. Label the groups and then take pictures to bring to school or make a collage with the pictures.
4. Research different toys using the computer and write an information book about them.

Don't forget to read your Home/School Reading Books, practice your Weekly Spelling Words in time for your test on Tuesdays and learn your Times Tables.

English

Focus Text: *'Beegu'* by Alexis Deacon

Choose 2 or more to complete:

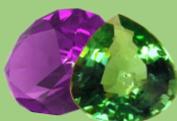
1. Make a list of all the different words you can think of which mean the same as: 'said', 'big' and 'small'.
2. Write a review of your favourite toy. Remember to include an explanation of why it is your favourite, what the toy does, its strengths, its weaknesses and an idea of how it could be improved.
3. Make a booklet about Earth to help Beegu. You must include a picture of Earth.
4. Write your own alien story.
5. Write a special message to Beegu in English and in 'alien'.

Maths:

Choose 2 or more to complete:

1. Can you learn all the ways of making 40? Try writing down the number sentences and learning them off by heart. Get your family to test you!
Challenge: Can you make 40 with 3 numbers? How about 4 numbers?
2. Can you write the numbers from 0-40, if you can write them already, can you write them using words?
3. Use 2D shapes to draw a house! Label the shapes. Draw round objects, cut out card or use the computer.
Challenge: Can you include a pentagon? hexagon? octagon? oval? trapezium?
4. Draw round your foot so you have a clear outline. Cover your foot outline with 1p coins. Make sure your foot is completely covered! How much is your foot worth? Suppose you try 2p coins! How much is your foot worth now? Or 5p coins....?

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Your homework is due to be completed and returned by:

Friday 10th February 2017

Please remember you should try to complete at least three pieces of homework, one from each subject.