

Don Class Activity Grid w/c 11.01

Hello Don class! I am sorry not to be able to welcome you all back to class but hope to see you all soon. I would like you to focus this week on settling back into schoolwork and getting routines and structures that work for you all in place. Below is a grid of activities for you to use – there is no pressure to do all of these tasks so please do what you feel is appropriate. It would be great to see some of your efforts which can be emailed to me – daniel.reid@braidburn.edin.sch.uk

I will be in contact with you all early this week (w.c 11/1) to catch up where we can discuss any issues etc.

Circle Time Activities:

1) Date – What is today's date? Can you sign it? Can you write it? What day was it yesterday? What day is it tomorrow?

2) Timetable – What are we doing today? What activities are we planning? Where do they fit in across the day? How do they fit in with snacks/lunch?

3) Newsround –

https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/news/watch_newsround

We usually watch Newsround to keep in touch with what is happening – can you remember what happened in the news stories? Do you have any thoughts or opinions about what you saw? Do you want to find out more? Perhaps you can create an information sheet for somebody else?

4) Hi5 -

We do a daily 5 minute exercise activity and these are some of our favourites!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0TgLf3PMOc> Count to 100

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yTeUqWGCKjA> Count to 100 – version 2

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Imhi98dHa5w> Dinosaur Stomp

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qsonHTjcnj4> Beat from your seat

The following websites may prove useful for resources and teaching ideas in addition to the grid below:

<http://www.amazingeducationalresources.com/> A large range of free resources to support learning during lockdown

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/> offers a range of maths and literacy games

Twinkl are offering free access to a wealth of teaching worksheets and resources

BBC are offering a range of teaching activities online and on iplayer/ BBC one

<p>Routines: Create a visual timetable to help plan the day - I would recommend following our circle time activities set out as a daily start</p>	<p>Read a story together</p> <p>Who are the characters? What happens in the story? Can you tell someone else what happens in the right order?</p>	<p>Practice your number sequences - Can you count on from a number or backwards from a number? Can you jump forward or back in 2's?</p>	<p>Write or talk about your day or the holidays. Can you remember all of the things you did? What did you like doing? What didn't you like</p>
<p>Play a game – Who's turn is now/next? Can you explain the rules to someone?</p>	<p>What letters make up your name? Can you spell it out or find the letters around you (newspapers/magazines/online or outside)</p>	<p>Can you see any plants and animals outside? Make a picture or written list of what you find and how many of each item</p>	<p>Hide and seek: Can you hide/find objects in a room for someone to find?</p>
<p>Music: Can you sing or find a song that you like? Can you make up some dance moves for it?</p>	<p>Facts fun: Find out about a new place or recipe and tell someone about it</p>	<p>Lifeskills: Dressing - Can you help sort and organise your clothes for the day? Can you dress/undress as independently as you can?</p>	<p>Days of the week/Months of the year: Can you say what comes before or after? Can you sign these?</p>