

# Year 4 Home Learning Challenges

## Week commencing 23 March 2020



### English

Persuasive Writing – Children have been learning about writing in a persuasive style. You can find out about that by following this link:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-ks1-ks2-how-to-write-a-persuasive-text/zkcfbdm>

Please use this information to plan and write a persuasive piece of writing in defence of one of these statements.

- a) Zoos should be banned
- b) All energy drinks should be illegal
- c) Children under 15 should not have access to mobile telephones and portable devices

In your writing, try to use the present perfect tense. You can find details of how to do this by watching this video.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oXqsVMC3tmo>

and looking at this website

[https://www.grammar-monster.com/glossary/present\\_perfect\\_tense.htm](https://www.grammar-monster.com/glossary/present_perfect_tense.htm)

### Maths

This week, we are learning how to subtract fractions from whole numbers. You can learn about that here...

<https://study.com/academy/lesson/how-to-subtract-fractions-from-whole-numbers.html>

There are then some activities you can do here...

<https://study.com/academy/practice/quiz-worksheet-subtracting-fractions-from-whole-numbers.html>

## Theme

We are learning about the rainforest and the animals that live in the rainforest. Pick an animal. Find out some information about the animal.

© What layer of the rainforest does it live in?

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/homework-help/rainforest-habitats>

<https://www.hamilton-trust.org.uk/topics/lower-key-stage-2-topics/rainforests/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JEsV5rgbVnQ>

Think of a way to present the information you find. It could be a poster; a video, a report or a slideshow.

## PE

You may be stuck in the house but that does not mean you can't get some exercise.

You can challenge yourself to do as many push ups or sit ups as you can in one minute, then repeat that twice a day and see if you can improve your score.

Alternatively, try Maurice's great workout. Get ready to be tired out...

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L\\_A\\_HjHZxfI](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L_A_HjHZxfI)

## RE

In Christianity there are many different symbols of peace. For example; the dove and the colour white. Think about what peace means to you and come up with your own symbol for peace.

Good luck with these activities. We look forward to giving you more next week.

Don't forget to read books.

Mr O'Shea and Miss Curl