

# P3/4's Home Learning

Friday 26th February 2021

## Literacy:

### Spelling/ Handwriting

Write out your spelling words and then choose one word and use the letters to write an acrostic poem.

Once you have finished, sound out each word and have a go at spelling aloud.

### Word list:

Brain Box	Genius Gems	Super Stars
arrow	when	blue
narrow	where	clue
yellow	wheel	due
elbow	which	argue
borrow	while	cruel
shadow	while	duet
shallow	white	fuel

## Acrostic Poem

Choose one of your spelling words.  
Write an acrostic poem using that word.  
Illustrate your poem.

Example: sun  
Summer is here  
Under the rays  
New flowers grow



## Reading

Read the passage and answer the questions about Neil Armstrong.

# Race to Space

**Neil Armstrong** (born August 5, 1930) is an American test pilot and a former astronaut. He is most famous for achieving his ambition of becoming the first human to set foot on the Moon.



## Early Life

After going to University, Armstrong joined the Navy and flew planes during the Korean War. He then went on to become a test pilot, flying newly developed aircraft. During his career he flew over 200 different types of aircraft! His experiences as a test pilot inspired him to become an astronaut and, in 1957, he was selected to join the USA's Space Race team.

## The Space Race begins

In 1949 Albert II was the first monkey in space. Albert went into space 14th June, 1949 in a specially adapted American V2 rocket. In November 1957, the Russian space dog Laika became the first animal to orbit the earth. By 1959 both Russia and USA were in a race to land an astronaut on the Moon.

In April 1961, Russian astronaut Yuri Gagarin became the first man in space. He was in space for around 2 hours and then returned to Earth. He did not land on the Moon so the race had not yet been won.



Yuri  
Gagarin

The first woman in space was Russian astronaut Valentina Tereshkova, in 1963. Even though she didn't land there, a crater on the far side of the Moon is named after her!

In 1963 John F. Kennedy, President of USA, promised the world that the US would land men on the moon before 1970. Before risking people's lives, NASA sent a robot spaceship to the Moon, to make sure they could land safely.

On 20th July 1969, American astronauts Neil Armstrong, and then Buzz Aldrin, took "one small step" and became the first men on the moon. The first words said on the moon were "the Eagle has landed". Their spaceship, Apollo 11 worked perfectly, flying them 250,000 miles to the moon, and bringing them all the way back safely to earth. They all survived the journey meaning that USA were victorious and had won the race.

1. Which country was Armstrong from?  
Tick **one**.

Britain  
USA

Russia  
Korea

2. What inspired Armstrong to become an astronaut?

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3. Which of these animals were sent into space?  
Tick **Two**.

Dog      Rabbit      Squirrel      Monkey      Snake

4. Which countries was the space race between?

..... and .....

5. Why did NASA send a robot spaceship to the moon?

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6. **Find and copy** the first words said on the moon.

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7. Decide which country these statements are about. One has been done for you.

	Russia	USA
Sent a monkey into space.		✓
Sent the first man into space.		
Sent the first woman into space.		
Sent a robot spaceship to the Moon.		
Landed an astronaut on the moon.		

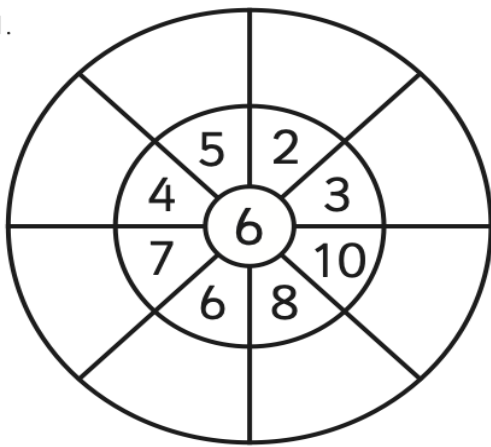
### Numeracy - Multiplying by 6

Learn the 6 timestable song,

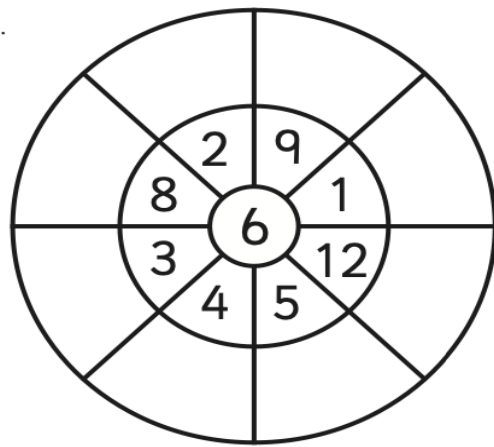
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Complete the multiplication wheels

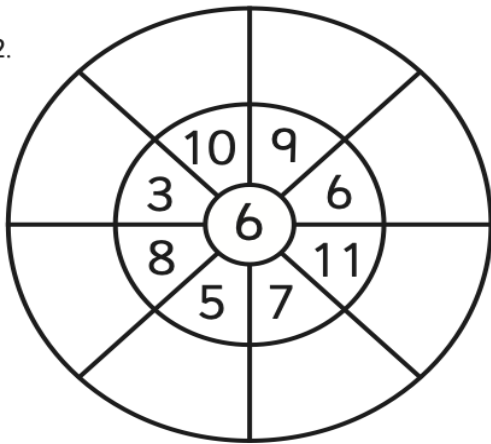
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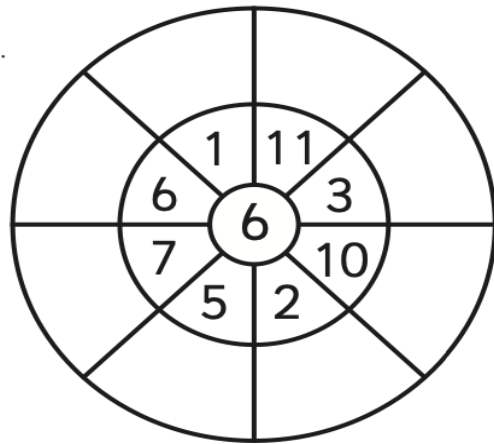
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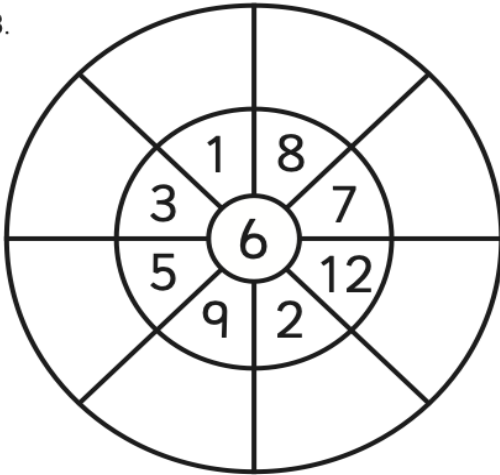
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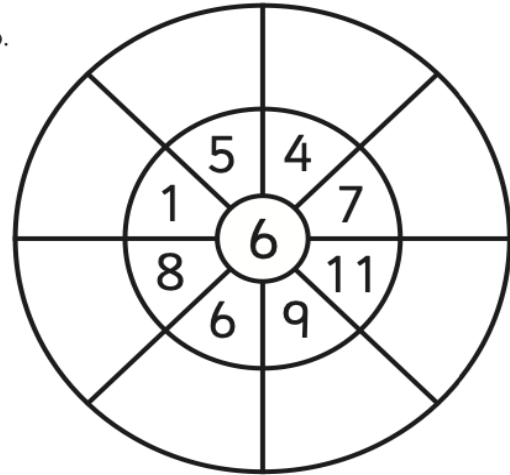
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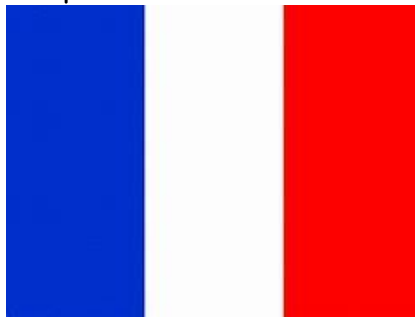
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Numeracy Ninja – This is on a separate document and it is some extra maths questions, complete 20 questions each day (day 10).

### French Fridays!

Mrs Howarth has planned some exciting French activities for you to do! These will be on a separate document.



### Health and Wellbeing:

PE with Joe Wicks

Kick-start the new year with one of Joe Wicks PE at home sessions.

Follow the link below

<https://www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1>

You can do this live at 9am or choose a time that suits you.

# Art – How to draw a Rocket!

Follow the steps in the video to help you draw a rocket,

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Blp+zpYfFdU>

