Home Learning activities for Year 2.

Geography

https://video.nationalgeographic.com/video/travel-source/00000162-6290-dba4-ad6e-7e9419920000?source=relatedvideo

Watch this National Geographic video of Iceland.

Think about the terrain. Create a **picture/model** of some natural (physical) features. Such as: geysers, icebergs, volcanoes or glaciers. You could use coloured pencils, lego bricks, cardboard, plasticine or clay.

Computing

Use the search engines kiddle, swiggle and kidrex to research Iceland. Write some facts to share **or** type some facts to share **or** make a powerpoint of facts to share.

English

- Keep a daily diary written in the <u>past tense</u>.
- Write a character description for a story you enjoyed. Compare it to a different character.
- Write a blurb for a book.
- Redesign the front cover.
- Change the ending.
- Make a list of all your favourite books/Make a list of your least favourite books. Who's is your favourite author and why? Give evidence to back up your opinion!
- Log on to www.spag.com Practice your spelling, punctuation and grammar. Two tests have been set.
- Have a go at writing descriptive sentences about Iceland from your research. Use nouns and adjectives, verbs and adverbs (check your red home learning book for definitions.)
- Think about your day at home. Write 4 different sentence types that were used in your day. (Sentence types in Year 2 are: statements, commands, questions and exclamations.)

Design and Technology

- Write a list of instructions to make a grated cheese sandwich with cucumber. Make sure they are in the correct order.
- Make a sandwich for a family member. Take care when cutting and remember to wash your hands!

Maths

- Practice arithmetic calculations and remember the written methods you have been taught. (For example you can draw tens and ones on paper and add more or cross them out to help you solve the calculations). Include x + - and ÷ For example 22 + 13 =, 37-28=, 12x2=, 25 ÷ 5=.
- Work through the word problems enclosed. Remember to check your calculations carefully. You can show your working out in any way you can. Remember what you have learnt so far.
- Make up some of your own word problems to share with a family member.
- Make up addition and subtraction money problems.
- Learn to tell the time.

Music

Learn times tables songs eg 'Percy Parker', 2s, 5s, 10s. Google Percy Parker on Youtube.

P.E.

If suitable, go for a jog or walk with a family member.

Play a racket sport in the garden.

Play with a tennis ball against a wall. Throw and catch. Throw and bounce and catch. Bounce on the ground then the wall and catch. Can you throw it, turn around and catch it?

How many star jumps can you do in 1minute? How many squats can you do in 1 minute? How many times can you sit down and stand up without using your hands? Can you beat this number each day?