

Week beginning – Monday 11th January 2021**KS3 English**

I have planned a series of lessons for you to complete at home. These involve reading, making notes and practicing your writing skills. Feel free to be creative – use lots of colours, pictures and mind maps when making your notes. At the end of each week, there is a practice test to complete. Take your time with these.

I have included some links to some online resources for you to access. These are to support your book-based learning. All online resources can be accessed through gaming devices such as an Xbox or PlayStation. Please contact me at school if you are unsure about this and I can provide instructions.

You can access free reading books online too: www.oxfordowl.co.uk. Try to spend some time reading each day. It is always nice to escape into a book, especially now!

Remember, we are here if you need anything. Please contact school if you need support. I can't wait until we can continue our learning together, in the classroom, but until then make sure you are making the most of all the resources you have.

Miss Aaron

Lesson 1

We are going to continue our work on Shakespeare. For your first lesson, please read pages 131 – 141 in the English Revision Guide. Remember – while reading you should be taking notes. You could create a big Shakespeare mind map and keep adding to this as we continue through this topic.

Watch A Midsummer Night's Dream ([Shakespeare: The Animated Tales : A Midsummer Night's Dream - YouTube](#)). Find examples of the following:

- Dramatic irony
- Imagery
- Humour

Lesson 2

Read pages 142 – 150 in the English Revision Guide. Add to your notes or mind map. Answer the five warm-up questions on page 151. Answer these as fully as you can. Use full sentences and try to include examples from the plays we have studied in school.

The following link includes lessons which you may find useful when considering A Midsummer Night's Dream: [A Midsummer Night's Dream, Shakespeare \(Introduction and Act 1\) - Oak National Academy \(thenational.academy\)](#)

Lesson 3

Complete the revision summary on page 154. Do not complete question 16a – we have not studied this play.

Lesson 4

Complete Practice Test 1 on page 160 of your English Revision Guide. Mark it and PIN it (Praise, Improvement, Next Steps).

Read the scenes on pages 69 – 72 in The Practice Tests booklet. Annotate these as you read. Remember to take it slowly – only read one small section at a time and make sure you understand this before you move on. We have studied these scenes and characters before – remember the story and the change in Romeo after he kills Tybalt. He feels that love has made him weak.

Lesson 5

Read the question on page 68 of The Practice Tests booklet. Read through the Worked Practice Question on pages 151 – 152 in the English Revision Guide. Use this structure to create a plan for the Romeo and Juliet and question. Remember to plan using the PEE structure.

Lesson 6

Complete the question on page 68 of The Practice Tests booklet. Aim to write at least four PEE paragraphs comparing Romeo's attitude in both scenes.

Once you have written your four PEE paragraphs, read your work aloud. Does it make sense? Does it answer the question? Have you included quotations to support your ideas?

KS3 Maths

Read through pages 4-10 in your Study Book and answer the questions on pages 2-10 in your Workbook. The focus on these pages are basic number skills such as:

- Addition – This covers basic column addition to solving worded questions. You will need to use your English comprehension skills to help you with this task.
- Subtraction – You will learn how to subtract using column addition with carrying and also learn how to subtract decimals.
- Multiplication & Division – You will learn how to multiply and divide by 10, 100 and other powers of 10. This will extend on to multiplying and dividing trickier numbers including two-digit numbers, worded questions and dividing with remainders.
- Negative and Special Types of Number – You will learn how to add and subtract negative numbers alongside categorising numbers as odd, even, square and cube numbers.
- Prime numbers, Multiples and Factors – You will learn how to identify a factor of a number and solve whether or not a number is prime.

There is also some good information on how to solve trickier equations using a calculator. I fully expect all work to be completed.

KS3 Science**Atoms and Elements**

This week, we are learning about atoms and elements. Everything is made of atoms, including you.

Read Pages 54 – 59 of the Key Stage Three Science Complete Revision and Practice book. Answer the warm- up questions and answer the exam questions on Pages 60 and 61.

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