Loveny Class Optional Tasks to Complete at Home

English

1. Write an adventure story based on our class story of Mrs Armitage on Wheels. Can you think of a different character, mode of transport and different problems?

Remember to use capital letters the beginning of every sentence (and for names), full stops at the end of every sentence and adjectives to make your stories really interesting. Use phonics to spell unfamiliar words and check spellings with an adult.

2. Write a letter to Mrs Armitage suggesting what she could add to her new pair of roller skates!

3. Read a book and write out 5 of the sentences neatly. Can you identify the nouns, verbs and adjectives in the sentences? Remember, nouns are naming words (person, place or thing), verbs are action words (something that you can do) and adjectives are describing words.

Maths

1. Make an analogue clock, with the clock numbers written in the correct place. Make a long minute hand and a shorter hour hand. Work with an adult to tell the time to the nearest quarter of an hour (extending to the nearest 5 minutes).

2. Make a shop at home with items from the kitchen and give them a price (under 50p). Can you make the exact amount of money using coins? Year 2 children can extend their learning with the following challenges: Can you add the cost of two objects together? How much change would you get from £1?

3. Practise your number facts using Hit the Button (a free maths game which helps to improve recall of number facts). Search Hit the Button for free on Google. Focus on number bonds to 10 and 20, doubling and halving and times tables. How many questions can you get right in 1 minute? Record your best scores!

4. Continue to practise Times Table Rock Stars!

Science/Environment

1. Can you design a poster about how to look after our environment?

2. Can you make jelly? What happen to it at the different stages of making it? Can you draw a timeline of events to show how it changes? What other foods change when you change the temperature?

3. Make a cake or follow a recipe at home and write out the ingredients and step-by-step instructions. Remember to use time words (first, then, next, after that, finally…).

Other Activities

1. Play a board game with your family! Remember to be a good sport!

2. Practise catching and throwing a ball.

3. Read as much as possible!