

What can I do to help my child?

- Listen to them to read as often as possible and share books regularly with your child.
- Help them practise forming their letters, numbers and writing words.
- Practise writing simple sentences linked to what they've been learning.
- Ask your child what they have been learning.
- Give them opportunities to look at websites to 'read around' the topic and gather information that interests them.
- Ensure they wear clothes/footwear suitable for PE on their PE days.

Key dates

Monday 7th June - Return to school
Monday 7th June - Class 1 and 2 drama workshops
Thursday 10th June - Class 3 and 4 drama workshops
Wednesday 7th July - Visit new classes
Friday 9th July - Training Day
Friday 23rd July - Break up for summer 12pm

Useful websites



You can read more about our curriculum on our website
<https://parkgrove.ebor.academy>

Follow us on Twitter: [@parkgroveschool](https://twitter.com/parkgroveschool)

Other useful websites that may help your child are:

www.bbc.co.uk/schools/bitesizeprimary
www.primaryinteractive.co.uk
www.crickweb.co.uk
www.ictgames.com
www.topmarks.co.uk
www.phonicsplay.co.uk
www.readingeggs.com

If you have any queries or problems that you need to discuss, please do not hesitate to contact any of the staff via Bloomz.



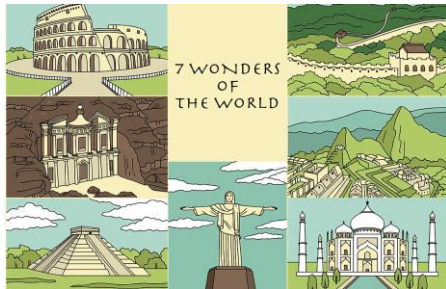
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EYFS/Key Stage 1

Summer 2 2021 Topic



Our topic is: Wonders of the World



Homework

In addition to maths and English homework, please see below for a list of activities you could carry out at home to help engage with the topic and extend your child's learning further. Homework tasks will be set weekly on Reading Eggs/Eggspress and Mathseeds. Please encourage your child to engage with these tasks as they will help to consolidate the learning completed in class.

Maths	Mathseeds and Numbots (and TT Rockstars for Y2s)
English	Spellings, Home reading, Reading Eggs, Fast Phonics
Topic	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Research a place that you'd like to visit.* Listen to music from around the world.* Use an atlas to look up the countries, continents and oceans.* Prepare a dish from another country.* Research a famous explorer, where did they go and when?* Read and write stories linked to travelling and exploring.* Look up and learn words in another language.

Time will be given in class for the children to talk about what they have found out and for them to share work they have completed.

For each topic we will have an 'ignition event' to inspire and immerse the children into the topic. Topics will end with a celebration to bring together and share the work we have completed.

Topic Ignition – Mud Pie Arts drama workshop - kindly funded by the PTA

Topic Celebration – Wonders of the World Exhibition

As part of our topic this half term, we will be...

- Finding out about the wonders of the Pyramids, the Colosseum, the Taj Mahal and Christ the Redeemer.
- Learning about Brazilian culture.
- Designing and making one of the wonders of the world.
- Writing stories about journeys.
- Looking at travel brochures and postcards.
- Learning about light and shadows.
- Thinking about how we should care for others in the world and why it matters?
- Listening to music from different countries.
- Writing fact files.

