

Homework - Maths/English - 14.09.18

Dear Parents,

Thank you for taking the time to help your child complete last week's homework, we really enjoyed looking at their photographs.

During the week, it has become apparent that the children are having difficulty writing some (or all) of their number digits and letters correctly. Therefore, their homework this week is to practise number formation and letters (see attached sheets).

Please watch your child as they are writing their numbers letters so that you can check if they are forming these correctly (i.e. Are they starting in the correct place? Are they ending in the correct place?).

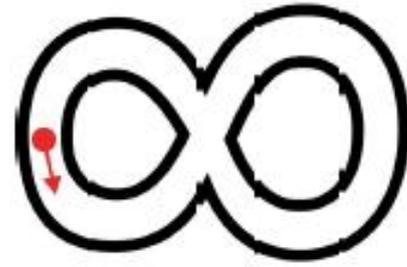
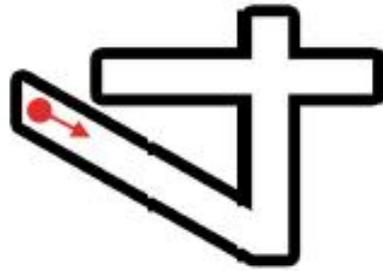
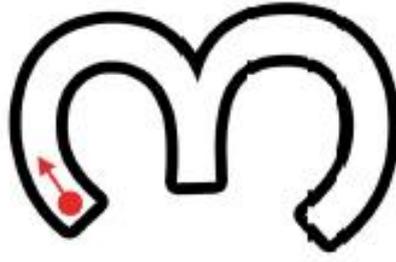
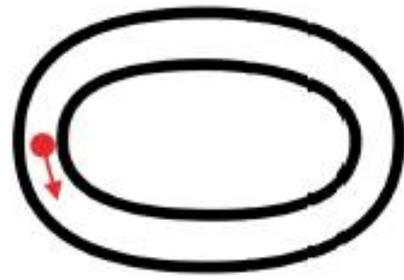
Other ideas: Why not try forming letters/numbers with paint, or in sand or shaving foam, or using twigs/leaves? Feel free to send in photos of what you have done. Practising number/letter formation can be viewed by children as 'boring' but it is essential, so incorporating fun activities will help ease the frustration and make it more enjoyable.

Kind Regards,

The Year 1 Team

Missing Clothing!

Some children in our class have lost their coats and pe tops. Can you please check at home or in your PE bags that it hasn't accidentally been picked up? If you find any items that aren't yours, please return them to the owner or the school. Thank you so much for your help.



Can you trace
the numbers?

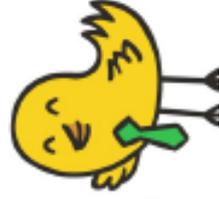


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15 16 17 18

19 20

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Learning Letters

As children learn to write, it is absolutely essential that they learn to form each letter in the correct way. If they do not form each letter correctly, they will be unable to write fast and in a joined up way. This activity helps your child to practise at home. You can also do these activities in sand, using paint, stickers... Be inventive.

Challenge: (only do this if your child found the first bit easy.)

If your child has formed all the letters correctly, challenge them to think and write a sentence. Get them to write it on the back of this sheet and check their letters are written correctly.

Good luck,
The Year 1 Team

What to do...

1. The letters are NOT in alphabetical order – they are arranged in groups.
2. Each group of letters is formed in a similar way. There is a pattern to how we write every letter in the group.
3. Write the letters below, starting at the dot/circle and ending at the square.
4. Follow the arrows to write each letter.

a c d e g o q

b h m n p r

i u l t k j

v w y

s f x z

