



Year 6 Learning at home: week 3 and 4 - Easter: 06.04.20 and 13.04.20

Good morning everyone! 😊 This week is Holy week and getting ready for Easter week so we have put together a fun pack of activities and ideas along with a bit of other stuff to have a go at – scroll down to the end. Remember ... have fun, do lots of **exercise, laugh and be kind**.

If you want to carry on with a bit of work, here are some additional tasks but you don't have to do them; it is the Easter Holiday after all!

Reading	Writing	Maths
<p>On-going</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily reading using a home book or other reading materials e.g. a recipe, magazines, National Geographic for kids' website, BBC Bitesize reading materials. Treat yourself to a story read by David Walliams every day at 11am online. https://www.worldofdavidwalliams.com/elevenses/ Continue to share your reading with an adult and record all reading in some way. Complete the World Book Day reading challenge, if you are able to access a range of books. Watch Newsround <p>Easter Comprehension https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/the-story-of-easter-key-stage-2-differentiated-reading-comprehension-activity-t2-or-557</p>	<p>On-going</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn your weekly spellings which have gone into your homework folder. None for Easter - see pack below and continue to learn Year 3/4 and 5/6 words. <p>Use Purple Mash - follow these links: Home English Spelling Resources Grammar 2 Create a story 2 type (practise your typing skills)</p> <p>Easter English Revision Booklet https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t2-e-3432-sats-survival-year-6-easter-english-revision-activity-booklet</p> <p>SPAG problem solving https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t2-e-4938-uks2-the-mystery-of-the-eggsplosive-easter-eggs-spag-problem-solving-game</p>	<p>On-going</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do a page from your mental maths homework book each week. Use the Times Tables Rockstars website daily. <p>Use Purple Mash - follow these links: Home Maths Carry out any of the activities and games.</p> <p>Times Tables Challenge. How many can you do in 2 minutes? Repeat daily. Create your own.</p> <p>Mysteries: https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t2-e-3369-easter-chocolate-mystery-maths-game (Easier) https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t2-t-16473-lks2-easter-mystery-maths-game</p>

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Science	Computing	History	Geography	Art	DT	PE	PSHCE	RE	French	Music
Have a go at some of these egg experiments: https://www.science-sparks.com/10-egg-science-experiments/ Egg Drop	Go on to Purple Mash. Get blogging on 2Blog . Design an Easter Egg - 2Paint a Picture	Find out about the history and traditions of Easter. Why do we have Easter eggs? Why do we have Easter	See below: Can you name all the countries where the eggs have been hidden? Easter Around the World (from	Make an Easter card https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/the-easter-story-colouring-easter-cards-t2-or-563	Do some Easter cooking. https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/howto/guide/fun-easter-projects-kids Make an Easter basket https://www	PE with Joe Wicks at 9am Mon-Fri https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qGKGNzNbWjU Make a fitness circuit in your	Mindful-ness colouring https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t-26544-easter-egg-mindfulness-colouring-sheets Design a poster with	Make an Easter garden with soil and flowers. Make a mound for the tomb and include a stone, rolled away to	Remember to log on to Babelzone https://www.lcfclubs.com/babelzoneNEW/ , the username is welwyn and the password is french and explore the	Head to BBC Bitesize and watch the Rhythm and Pulse video. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcbkcj6/articles/z2mqw6f Next, watch

<p>experiment</p> <p>https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/ks2-egg-drop-science-investigation-pack-t2-s-1437</p>		bunnies?	English booklet)	<p>Decorate an egg</p> <p>Send your entries to: eastereggs@welwynst-marys.herts.sch.uk (by 17th April)</p>	<p>www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/e/t-c-254499-easter-themed-basket-craft</p> <p>Pop up card</p> <p>https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/e/ks2-easter-pop-up-card-step-by-step-instructions-t2-re-711</p>	<p>house, or garden.</p> <p>You could call them Easter names</p> <p>https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/e/t-nz-pe-1-fitness-challenge-cards</p>	<p>an inspirational quote and decorate it.</p> <p>Here's an example from Dr Seuss:</p> <p><i>'Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter, and those who matter don't mind.'</i></p>	<p>show Jesus is risen.</p> <p>Try this Easter word scramble:</p> <p>http://www.dltk-bible.com/t.asp?t=http://www.dltk-bible.com/anagrams/c-easter.gif</p>	<p>stories, songs and games.</p> <p>There are some lovely Easter activities.</p>	<p>the 'How does music make you feel' video</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zc7m7p3</p> <p>Create a playlist of music to make you feel good.</p>
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Easter Egg Hunt Name the Country

Use an atlas to name the countries where the Easter eggs have been hidden.



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10 Things You Probably Didn't Know About Easter Around the World

1. In Bermuda, on Good Friday, you would find yourself flying a kite! Tradition has it that a teacher, looking for a way to demonstrate the ascension of Christ into Heaven, made a kite with Jesus' face on it. Since then, children in Bermuda have made and flown their own kites on Good Friday.
2. Somewhere in the mists of time, there was a belief that new clothes at Easter would bring good luck for the rest of the year. This may be where the tradition of the Easter bonnet comes from. In America there are Easter parades where people display their lovely new clothes.
3. In Ukraine and other Middle Eastern countries, painting eggs at Easter pre-dates Christianity. Ukrainians use beeswax and dye to create intricate patterns and symbols on the eggs, some of which are specific to the region or even the family that makes them. This activity is called 'pysanky', a word that comes from the Ukrainian word 'pystay' which means 'to write'.



Read the non-fiction extract about Easter Around the World and then answer the following questions:

1. Tick the word that is the most suitable synonym for the word 'ascension'? **Tick one.**

fall

jump

rise



look

2. **Find** and **copy** the phrase that shows the American tradition of wearing new clothing at Easter started many years ago.

3. Why do you think the teacher in Bermuda used a kite in their demonstration?

4. **Find** and **copy** the word that shows the patterns on the Ukrainian eggs are extremely elaborate.

Family challenge project for 2 weeks beginning 06.04.20:
Easter time ideas for the next 2 weeks. Use this sheet to tick off what you have done.

Activities	✓
Ideas for Indoor Activities	
Build a den using chairs, tables, umbrellas, sheets etc.	
Act out a well-known story or film. Use props, film it and watch it back as a family.	
Scavenger hunt around the house. Click link below for an example. <div style="text-align: center;">  Indoor scavenger hunt.docx </div>	
Make up a quiz based around an interest, for example, TV, films, books. Children could devise own quiz for family to play.	
Make a family photo album using old photos from holidays, celebrations etc.	
Make a music playlist and have a family disco (dress up optional).	
Make paper airplanes and see who can fly them the furthest.	
Play board games together. You could have a family tournament.	
Bake together, try out new recipes. Daisy Bake has lots of online recipes to follow. https://www.daisybake.com/Blog	
Expand an image. Glue a picture/photo onto the centre of a piece of paper and expand by drawing the background all around the picture.	
Make a family happy time jar. Get an empty jar and write on small pieces of paper times that have made you happy. Put them in the jar and every so often you can look at them as a family.	
Make a future fun jar. Think of things that you would like to do but can't do at the moment. Write them down and put them in the jar. When things go back to normal, open the jar and try to see how many of the ideas you can do.	
Make a salt dough rainbow. https://www.learning4kids.net/2014/01/19/make-your-own-salt-dough-rainbow/	

Ideas for Outdoor Activities

Build a den in the garden using natural materials.

Use big paint brushes to paint pictures on the patio, fence or brickwork with water.

Nature scavenger hunt.

<https://www.freekidscrafts.com/summer-scavenger-hunt/>



[scavenger-hunt/](https://www.freekidscrafts.com/summer-scavenger-hunt/)

Nature I spy game.

<https://www.papertraildesign.com/free-printable-i-spy-nature-game/>



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Magpie challenge. Collect 20 items but



they must all fit in a shoebox.

Family art class. Find somewhere for you all to sit in the garden with drawing paper and pencils/pens/paints. Draw whatever you can see. Take time to look at each other's pictures, you'll be amazed at how different they are.

Regrow vegetables using the scraps left over from cooking.

<https://simplebites.net/how-to-regrow-vegetable-scraps/>



Ideas for Outside Physical Activities

Make an obstacle course using anything you can find in the garden; chairs, tables, twigs, balls etc. You could run, cycle, jump or skip around the obstacles. Time yourself and see if you can beat your time. Who is the fastest in the family?

Make a target and mark with different points. Throw light objects such as sponge balls, bean bags or rolled up socks at the target and add up your score.

Physical activity such as keepy-uppies, bouncing a ball on a table tennis bat. See how many you can do before you drop the ball. Can you beat your score?

See how many star jumps, bunny hops or skips you can do in a minute. Can you keep beating your score?

Younger children might enjoy hopping up and down like a bunny, jumping around like a spring lamb and hopping on one leg / flapping their arms like a chick! How many times can they do each move? Record your scores on a chart, draw or write the name of the animal beside the scores.

Garden yoga. Make the pose of an animal. Here are



some to try. Can you make some up of your own?

<https://www.pinterest.co.uk/pin/467811480024972823/>

Make your own activity spinner (this could be used spin and do the activity the spinner lands on.



either inside or outside). Take it in turns to