



# Year 2 - Home Learning – Daily challenges 24. 2.2021



Remember your promise to READ EVERY DAY! Collins Big Cat website have all your reading books online with your level assigned to you. Don't forget to update your teachers with your progress. Have a wonderful Wednesday!  
Please email your work to [year2@cavclosei.derby.sch.uk](mailto:year2@cavclosei.derby.sch.uk)



**Be like Curious Ash**  
Enjoy being a detective and finding out new things. **Explore** and ask clever questions. Go on – You **CAN** do it!!

Find activities that are fun AND educational at Education City  
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All daily home learning challenges and resources can be found on the school website. Press here:



## Writing Challenge Aim: Create a 'nature word bank'

**Starter activity:** Complete the 'time for us' challenge below- practicing describing things around us.

**Main:** At the end of this week we will be writing a narrative of a walk in nature locally. (This is recording **real**

observations around us, not from our imagination like before) Today we need to create a word mat of vocabulary. Go for a **walk** locally, it could be at Chaddesden park. You could take **photos** (with your parents support), at different stages of your walk to inspire your work this week. Also write down nature **words** to record your observations. Here are some examples:

When you get home you could reach for the stars and add adjectives to create clever expanded noun phrases. There is also vocabulary on a topic knowledge mat on the school website for you to use.

40mins

Plants starting to spring to life

Crunchy, rustling leaves

Gnarled, twisted roots

Cheeky, sporty dogs running away from his owner

Cold, misty air that feels harsh on my cheeks

Towering, shadowy trees that bend in the wind

**Wordwise** Wordwise wizards don't forget your daily dose of phonics. It's so important to practise every day as reading underpins learning in all subject areas.

★ You will find the new Wordwise loom videos on the school website. This covers the YR2 phase 6 phonics lessons that are currently being taught in school. Press the penguin wizard to go there:



🌍 If you still need to practise phases 3-5 phonics taught in YR1 please visit this letters and sounds website: <https://lettersandsounds.org.uk/for-home/year-1>

25mins

## Maths Challenge

**Warm up:**

Practise reading and writing these words:

length, height, short, shorter, shortest, tall, taller, tallest, longest, longer.

**Main:** Please press the acorn to go to The Oak National Academy online maths lessons on your theme of 'Length'.

Please do **lesson 1** today:

	Give adult support
	Work independently

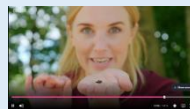
50mins



## Challenge time

**I am a scientist and artist.**

Watch CBBC's Maddie in her programme 'Do you know?'



30mins

Afterwards have a go at sketching a slice of tomato. Can you spot the seeds?



**Time for us:** We can describe things around us by using all our senses.

This can also be very calming. Play 5,4,3,2,1.

Wherever you are at the moment can you say:

5 things you can see

4 things you can touch/ feel

3 things you can hear

2 things you can smell

1 emotion you feel



15mins

## Spellings Challenge

Practising everyday only takes a few minutes and is key to success. Have fun to keep it interesting. You could turn it into game, e.g play 'stepping stones'. (These are pieces of paper where the child has written a word on each one). Call out a word and see how quick they can find it.

10mins

★	🌍
half	like
money	so
find	little
because	ask
most	go

## PE

Play virtual chase with Jurassic

Chase: Ice Age - PE Game Press this picture.



20mins

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