



Good morning everyone! It's Friday...☺ Once today's tasks are complete, it's half term! Thank you for all of your hard work since we returned to school in September and for every piece of work you have completed this week. I hope you all have a lovely break and please stay safe – I can't wait to see you all again on Monday 2nd November.

Emotional well-being

Today I want you to celebrate being you!

Think about what makes you unique – be proud of the fact you are unique. You completed a piece of RE work earlier in the week and the general theme that came from it is that the world would be a pretty boring place if everyone was the same. Think of a good friend, or your group of friends...think of three ways that you are similar to each other and three ways that you are different. Don't just focus on physical appearance – think about the things you enjoy, what you're good at and what makes you special.

Time for prayer and reflection

We all need people in our lives who recognise our unique qualities and why we are special. We need these people to encourage us when we reach challenges in our lives – no matter how big or small. Take a moment to think about someone who does this for you and give thanks for them.



Dear God,

Thank you that I am special to you. Thank you that there is nobody else exactly the same as me. Everyone we see is unique – you have made us all different. We are all special.

Amen

Maths

Problem Solving

Today is 'Problem Solving Friday' and I have decided to give you a choice! Below I have provided a number of problems for you to attempt – I would like you to attempt at least two, but you can choose the ones you would like to have a go at. Hopefully you will recognise that they are all linked in some way to your learning this week.



Please continue to access Times Tables Rockstars and SATs Companion (for Year 6 only) today and over the half term break. I will set a couple of longer activities on SATs Companion to be completed by Sunday 1st November so please check for those. Please remember help can be accessed from the tab at the left if you are struggling with a set of questions.

English: Reading

Again, spend another 30mins (minimum) reading quietly – or aloud if you'd like to.

Today I would like you to write a paragraph to convince someone to read the book you have been reading. Remember to use persuasive language.



English: Writing

Persuasive Writing

Yesterday you wrote a persuasive piece to encourage Asda to sell your new product. I was impressed by those I saw – I would definitely buy your chocolate products! As this is your end of unit piece, it has to be as close to perfect as it can possibly be. Today I would like you to use your editing skills to improve your writing. This may involve: acting on any feedback I gave; correcting spellings (you could ask someone to point out words spelt incorrectly to you); improving vocabulary to check it is persuasive and subject specific; and ensuring you have included everything on the checklist – I have included this below for you to self-assess your writing.

Remember the purpose of your writing was to persuade the store managers at ASDA that your chocolate product is revolutionary and will boost sales in their store because people will be so desperate to buy it.



Our Curriculum

Research a Roman city

Last week we plotted Roman roads and cities on a map of Britain. Today I would like you to choose a city and research it - **Eboracum, Lindum Colonia, Deva Victrix, Aquae Sulis, Verulamium, Londinium, Dubris, Durnovaria, Isca Dumnoniorum, Noviomagus Reginorum, Corinium Dobunorum, Verulamium.**

Try to find out 10 facts about the city. This could include – its modern name, when the Romans settled there, why they settled there, how the name was pronounced.





Maths

Problem Solving

The following numbers have escaped from the Numerocells where they were kept for multiple crimes of fraud. The whole Digiforce is out to bring them in but descriptions are needed to assist in identification.

Make a poster for each missing number, describing its qualities, eg a multiple of 7, a very odd number with two digits, a prime 'suspect' between 25 and 30, etc.

1

WANTED! 72

2

WANTED! 84

Rob, Abdi and Zana are each thinking of a number.

Rob



My number is a prime number between 15 and 30.

Abdi



My number has prime factors of 3 and 5.

Zana



My number is an odd number less than 30 which is a total of 3 prime numbers.

The total of all three numbers is between 70 and 100.

Investigate what the three numbers might be. Find two possible answers.



Maths

Problem Solving

Look at the two grids below. Identify groups of 3 numbers from grid A in the same row or column that share a common multiple from grid B. For example: 8, 13 and 16 share the common multiple 416.

Pick 5 numbers from grid B and find a different combination of numbers for each.

Grid A				
3	8	13	10	16
15	5	17	11	9
4	9	3	18	5
19	7	15	7	12
8	4	6	20	13

Grid B		
285	495	504
420	560	260
390	416	312

In the hundred grid below, circle all the numbers that are not prime numbers and that cannot be made by adding two prime numbers together.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100



English

Easy Maid 3000 (focus text)

Persuasive Advert EasyMaid 3000



rhetorical questions (groups of 3)

Tired of spending hours scrubbing your home? Bored of that never-ending laundry pile? Getting swept away with your dirty floors and murky windows? Well, it's time to dust yourself down and order the EasyMaid

3000 – the only cleaner you'll ever need. opinion as fact play on words linked to topic

rhyme

Your robotic-powered assistant will sweep and clean – night and day – to make your home a pristine dream! That is because, unlike traditional human cleaners, the EasyMaid's super-charged battery never runs out. The result? A home you can be proud of!

modal verb

metaphor

fronted adverbial of time

Whenever that mountain of laundry starts growing, alert your EasyMaid 3000 using your voice-activated controller. In the blink of an eye, the EasyMaid 3000 will wash away your problems allowing you to have some quality time to yourself. play on words linked to topic

emotive language

statistic

95% of bad backs and long-lasting aches and pains are the punishment for cleaning those hard-to-reach places. Suffer no more with the EasyMaid 3000's superpowers: its long-reaching arms, thorough cleaning techniques and dust-busting detection radar means that your limbs will never ache again!

group of 3

exaggeration

parenthesis

expert opinion

Dr. Takishima Fuguru, the lead professor for robotics at the University of Tokyo, believes that the EasyMaid 3000 will change your life forever: "This out-of-this-world robot will surely revolutionise how you live your lives. No longer will you have to spend hours scrubbing and cleaning; instead, power up your EasyMaid 3000 and go out and enjoy your life! This is seriously the biggest must-have purchase on the market right now!"

adverb

rhetorical question

So, what are you waiting for? Order your EasyMaid 3000 today and join the millions of people in the cleaning revolution. exaggeration

repetition of EasyMaid 3000 in every paragraph



English

Persuasive advert checklist for writing

Feature	😊 😐 😞	Example from your writing
Alliteration		
Flattery		
Facts		
Opinions		
Repetition		
Rhetorical questions		
Emotive language		
Exaggeration		
Expert opinion		
Statistics		
Groups of 3		
Modal verbs (can, must, should)		
Active voice		
Personal pronouns (‘you’)		
Expanded noun phrases (‘deal of the decade’)		

Three things I am most proud of in my piece of writing:

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I know that I need to improve:

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