

Year group: 2

Our theme for this half term is: Feelings and Emotions

All of the homework options below are linked to either this theme or other learning from this term such as English / Maths / Science etc.... Pupils are expected to **read** for 15 minutes every day and practice their **phonics / spellings and times tables** every day as well in addition to choosing 1 thing from the options below each week. Try to ensure you do a balance of different activities over the half term, for example Maths one week, creative the next etc... Work (which can include photographs / evidence of activities or visits etc..) should be recorded in this Learning at Home book (unless it is a model).

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English

- Before you read a book, make a prediction and explain what you think the text is about using the sentence openers.
- Choose a book and fill in a tell me grid likes/dislikes/characters/events.
- List all the things that make you feel happy.
- Create a feelings word wheel for happy, sad, angry, excited – writing or illustrating things that make you feel like this.
- Combine words to make sentences- I feel sad when...I am happy today because
- Keep a feelings diary this half term and each day record events about how you feel.

Maths

- Count to 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1 from any number.
- Choose a number from 0 -20. Read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in numerals and words.
- Roll two dice – record the number and then write what is one more or one less than. Repeat this activity.
- Make a set of cards from 0 -9. Turn over two cards, write the number in words, and represent the number using objects, coins and pictures. Repeat this activity.
- Count in multiples of 2, 5 and 10. Create number lines. Can you use the number lines and fingers to work out what 7×2 ? 5×5 ? 4×10 ?
- Write your number bonds to 10.
- Record all doubles up to $10 + 10$.
- I have three numbers 7 2 9. Can you write four number sentences?

Creative

- Create a piece of art work using colours and lines to show how people feel
- Design and make a mood monster using paper plates and other creative resources.
- Make a feelings tree and record emotions.
- Design your own emojis for at least three feelings.
- Use a mirror and experiment with making different facial expressions. Create a photo board.
- Make some pasta emotion faces.
- Bake a cake and decorate it representing different emotions.



Homework

Other

- Watch The Colour Monster
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PWUjGPb6mgo> / Jar of happiness
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ilb5-PetjCE> and retell the story.
- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>
- Play hit the button to learn number bonds, doubles and times tables.
- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>
- Watch newsround and summarise at least two stories
- <https://trockstars.com/>

