

# **Victoria Dock Primary School Home Learning Plan**



### Year 5

## **Week Commencing 30<sup>th</sup> November**

As your child is absent from school at the moment, please read the following information and links in order for your child to continue their education until they can return to school. These resources are aligned with the teaching taking place in school and wherever possible video links and additional instructions are given to help support your child. All completed work should be returned to school when your child returns. It will then be looked at by school staff following a quarantine period.

Year 5 Maths – Online Learning					
Addition and subtraction					
Lesson	Video Link	Worksheet			
Lesson 3 Introduce line graphs	https://vimeo.com/464199475	https://resources.whiterosemaths.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Y4-Summer-Block-4-WO3-Introducing-line-graphs-2020.pdf			
Lesson 4 Read and interpret line graphs	https://vimeo.com/464199069	https://resources.whiterosemaths.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/Y5- Autumn-Block-3-WO1-Read-and-interpret-line-graphs-2019.pdf			
Lesson 5 Draw line graphs	https://vimeo.com/464197707	https://resources.whiterosemaths.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/Y5- Autumn-Block-3-WO2-Draw-line-graphs-2019.pdf			

# Writing

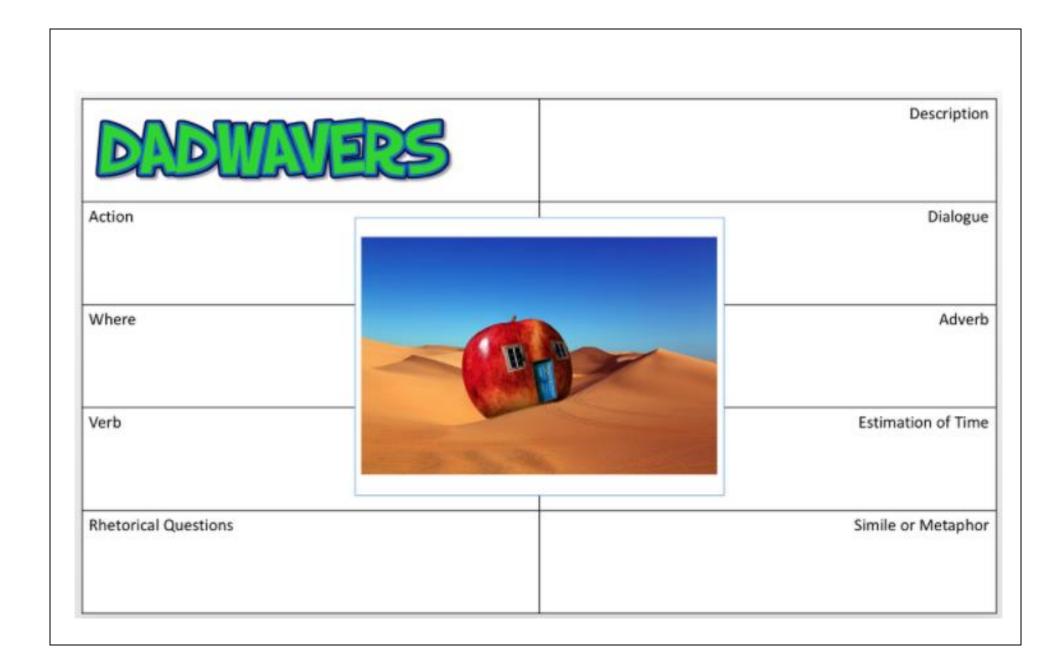
This week, we will be looking at writing a description of a scene. Look at the DADWAVERS poster and word mat. Then, complete the planning sheet to collect ideas/vocabulary/sentences for the

picture.

Dialogue Where Adverb Verb Estimation of time **Rhetorical Question** Simile and Metaphor



Description Use your senses to describe the setting or a character from your story. You could describe any of the following:  A sight A sound A smell A feeling	BOOM CONTROL C	□ DRIP □ BUZZ □ BANG □ CLASH □ FIZZ □ RUMBLE □ SMASH	Dialogue   called   demanded   screamed   exclaimed   pleaded   screeched   orared   wailed   announced	☐ groaned ☐ replied ☐ mumbled ☐ gasped ☐ whispered ☐ stammered ☐ sobbed ☐ grumbled ☐ uttered
Where Under Through Beside Below Above Next to Between Inside Behind Across On top of Underneath	Adverb Angrily Anxiously Cautiously Courageously Frantically Silently Nervously Rapidly Gently Goulishly Loudly Mysteriously	,	Verbs  Leaping Hurrying Strolling Stumbling Trudging Dashing Crawling Wandering Creeping Darting Darting Twirling Bouncing Smashing Rushing	☐ Laughing☐ Screaming☐ Sighing☐ Grinning☐ Trembling☐ Chuckling☐
Estimation of Time  Afterwards Immediately Soon After a while Before long All of a sudden In a blink of an eye Eventually Later	Rhetorical Que: A character from thinks of a quest does not require answer. e.g. How did I ge mess? She thou herself.	Question from your story uestion that uire an e.g. SIMILE: Its teeth were like daggers glimmering in a cave.		se features to rison. ts teeth were like ering in a cave. The moon was a



### Reading

### 1. Complete the non-fiction reading and questions below;

### SCIENCE NEWS

# RATS CAN DRIVE CARS!

#### SCIENTISTS have trained rats to drive little cars.

The aim of the experiment wasn't to prove how clever rats are, but to show that rats enjoy learning new skills.

The scientists made a rat-sized car from a clear plastic food container on wheels. To move the car, the rats had to put their paws on three pieces of copper wire strung across the front. One wire moved the car left, one moved it right and one moved it straight ahead.

Each time the rats drove the car they were rewarded with a piece of Froot Loop breakfast cereal. Clearly, rats love Froot Loops because they became very good drivers!

Seventeen rats were trained to drive the car. In order to encourage them to drive further, the cereal was placed further and further away from the starting point.

Then, the experts studied the rats' poo (yes, being a scientist is a lovely job). The driver rats' poo contained less of a stress hormone (a chemical made by the body) than non-driver rat's poo. This proved that driving seems to relax the rats and make them less stressed.

Dr Kelly Lambert, from the team, said: "I do believe that rats are smarter than most people perceive [believe] them to be."

The scientists are now planning experiments to find out why learning a skill such as driving helps to reduce stress in rats. It may be that the science could help humans in the future, too.



Questions on: 'Rats can drive cars!'	
1) The aim of this experiment was to prove that	6) Look at the caption. What nickname has the writer given to the little car? Can you explain why?
rats are very clever.	
driving makes rats hungry.	7) Find the missing word.
rats enjoy learning new skills.	77 Title the missing word.
	less choose further
2) What materials did the experts use to make the car?	
	<ul> <li>To steer the car, the rats had to which wire to press.</li> </ul>
3) How did the rats steer the car?	To make the rats drive far, the treat was placed
	away.
	• The rats' poo contained of a stress hormone.
4) What reward did the rats get for driving the car?	
fruit breakfast cereal cheese	8) Do you think that learning skills also makes humans happier and less stressed? Explain your thoughts.
5) Why did the scientists have to test the rats' poo?	

### 2. Complete the non-fiction reading and questions below;

### **BIG NEWS**

# THE INTERCEPTOR - ON A MISSION TO CATCH PLASTIC AND HELP SAVE OUR SEAS!

### SAY hello to the Interceptor.

This dramatically-named boat has just been unveiled by a group called Ocean Cleanup.

The Interceptor removes rubbish floating in rivers before it gets to the sea. It can take 50-100 tonnes of rubbish out of a river in one day.

A long barrier collects floating trash and channels it towards the boat. A conveyor belt then lifts the rubbish out of the water and dumps it into six large bins inside.

The solar-powered ship is anchored to the

bottom of the river and doesn't require a crew. When it is almost full up, it sends a text message to someone on land to come and empty the bins!

Ocean Cleanup hopes to build a large fleet that will help to remove plastic from the world's most polluting rivers. The group says that 1,000 rivers — mostly in Asia, Africa and South America — are responsible for 80% (four-fifths) of the junk that ends up in our oceans.



- To stop and catch

reaches a particular place

something before it

) What is the Interceptor's 'mission'?	5) True or false?		
		TRUE	FALSE
) Which word correctly describes the boat?	It sails up and down the river every day.		
Which word correctly describes the bout:	It is solar powered.		
recycled	The first boat will be built next month.		
automated magnetic	It has six large rubbish bins on board.		
How does this system work? Put the steps in the correct order.  The rubbish is tipped into large bins on board.  A floating barrier directs waste towards the boat.  A text message is sent when the bins need emptying.  A conveyor belt lifts the rubbish out of the water.  Do you think river wildlife are at risk from this system, or not? xplain your thoughts.	<ul> <li>6) Find two facts about the world's 1,000 most polluting rivers.</li> <li>7) What does the writer think about the name of the boat?</li> <li>It is dramatic.</li> <li>It is amusing.</li> <li>It is confusing.</li> <li>8) Do you think the Interceptor is a good name for the boat? Explain your opinion.</li> </ul>		

### Other Subjects

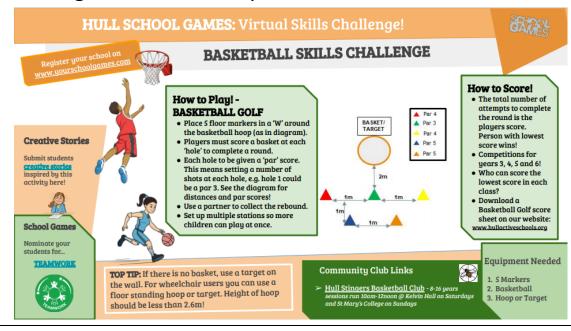
• <u>Topic – make a model Roman Villa! Choose this Roman activity, or many more from this website below;</u>

https://www.bbc.co.uk/history/handsonhistory/romans.shtml

• **RE-** we are looking at Christians and the Christmas story. Research and recap by clicking on the link below and reading/ completing the activities;

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/ztkxpv4/articles/zdjjf4j

• <u>PE-</u> try this basketball challenge- if you don't have a basketball net, then you can use any target: a bucket, hoop, box etc...



\*\* If you are unable to access resources and would prefer a paper copy of these instructions please contact the school office.