



1.7.2020 Work to support your child at home

## Maths

Look at the date today. We are now in a new month called July. We are still in the summer season.

**It is Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2020.**

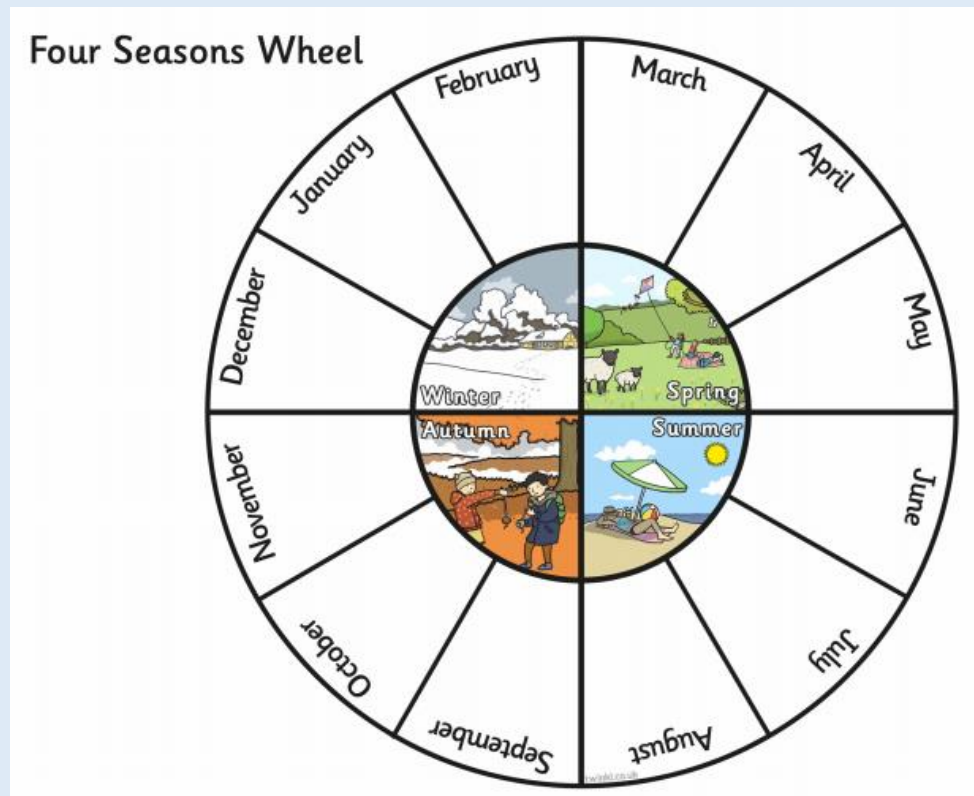
Watch this video to help you remember the order of the months of the year.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v608v42dKel>



Can you write them in your home learning book in the correct order starting with January? How many can you spell correctly on your own?

Now check your work using the Four Seasons wheel below. This shows how the months go round in a loop and repeat. After December, a new year starts again in January.



Now we are going to think about the order of the days of the week. Some people start the week on a Monday and some start the week on a Sunday. Remember they repeat in a loop just like the months.

Here is a song to help you to remember the order.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3tx0rvuXIRg>



We are now going to answer questions about the order of the months of the year and the days of the week.

Look out for these key words that might catch you out:

**Before**

**after**

**next**

**last**

1. Which month comes before February?
2. If the month is now July, what was it last month?
3. Which days are the weekend?
4. Which month is the eighth month of the Year?
5. Which day comes before Wednesday?
6. Which month is 3 months after November?
7. I went swimming on Saturday. Three days earlier I went shopping. What day did I go shopping on?
8. What month is your birthday in?
9. Does it get darker earlier in January or July?

## RED HOT CHALLENGE

### Months of the Year



#### True or False?

Explain how you know.

There are 4 months that begin with the letter J.

All the months of the year end with the same letter.

There are 2 months of the year that have 4 letters.

There is only 1 month of the year that has 3 letters.

December has warm weather.

January is the first month of the year.

February comes after March but before January.

December comes before January but after November.

There are 6 months of the year that have more than 7 letters.

Can you write a sentence with a fact about the months of the year?

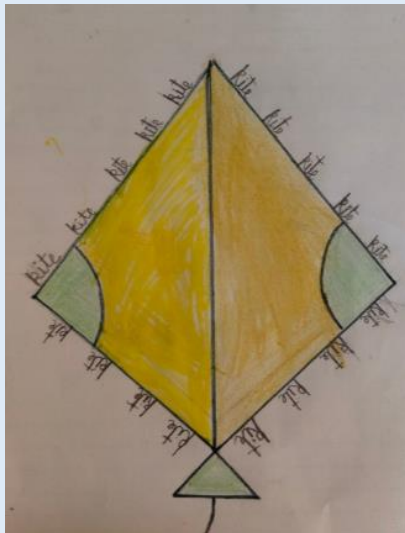
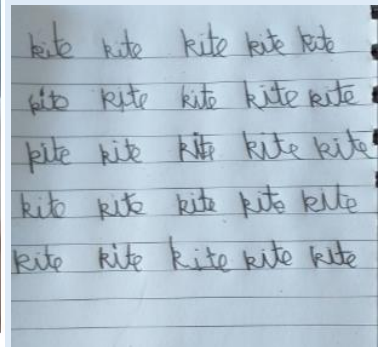
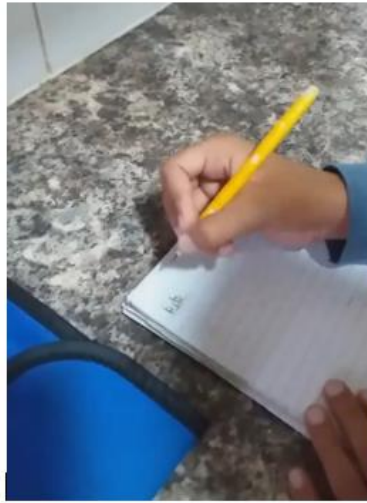
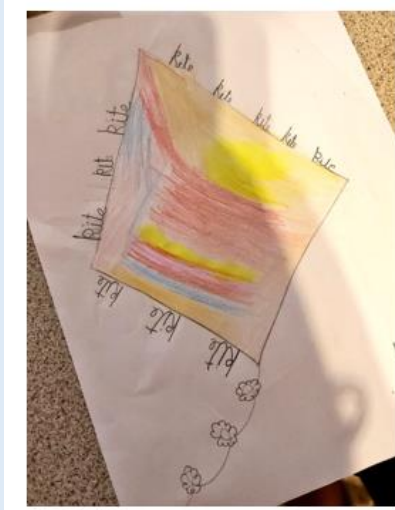


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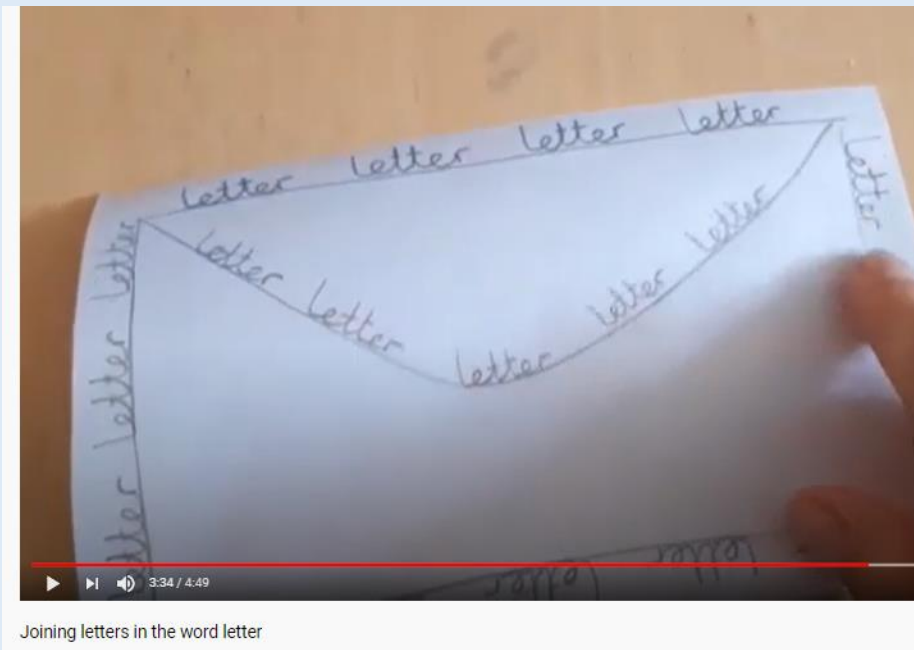
# ENGLISH - Wednesday 1.7.2020

(Welcome to July!)

Wednesday will now be our handwriting day. Thank you to the children who had a go at our joined up writing of the word **kite**. You were fantastic at this last week.

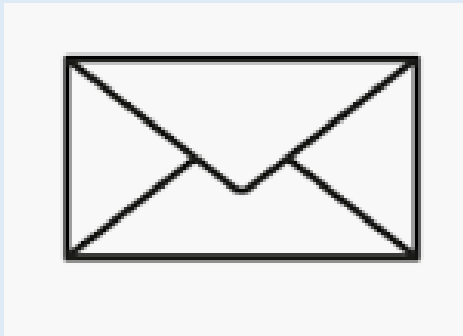


This week, we are going to try joining the word **letter**. To help you with this, please watch this video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=acgC7oE1koc>



### **Main task:**

Using your home learning book, can you carefully write the word **letter** around a letter template, like this



Envelopes can have beautiful patterns on them, so after you have practised your handwriting, try to add some patterns to your envelope. You could even cut it out and put your patterns on the other side of your envelope.



When I was younger, I had a penpal. This was someone who I wrote letters to and they wrote back to me. It is not as popular these days because people are more aware of sharing their personal information., like addresses and information about themselves.

Watch this to know what a penpal is: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vPstGzH8rX0>



Ask your parents and grandparents if they had a penpal when they were younger.



## Phonics

Day 3 – Write sentences using the spellings from this week.

I'll we'll he'll she'll they'll it's  
that's isn't doesn't there's

For example, There's a stone in my shoe and it's digging into my foot.

Write your sentences in your Home Learning book or on paper or on the back of an empty box or in chalk/water on your garden path. (check with a grown up first!)

Read your reading book- can you look at 1 page in your reading book to see if it has any words that are contractions? How many did you find?

Watch this YouTube. Remember always watch it with a grown up.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5xE-vw2ctqo>



Contractions 1 | English Song for Kids | Reading & Writing Skills | Grammar | Jack Hartmann



## Topic- Geography

Look at the pictures below. They are all places in Smethwick that we have walked past on our way to Smethwick library. In your Home Learning book write down the places you see and answer the questions.









Will we be walking on the road?



Can you see the island?

Do you know what it is for?

