



St Robert's Catholic Primary School
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Home Learning Project Fortnight 5 - Round the World



Maths Tasks

If your child can do **all** these independently and consistently then let me know via dojo and I can tell you what skills they can go onto.

- Try the maths games on this website [Crickweb](#)
- Practise counting aloud to 5/then 10. This can be done through playing hide and seek, singing number songs, chanting, board games etc.
- Practise counting backwards from 5 then 10
- Recognise and name numbers to 5/10
- Order numbers to 5/10
- Compare numbers to 5/10 which is the smallest/biggest
- Making sets to match a number to 5 then 10
- Learn body doubles - 2 hands, 2 feet, 2 ears etc
- Look at these pictures of [flags from around the world](#) with your child. Can they spot any shapes in the flags and can they name them?

Writing Tasks

- Keep practising those writing patterns and letter formation - go over highlighted shapes, letters and numbers. It's helpful to put a black dot on the highlighted letter so they know where to start for proper formation. Write their names, letter shapes and lines in different materials
- Keep strengthening those finger muscles by doing lots of threading, play dough and snipping/cutting with a scissors.
- Encourage your child to look at the food in your kitchen and find out what countries some of it comes from. Search on a map for those countries. Help your child to write that word by tracing over it.
- After listening to the story Handa's Surprise, ask your child to name and draw different fruits that they know. Label them using describing words.
- Your child can draw a picture of all the things they might take on holiday. Label the items by writing the word tracing over it.
- Ask your child to pretend they are on holiday. Get them to make a postcard to send to someone at home. Ask your child to draw a picture of what they are doing on holiday. Can they make a list of what they are doing?

Phonics & reading tasks

- Try these great [sound discrimination games](#) on BBC school radio
- Sing songs and action rhymes, listening to music and developing a sounds vocabulary.
- Try these fun [phase 1 games](#)
- Keep using your account at [Oxford Owl](#) This will allow you child to access free e-books

they can read. Try the age group 3-4 as this will give you wordless e-books for great discussion about what is happening on each page.

- Listen to stories from around the world - including: [Handa's Surprise](#), [The Tiger Child](#) and [If The World Were a Village](#).
- Choose one of the above stories to share again. Ask your child to retell the story in their own words once they are familiar.
- Follow the story [All Are Welcome Here](#) with your child. Discuss how your child's school makes everybody feel welcome.
- Play memory games, 'I went to the market, I bought... The next person repeats the above sentence remembering the items bought already and adding a new one to the list each time. Use fruits like in Handa's Surprise.

Learning Project

Please can you choose at least 2 activities to do over the fortnight

- Make your own Handa's Surprise character puppet. Click [here](#) for more ideas.
- Find some different foods/fruits from around the world and taste each one. These might include: pizza (Italy), curry (India) and taco (Mexican) or the fruits from the story Handa's Surprise. Your child can create a chart putting a tick next to each food they like and a cross next to the foods they dislike over the course of the week.
- Look at this [photography project](#) of children with their toys from around the world. Discuss how life is the same and how life is different in other countries. Can your child draw their favourite toy and write a sentence explaining why this is their favourite?
- Discuss with your child where your family comes from in the world. If you have them available, show your child photographs of where you, or their grandparents, grew up. This might be similar to where they live now or completely different.
- Get moving with the BBC Let's move sessions - these ones cover [Indian](#), [Irish](#), [Greek](#) and [African dancing](#).
- A bridge helps people move over obstacles like a river, a valley or a busy road. The world's longest bridge is in China and is 164.8km long. It would take more than two days to walk the length of this bridge. Do you have any bridges near your home? What do they look like? Try building a bridge out of paper, Lego or any other building materials you might have at home. Your bridge needs to be big enough for a toy car or small toy to travel over.
- Make some fruit recipes with the children. Your child could help wash and prepare the fruit to make recipes such as fruit salad or smoothies. Or you make a fruity face!



- If you have a map or globe look at where Africa is. Map websites could be used to explore Africa.

Philosophy at home!

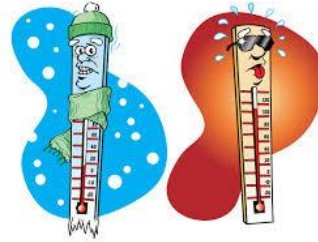
Take some time to talk to your child and discuss some of the questions below.
What do you think? Can you give reasons for choice?

If you could travel around the world would you rather use a magic carpet or a flying car?



Would you rather....

Live in a country that is always hot and sunny or in a country that is always cold and snowy?



Worship at Home

Gather as a family and play some quiet music and follow the guided meditation in the home pack or use the [Prayers for Home](#) on the Ten:Ten website.

Pray at regular times in the day -

Morning - 'Good morning Lord we praise your Holy name...

Grace Before Meals - 'Bless us O God as we sit together ...

Grace After Meals - 'Thank you God, for the food we have eaten ...

Night Prayer - 'Now the day is over ...

Say a decade of the [Rosary](#) as a family.

Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

[Classroom Secrets Learning Packs](#) - These packs are split into different year groups and include activities linked to reading, writing, maths and practical ideas you can do around the home.

[Twinkl](#) - to access these resources click on the link and sign up using your own email address and creating your own password. Use the offer code UKTWINKLHELPS.

[Phonics play](#) - great games linked to the different phases of phonics

[Pobble365](#) - the images on here are changed daily. Underneath are activities pupils can complete linked to writing, grammar etc.

[Woodlands Junior](#) - is great for research!

[Researchify](#) - a search engine which provides relevant and appropriate search results for children.

BBC Bitesize has some good videos and guides as well as some games that children can play online [BBC Bitesize Foundation Phase](#)