

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2020**

Hi everyone, I hope you had a lovely Easter 'holiday' and enjoyed some more free time with your family at home, perhaps having a go at some of the Easter challenge activities we sent out? Today is officially the first day of the Summer Term, so I have got some new maths and English activities which will be sent out daily to you by email and also shared on our website. I hope you're ready and excited to start our new learning!

### **English**

BBC Bitesize has launched a brand new online home learning service with activities for different subjects for each day/week. I would like us to start following their daily English lessons and activities that you can find from the home site here:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/z63tt39/year-4-lessons/1>

This week, their English lessons will focus on: 1 Pronouns, 2 Expanded Noun Phrases, 3 Past Tense Verbs & their verb families, 4 Adverbs and Adverbial phrases for describing, 5 Poetry - a reading task. Please only use this website for English, and not maths - we are using the White Rose Maths scheme.

We have covered all these English areas together before but going over them again will help to secure your knowledge and understanding, and allow you to apply this with a higher level of ability.

Please work through these at your own pace, and certainly no more than 1 lesson per day! I will download the activity sheets and answer sheets and put these on the website for you, but if you have any trouble accessing or viewing these, you can get them yourself from the website.

I hope the activities and videos are fun and helpful, and that the work isn't too tricky for you. I will be ringing you all again this week, and again weekly from now on, so if there is anything you struggle with, want to ask or check, please let me know.

Looking forward to speaking to you soon!

Miss Smith.