



## Year 5 Willaston Weekly Distance Learning Week 4



### Daily Reading

Ensure your child reads everyday. Check that they are reading accurately and have a clear understanding of what they have read.

Explore some poetry this week. Look on [www.poetryfoundation.org](http://www.poetryfoundation.org) for some different poems if you don't have a book at home. Which poems do you like? Why? How does poetry share messages with the reader?

### Writing Tasks - Fiction

Read the poem titled 'Leave the Whales Alone, Please!' by Tony Bradman. (You will find it on the school website or Google Classroom)

Can you write your own version of the poem about an endangered animal? What is happening to your chosen animal? Why should they be protected? Can you record your poem and share it on Google Classroom? Illustrate it?

### Writing Task - Non fiction

Research an endangered animal of your choice. Create a persuasive poster about this animal and why people should protect it. You could even include your favourite lines from your poem on it! Have a look at the example on the school website and Google Classroom.

**Remember:** snappy slogans, emotive language!

### Maths focus -

Continuing on with our division focus, this week we would like you to film a short 'Division Explained' video or show me clip. Your clip must include an explanation of what division is and examples of how to divide numbers with and without remainders.

Share your video on our Google classroom under class work.

Also on our google classroom, this week you will find a division problem to solve. Simply answer the question and give reasons for your thoughts.

Finally, challenge a family member to see who can answer the most division questions in 60 seconds- Find a list of questions on our school website.

### Topic/Science

Choose an animal that you are particularly interested in and create an information sheet about it.

We would like you to think about how this animal is well suited to its natural environment, for example: an arctic seal has thick blubber to keep it warm in icy cold water.

Where does your animal fit on a food chain? Is it a predator...or prey?

We have uploaded an example fact sheet onto the school website under 'Year Five Distance Learning'.

### Ongoing ideas to support your Year 5 child -

Make sure to check Google Classroom for regular challenges to keep you thinking!

Please find our google classroom log in guide within the latest monthly distance learning sheet on our school website.

### This week's riddle:

There are two princesses, who live on the two sides of a mountain; when one cries both cry.

**Times Tables:** Practise and recall 3 and 9 times tables

**Spellings:** Continuing with plurals...

Can you make some folding flashcards to turn words ending in a 'y' to a plural. What is the rule? Is there only one rule?

For example:  
butterly- butterflies  
delay-delays



