



Manor Park Home Learning Tasks
Week 2 - 30/03/20 - 03/04/20
Horse Chestnut

Our new topic is 'Heroes and Villains'.

Our first villain is 'Cruella De Vil' from 101 Dalmatians.



If you can watch [Cruella De Vil song \(1961\)](#) and this updated version by Selena Gomez [Cruella De Vil song - Selena Gomez](#)

(If the links don't work - type Cruella De Vil Song (1961) and Selena Gomez Cruella De Vil in youtube)

Do you know anything about Cruella De Vil? Have you read the story or watched the film of 101 Dalmatians?

Here is a link to a reading of the book

101 Dalmations Book

If you can, watch the film of 101 Dalmatians - the 1961 full film is on youtube,

If Cruella De Vil walked into your house what would you ask her? Can you write some questions? e.g. Why do you want to kidnap the puppies?

Can you draw a picture of Cruella De Vil and write a character profile for her - think about including her appearance, her behaviour and what her characteristics are - is she happy? unkind? selfish?

Have a go at retelling all or part of the story of 101 Dalmatians - you could draw a comic strip, or video yourself acting out the story - can you find props in your house? Be as creative as you can!

Science - our next science topic is 'Habitats'

There is a powerpoint and some information on Itslearning - don't worry if you can't get on these, they are an extra.

What is a habitat?

A habitat is a home environment for plants and animals or other organisms.

Examples of habitats include:

- desert
- meadow
- woodland
- grassland
- forest
- seashore
- ocean

A micro-habitat is a very specific, small home environment for plants, animals and insects. Examples include:

- ponds
- individual trees
- under a stone
- a pile of logs.

Can you choose one habitat and research which plants, animals and other organisms live there?

Do you have a micro-habitat in your garden? Can you explore what is living there for example insects - can you draw and label the micro-habitat or take a photograph of it?

Sock Puppet

Make a simple sock puppet of either Cruella de Vil or the dalmatian hero, Pongo.

Use whatever materials / resources you have at home, if you don't have an old sock you could make a puppet out of cardboard or paper.

Flip Book

If you have spare paper at home you could make a flip book using ideas from 101 Dalmatians, e.g. a puppy wagging its tail, Cruella winking or Pongo barking



This link is really useful to show you how to make them.

[How to make a flip book](#)

Maths

How are you all getting on with telling and writing the time?

This week please can you concentrate on knowing the number of seconds in a minute, minutes in an hour, days in a week, a fortnight and each month, weeks and days in a year and days in a leap year.

This poem will help you remember the number of days in each month

Thirty days has September,
April, June, and November;
All the rest have thirty-one,
Except February alone,
That has twenty-eight days clear,
And twenty-nine in each leap year.

If you are feeling confident with telling the time, can you have a go at comparing the duration (length) of different things - for example, Despicable Me is 1 hour 35 mins long, Despicable Me 2 is 1 hour 38 mins long. Which is longer? By how much?

BBC Bitesize.

The BBC are launching daily lessons from Monday 20th April.

From the website [BBC Bitesize](#)

The Bitesize website you use now will expand to offer additional help for students and their parents. New Maths and English lessons will be available every day for all ages. These will be created with resources from Bitesize, other parts of the BBC and other education providers. The content of these lessons will be backed up by new videos, practice tests, educational games and articles. Regular lessons on other core subjects, including science, will also be available.

We are not sure on the details / content, but it does seem like it will be a high quality resource. We'll be looking at it on Monday morning to see what is available.