ENGLISH Learn at Home Packs: Year 3, Week 4

The 'timetable' for this week's teaching and learning is as follows

- Day 1 If possible, introduce Fantastic Mr Fox and read the two chapters to the children in an online tutorial. They then complete the Day 1 activities in which they think about the characters in the story.
- Day 2 Using the PowerPoint presentation about present perfect forms of past tense. If children can access this in PowerPoint, they will hear the voiceover teaching. They then go on to identify present perfect verbs in sentences and texts.
- Day 3 Children read the summaries of what happens in Fantastic Mr Fox and they then plan, using a story curve, their own story along similar lines. They write this.
- Day 4 Using the PowerPoint on Prepositions. If children can access this, there is a voice-over teaching. They read a book about different dyes and then identify prepositions giving information about time, place and cause.
- Day 5 Children re-read the book and re-visit prepositions. They identify
 these and then add prepositional phrases to sentences to produce a set of
 sequenced instructions. If possible, discuss their understanding of
 prepositions with the children to assess their learning.

Summary of content

- **Day 1** Read two chapters of a novel, and discuss characters.
- **Day 2** Revise and identify past tense and the present perfect form. Check children's understanding of this.
- **Day 3** Read chapter summaries. Plan and write their own story in the same style.
- **Day 4** Revise and identify prepositions and understand how these help us to answer questions about when, where and how.
- **Day 5** Understand how prepositions can be used and create a set of sequenced instructions.