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Hi gang,

How's your week been? Hope the rain hasn't spoilt your plans and you've managed to get out and about. It feels like some things are starting to get back to some sense of normality and I bet quite a few of you were excited to see football back on the tv!

We had a bit of a problem loading the PowerPoint from Cyprus to the website but have managed to change the format and put it on now in our Year 3 section. Take a look if you haven't already. I have to warn you it will make you very jealous of their lovely warm temperatures! It was interesting to read about their school day and how it starts at 7:30am. Would you like to get up to be in school for that time?

Hopefully by now you are becoming familiar with some of the shape vocabulary and have looked at some of the sheets I have uploaded. Sam has very accurately spotted a few errors on the 'Match the 2D Shape and description' sheet which I have managed to amend and so the updated copy is now on. Keep doing a little bit of this each day if you can. In this week's tab you can see that I have added some end of term assessment tasks for maths and grammar. Please note these are not being used to assess you – they are purely for you to look back on this year's learning and think about what you can do well and what you might struggle with. The answers are included so you can mark them yourselves.

I am not adding reading booklets as most of you have been completing the [www.myrisingstars-uk.com](http://www.myrisingstars-uk.com) reading tasks online and have access to the Summer Reading Challenge online or other books. I've not included any more writing tasks either as you have all been asked to do the 'Memories of Lockdown' writing task and you also have the 'Journey to the Jungle' writing pack which has a good few weeks' worth of activities in it. It's good fun and breaks up the writing with drawing tasks too.

If you are struggling to print off activities and need paper copies of these end of year assessment tasks, the writing pack or anything else could you please phone the office in advance and tell them. They will then photocopy a full set for your child and have it ready in the office for you to pick up between 3:30 and 4:00pm on any weekday. Unfortunately, we're not able to be any more flexible with timings due to restrictions on movement in and out of school.

Remember there are all of the online activities on [www.activelearnprimary.co.uk](http://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk), [www.ttrockstars.com](http://www.ttrockstars.com) and [www.educationcity.com](http://www.educationcity.com) as well as the great football themed games on <https://plprimarystars.com/for-families>

A few more of you have been asking for your personal login details for [www.code.org](http://www.code.org) Let me know if you haven't got yours but would like them.

I hear there are some Theme Parks designs in the making at home! If you haven't checked out the ideas for this then here is the link again:  
<https://en-gb.padlet.com/bethCarr1/Themepark>

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By now you should know that your new teachers are Mrs Stevenson and Mrs Webber-Jones. They are really excited to get to know you as I have told them what an amazing class you are and how lucky they are to get you. I will be doing a full transfer of information with them so they know as much about each of you as possible and can help you get the best out of year 4. You're going to love Mrs Stevenson's French lessons and Mrs Webber-Jones plans the most fun science lessons I know! There are some great topics to look forward to in Year 4 too.

We're on the 'home straight' now and I fully appreciate how tough it has been for you all. Take heart in thinking about lots of the new skills you've developed during lockdown and be proud of those! Get in touch if you need anything.

Bye for now

*Mrs Carr* x