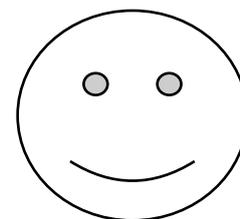


Dear Grade 3's

How are you all doing? I am battling a little with this extended lockdown because I miss seeing your smiling faces in front of me each morning and hearing all your news. I hope and pray that you are all keeping yourselves healthy and safe and that you are managing with the English work that I am sending for you.



Here is the work for **Monday, 26 April to Friday, 1 May**. Again, I have set it all out in the table below. Remember to keep your work neat and to underline dates and headings and to rule off after you have finished each worksheet or exercise.

Have any of you started a journal? If you have please keep it for me to see – with your permission of course – when school reopens. I would love to read what you got up to and what new skills you learnt during this time.

I miss you all... **a lot**.

Your very, very, very fussy teacher

Margie Ross.



ENGLISH WORK FOR MONDAY 27 APRIL – FRIDAY 1 MAY	
<u>MONDAY</u> <u>27/04/2020</u>	Spelling: Term 2 Week 4 – Words with oa and ow that sound like long o . Learn words and write 5 sentences using words from this list. Language: Worksheet 1 – Advertisement. Look carefully at the given advertisement and answer the questions that follow. Reading: Read aloud the “ The Problem with Picasso ” from the Rising Stars programme, or 5 pages from a book you have at home.
<u>TUESDAY</u> <u>28/04</u>	Comprehension: Homework Comprehension on “ What is it? ” Language: Worksheet 2 – Revision of Common and Proper Nouns. Reading: Read aloud “ The Broken Bike ” from the Rising Stars programme, or 5 pages from a book you have at home.
<u>WEDNESDAY</u> <u>29/04</u>	Spelling: Term 2 Week 4. Challenge words beginning with l . Write 5 sentences using these words. Language: Worksheet 3 – Introduction to Adjectives Reading: Read aloud “ The New Treehouse ” from the Rising Stars Programme, or 5 pages from a book you have at home.
<u>THURSDAY</u> <u>30/04</u>	Spelling: Revise all spelling and challenge words. Test yourself! Language: Worksheet 4 – More adjectives. Reading: Read aloud from “ Save the Dolphins ” from the Rising Stars Programme, or 5 pages from a book you have at home.
<u>FRIDAY</u> <u>1/05</u>	Spelling: Ask an adult to test you on your 30 words from this week. Mark your work together. Write your incorrect words in your dictionary. Language: Finish all worksheets that you may have not completed this week and ask an adult to help you correct all your work using the given answer sheets. Reading: Answer the questions and do the quiz from your favourite story this week from the Rising stars Programme or write 6-10 sentences about the story you read from a book you had at home.

Look carefully at the advertisement below and then **read** the new words and the information next to it. Answer the questions that follow carefully.



1. **The Name** of the product is usually written in big letters so that it catches your attention.
2. **The graphics** are the pictures or drawings in the advertisement.
3. **The copy** is all the written information about the product in the advertisement.
4. **The target market** is the group of people that the will be interested in buying and using the product. The target market often talks about the age of the people who will use the product and if they are male or female.

1. What is **the name** of the product in this advertisement?
2. Look at **the graphic** in this advertisement. What is it?
3. Does this insect look friendly? Explain your answer.
4. **When** do you think you would use this product?
5. What do you think is the **target market** of this advertisement? How old would they be? What gender would they be?
6. Do you **like** this advertisement? Give **two reasons** for your feelings.
7. What is the one most **important piece of information** in **the copy**?





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Complete the story below by filling in **common** and **proper nouns**

When you have finished, read your story carefully to see that what you have written makes sense, that you have used the correct punctuation and that your spelling is correct. Use your own dictionary to help you.

My name is _____ . I really do not like _____ at all.

They frighten me. One day I was walking in the _____ when I heard a

noise in the _____ nearby. I froze. I didn't know what to do. I was sure

it was a _____ . I saw _____ who was my _____ . She

came running to me. I told her that I thought there was a _____ in the

_____ . _____ told me to stand very still. She said that

she was going to call Mr. _____ . He collected _____

and would know what to do. I stood as still as I could but all I wanted to do

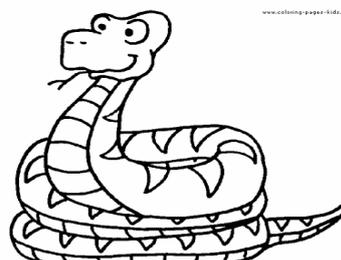
was to run to the _____ . Eventually Mr. _____ arrived.

He looked very carefully in the _____ but there was nothing there!

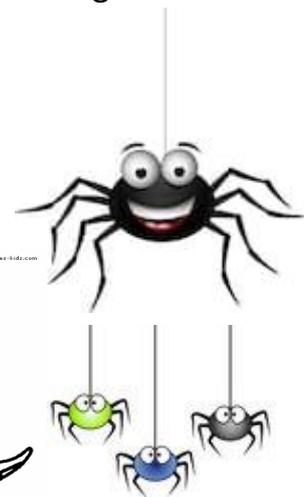
That was a _____ I will never forget!

Draw a picture of the creepy crawly that frightened you.

**Your story will be different to mine,
but I can't wait to share my story
with you on Friday!!**



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Adjectives are words that **tell us more** about common and proper **nouns**. They help us to **see in our imaginations**, the common and proper nouns more **clearly**. They are also **best friends** with the **nouns** because they always stand **next** to each other and **hold hands** in a sentence.

E.g. The **long, slimy** snake was sleeping on the **rough, brown** rock.



The **adjectives** in this sentence are written in **blue**. The **nouns** in this sentence are written in **red**.

You can see that the adjectives (**long, slimy, rough, brown**) tell us more about the **nouns** (**snake, rock**).

The **adjectives** also stand next to the **nouns** in the sentence.

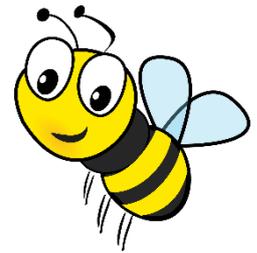
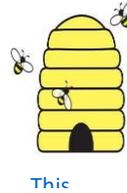
We say that the **adjectives** **describe** the **nouns**.



From the box below, pick suitable adjectives that describe the given nouns, so that the sentences make sense.

rose	green	colourful	huge
black	neat	white	delicious
thorny	tasty	lots	tiny

1. The **busy** bee was searching for **sweet** nectar in the **colourful** flowers.
2. The _____ **spider** was spinning a _____ **web**.
3. I saw a _____ **butterfly** flying around in the _____ **garden**.
4. The _____ **ants** were eating the _____ **sugar**.
5. The _____ **caterpillar** was munching on a _____ **leaf**.
6. The _____ **ladybug** was walking along the _____ **stem** of the _____ **plant**.
7. I don't like to see _____ **flies** flying around my _____, _____ **food**.



Carefully **write** out the sentences below.
 In each sentence underline the **nouns** in **red**.
 Then **find** the **adjectives** in each sentence and **underline** them in **blue**.

Remember:

Nouns and **adjectives** are best friend because they “**hold hands**” in a sentence.
 There may be **more than one adjective** for each **noun**.

1. The hairy bee was sitting on the large, red rose.
2. It was looking for sweet nectar.
3. The tiny hairs on the bee’s body help it to collect the yellow pollen.
4. The clear drops of nectar help the bee by giving it energy.
5. The minute grains of pollen help the bee by giving it good protein.
6. The excited bee did a quick dance to let the other busy bees know that there was delicious nectar in the beautiful meadow.



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Now **draw up a table** like the one below. **Fill** all the **nouns** in the one column (Write each **noun once** only), and all the **adjectives** in the other column. You will have more **adjectives** than **nouns**.

NOUNS	ADJECTIVES

Can you **write** all the **adjectives** in **alphabetical order**? Try your best!

Name: _____

Date: _____

Comprehension Homework

Term 2

Activity 2

WHAT IS IT? by Rosalie Koskimaki

"What is it?" Kay asked her father. She showed him the tiny egg she had found.

"We'll let it be a surprise," Kay's father told her. "Put it in a jar and wait."

So, Kay waited.

One day a worm came out of the egg.

Kay ran to her father. "I know what it is," she told him.

"It's a worm. That was a worm egg I found."

"Well it could be a worm egg," said her father, "But you'd better wait some more. Put some leaves in the jar."

So, Kay did, and she waited.

Then one day she saw the worm hiding itself. It was all wrapped up in a white thing. Soon she couldn't see the worm anymore.

"What is that white thing?" Kay asked her father.

"That's a cocoon," he said.

"Then that was a cocoon egg I found," said Kay.

"No, I don't think so," said Kay's father. "You need to wait a bit longer."

All I do is wait, Kay thought.

But one day she saw the cocoon moving. Then something started coming out of the cocoon. In a short time, Kay could see a beautiful butterfly. She watched it fly around in the jar. At last Kay knew what kind of egg she had found!

How well did you read?

Pick the word that makes each sentence correct.

cocoon	egg	worm	butterfly	jar
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1. Kay showed her father the tiny _____ she had found.
2. Kay's father told her to put it in a _____.
3. Soon there was a _____ in the jar.
4. It wrapped itself in a white _____.
5. And one day there was a beautiful _____ in the jar.

Learn about words:

She watched it fly **around** in the jar.

Listen to the sound of **ound**. Add the letters below, to **ound** to make five new words. Write down the words you make.

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| 1. f | | 1. _____ |
| 2. h | | 2. _____ |
| 3. p | + ound | 3. _____ |
| 4. r | | 4. _____ |
| 5. s | | 5. _____ |

Use your new words in sentences:

Which of the new words you have made belong in the sentences below?

1. One day Kay heard a loud rapping _____.
2. She looked inside and saw her old _____, Rags.
3. He had _____ something on the front steps.
4. It was a _____ jar with a cocoon in it.
5. Rag's was trying to _____ the jar on the step.

Complete these sentences:

Circle the word that makes the most sense in the sentences below.

1. I don't (**trust/trump**) that elf!
2. The rat had a (**trunk/chunk**) of cheese.
3. What (**brand/grand**) of milk do you drink?
4. Did Nat (**blend/spend**) his money?
5. Glen put the (**plank/plant**) in the pot.

Now answer the following questions:

1. List the 4 stages in a butterfly's **life cycle**.

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| a. _____ | b. _____ |
| c. _____ | d. _____ |

2. List 5 **adjectives** you would use to describe a butterfly. Choose your adjectives carefully.
