

Home Learning Week 2: My Local Area	
Weekly Maths Tasks (aim to do 1 per day)	Weekly Reading Tasks (aim to do 1 per day)
<ul> <li>Working on <u>Numbots</u> - your child will have an individual login to access this.</li> <li>Working on <u>MyMaths</u> – your child will have an individual login to access this.</li> <li>Recognise the place value for numbers up to 99 in this <u>place value basketball game</u>.</li> <li>Create a card game that is based around making number pairs to twenty that can then be played as a family.</li> <li>Identify shapes and finish the patterns in this online <u>game</u>. Can any of these shapes be found around the house? How many of each shape can be found?</li> <li>Write the numbers 20 - 50 in words and digits</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading a variety of books at home. Your child could share a book every day. This can be reading a book aloud every day or sharing a book with an adult.</li> <li>Get your child to read a book on <u>Active learn</u> and complete the activities. These focus on comprehension skills</li> <li>Watch <u>Newsround</u> and find out what is happening in the world. What did you find out? Is there anything you need help understanding?</li> <li>Sort books into fiction and non-fiction and say how you know.</li> <li>Create a quiz about one of your favourite books and get a family member to complete it.</li> <li>Weekly Writing Tasks (aim to do 1 per day)</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Daily phonics - your child to practice their sounds and blend words.</li> <li>Interactive games found on link below.</li> <li><u>Phonics play</u></li> <li><u>Top Marks</u></li> <li><u>Spelling</u></li> <li>Spell the days of the week: Keep a diary of things you do in the week.</li> <li>common exception words</li> <li><u>Spelling City</u></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ask your child to imagine that they live in the house opposite or in a house nearby. What would they see? Write sentences using a variety of suffixes (-ing, -ed) and adjectives.</li> <li>Write your address: Discuss with your child. Do they know who delivers the post? What goes on an envelope? Ask your child to write their address on the envelope. Discuss the postcode and any capital letters?</li> <li>Well known addresses: Discuss with your child any well-known addresses of book characters/famous people/ historical figures they may know? e.g. 10 Downing Street, The Post Office.</li> <li>Write a letter to the Queen and post it.</li> <li>Design a leaflet for a local area (the Chevin, Yeadon Tarn, Otley Marketplace) including topics such things to do, sight-seeing and places/people of interest.</li> </ul>

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Learning Project to be done through the week – My Local Area The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about the area in which they live. Learning may focus on your local area, famous people, key landmarks and links to your city.

It is not expected that every activity is completed – aim to do 1-2 a day

## To develop knowledge of the location of significant places:

Ask your child to look at where they live. What can they see outside the window in the front of their house? At the back of their house? What could they find near them? Find a map and see if they can find Otley. Do they know the name of their street? Can they create a street sign with their street name?

**My address:** Support your child to find out your address. Can they find the number on your door? Can they write the number in digits and words? Ask them to try writing the number using crayons and paint.

Can they write a postcard or letter to a teacher at school? They could tell their teacher about where they live and things about their local area.

**My house:** Discuss with your child what their house looks like inside and outside? How many bedrooms does it have? Who has the biggest bedroom? Who has the smallest? Ask them to look outside their window and see if they can spot a house different to their own.

Can they draw their house? How many windows at the front? How many windows at the back? Do you have one door or two? In a special bag - could you (with adult support) place things that make it your home? Why would you pick those items?

<u>Draw a picture of your street</u>. Support your child to take a look at the street and buildings around where they live. Encourage them to think about the shape of the buildings.

<u>Shape hunt</u>: Take your child on a shape hunt around their house and garden. Look at the different shapes of the windows, doors, and houses. Can they name them? Are they 2D or 3D shapes? Ask them to create a picture of their house or street.

**Name the shape:** Place some 2D or 3D shapes (or 3D shape objects) into a bag and play the game 'Can\_you name the shape?' You will need a partner to play this game. One partner has a **shape** from the shape bag and they stand back to back. The partner with the **shape** describes it to their partner who has to try and draw it. How m



partner with the **shape** describes it to their partner who has to try and draw it. How many do you know?

Find your house on 'Google maps'.

Search for your house on the street? Can you find Leeds, Bradford, Ilkley, Guiseley?

**<u>Compass</u>**: Make a compass. Do you know what the different compass points mean? Can you label the points?

<u>Create a passport:</u> create an individual passport to show your own information about where you live. Discuss the use of a Passport. What is a passport? What information does it contain? What does a passport allow you to do? Can you find a real life passport? Do you have one?

**Flag:** Below is the Leeds flag. What do you think the flag represents? Can you design your own flag for your local area? What could you add? What would they mean to you?

<u>Design a cottage -</u> Compare how a cottage is different to your house. Can you make a model of your house and a cottage?

Create a song about 'Where you live' - Can you add your address in your song?

<u>Can you find the UK on the map?</u> Can you name the countries? Why do you think the countries begin with a capital letter? This <u>song</u> may help.





