

## Reception

For your literacy work I would like you to look at yourself in the mirror really closely. Describe your features to a family member. Remember to speak in full sentences.

I have long blonde hair and it is straight.

My eyes are green.

This will help you when you are painting your self portraits.

You could write what you see using key words or full sentences.



Yesterday you made some beautiful flower headband like the ones Frida Kahlo would wear. Today I would like you to have a go at painting a self portrait in the style of Frida Kahlo.

## Subtraction



Collect 10 leaves from your garden or while you are out on a walk. Now roll a dice and take away that amount. How many do you have left?

Do you know the symbol to use when writing a subtraction number sentence?

## Phonics;



Today I would like you to practice your phonics by playing the game 'splat'. Write down the sounds from the ones we have learnt so far that you need to practice, then ask someone to say the sound and see if you can splat it. You can write them with chalk outside or on pieces of paper inside.

You could use a plastic spatula or your hands as your splat tool.

HAVE FUN!

Remember there are lots of games you can access on Phonics play for free at the moment to support phonics learning.

Username: **march20**

Password: **home**

<https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/>



Remember to read everyday.



Can you practise forming letters?



## Spelling the sound /oi/ as in oil

There are two ways of spelling the sound /oi/ : **oi** and **oy**



Spelling rules for **oi** and **oy** in words of one syllable:



Use **oi** in the middle of a word, for example:  
coin, choice

Use **oy** at the end of a word, for example:  
boy, toy



Spelling rules for **oi** and **oy** in longer words:



Use **oi** in the middle of a syllable, for example:  
avoid, moisture, poisonous

Use **oy** at the end of a word or before a vowel:  
annoy, destroy, loyal, voyage



## Royal Roy

Roy is a spoilt royal prince and he's only seven years old. He enjoys annoying staff in the castle by being noisy and destroying things. One day, Roy was singing in a very loud voice in his room when there was a *knock* on the door. It won't be the castle staff he thought, they try to avoid me. Prince Roy slowly opened the door to find a toy crown sitting on the floor with a note beside it. 'One day you will be king. A king who is kind to his people will bring joy to his kingdom. Make the right choices my boy and be considerate of others. Love Dad x'

How many different 'oy' and 'oi' words did you find?

oi	oy

Words

Write the words you find under the correct heading. Can you add anymore oy and oi words the lists?

English.

Alternative words for Said!

When using direct speech we often use the words said.

“I miss you all.” said Mrs Chisman

**BUT** to make our writing more interesting we could use words other than said.

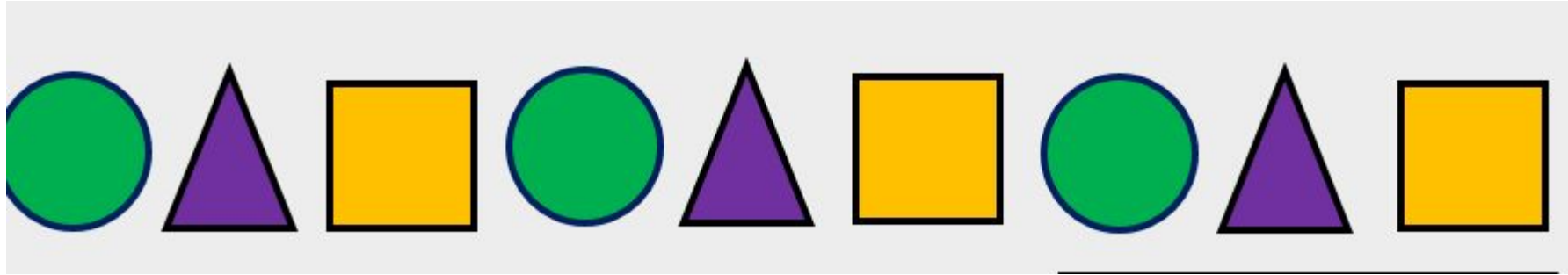
“I miss you all.” cried Mrs Chisman.

How many other words can you think of that you could use an alternative to said?

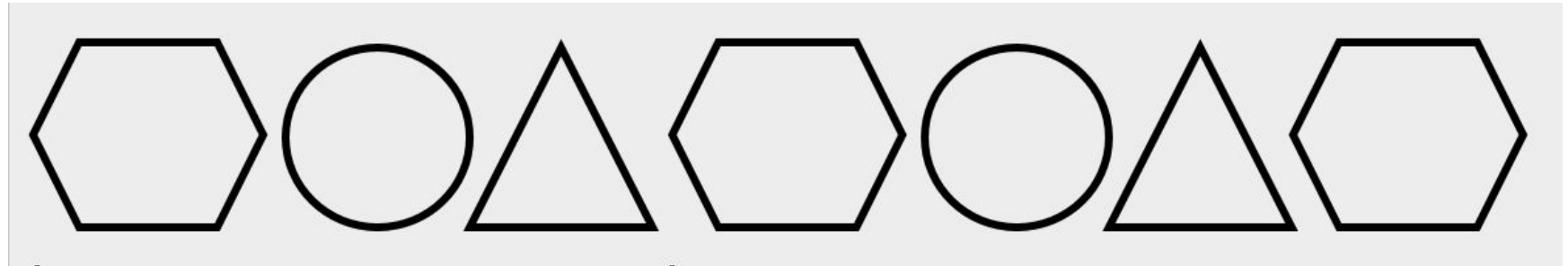
Tomorrow we will look at punctuating speech so you can use some of the wonderful words you have found.



How is this pattern repeating itself?  
Can you carry on this pattern?



Can you carry on this sequence? What shapes will you use?



3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13

What do you notice about this number pattern?.....The numbers are Odd and going up in 2's.

<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>20</b>		<b>30</b>
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Can you fill in the missing numbers in these patterns?

<b>27</b>	<b>37</b>		<b>57</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>87</b>
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Now write the next 3 numbers in each pattern.

<b>32</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>26</b>		<b>22</b>	<b>20</b>
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Can you create your own number patterns and see if a family member can write the next 3 numbers.



Over the next 4 weeks, for your topic work, you are going to be completing a project about Mexico! Everyone in the school is doing the same project so that if you have siblings, then you can all do similar activities and teach each other things. Activities will be posted weekly with a particular focus. Choose the activities you would most like to do and present them creatively! You can present your work however you like, for example, in the form of artwork, a scrapbook, a PowerPoint.

### **Suggested activities for Art and Craft (Please feel free to do your own if you would prefer.)**



You could make your own water bottle **Maraca** and use it to play in your own Mariachi band. Using an empty water bottle wrap it top to bottom with masking tape. Fill you bottle with seeds and replace the lid. Decorate it then shake, shake, shake!

Frida Karlo is a famous Artist from Mexcio, she wore colourful flower head bands. You could use tissue paper to make your own flowers and stick them to some card to make a flower head band. Make it as big a bold as you like!



<https://tinkerlab.com/how-to-make-a-gods-eye-craft/> **Gods eyes** originally came from Huichol people of Central Northwest Mexico and were created as protective and spiritual symbols. Using wool and 2 sticks tied together you can weave your very own. You can have a look at the link to help you.

Can you create your own Mexican Folk Art. Take a piece of card and stick string to it to create a pattern. Then cover it with Tin foil. Press down the foil to reveal the pattern underneath. Then using felt tips colour each section to create some beautiful art.



- <https://feltmagnet.com/crafts/mexican-crafts-2> Have a look at this website for some more Ideas.
- REMEMBER, you do not have to do all of these in a week, they are just ideas. Have fun.