

Home Learning
Year 3

This Week's English Tasks

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Spelling:

- Watch this video <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvwwxnb/articles/zcyv4qt> about using apostrophes for contractions.
- Create your own poster about using apostrophes for contractions including examples of them using the list below. Also explain how you use an apostrophe for contractions as well.
- If there are any that you found tricky to turn into contractions keep practising them so that you learn to spell them correctly.

I will	is not	has not
I am	he will	will not
do not	cannot	I had
I would	I have	are not
had not	have not	could not
you are	they are	you will
he will	you have	

Grammar:

- Open 'Grammar - Possessive Apostrophe Rules - Activity 1'. With an adult, read through the information explaining the rules of how to use apostrophes for singular and plural nouns. Verbally discuss the answers to the questions on the last page.
- Open 'Grammar - Singular or Plural Sort - Activity 2'. Sort the nouns to show if they show singular possession or plural possession.
- Open 'Grammar - Singular or Plural Sentences- Activity 3'. Read the sentences and label them to show which show singular possession and which show plural possession.

Activity 1 – Animal Pills

- Read Chapter 4 – Animal Pills (Mrs Evans will try and upload a video reading to Seesaw).
- Look at Activity 1 resources 'Sequence where George goes' and draw your own line to plan where George goes and in what order on the line. Try to write a sentence for each one and use a different sentence opener for each one. There is a list of opener ideas in the Activity resources.
- Using your ingredient sorting from last week add the ingredients that George finds in Chapter 4.
- Create a poster for George warning people about eating things they find around their house.

Activity 2 – Ingredients

- The words 'Marvellous Medicine' and 'Awesome Antidote' are examples of alliteration. Remember alliteration uses the same initial sound or letter repeatedly in a phrase or sentence e.g. Grumpy Grandma. Can you come up with an example of alliteration for your own name and the people in your house? (E.g. Lovely Lianna, Amazing Asad etc.)
- You are going to use alliteration to compile a list of ingredients for your own 'Marvellous Medicine' or 'Awesome Antidote' but alongside adjectives we shall try to add amounts too which are often used in ingredients for recipes. There is a list of quantifiers if you need ideas in the English Activity 2 Resources. Use the 'How to...' sheet as a structure to write your own ingredients list. There needs to be a main title and subheading and the list of ingredients need to be on one line each beginning with a bullet point. There is the beginning of a model one in the activity resources to help you with ideas.

Activity 3 – Creating Instructions

- Read Chapter 5 'The Cook Up' and first page of chapter 6 'Brown Paint'.
- How does George make his medicine? Share your ideas with someone at home. Then have a go at ordering how George makes his medicine after he has collected all his ingredients. You don't have to print the sheet you can just talk them through and use the numbers to write an order.
- Look at English Activity 3 Resource (The recipe by Jolly George) and look at the features of the recipe, for example as well as the ingredients listed with bullet points, a 'Method' is identified using numbered steps. Look at how to keep the writing interesting and varied, a range of time adverbs, imperative verbs and adverbs of manner have been used. If you are unsure what any of these things are can you research them to find out?
- Watch the video and have a go at the activity here: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2yycdm/articles/zws9tv4> to practise your knowledge of instructions.

Activity 4 – Instruction Writing

- Writing Task – Instruction Writing
- For this task you are going to write the method for your own marvellous medicine or awesome antidote.
- English Activity 4 Resources has a model of how to set your recipe out. There is also a model one to look at if you are finding it tricky to know where to start.

- Remember your method needs to work with the ingredient list that you created for Activity 2.

Useful Links and Videos

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvwwxnb/articles/zcyv4qt>
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2yycdm/articles/zws9tv4>
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lx7eMBR_cOs (George's Marvellous Medicine - Chapters 4, 5 & 6)