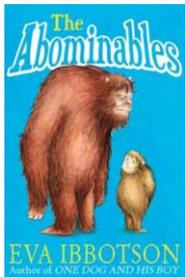


Hello Year 3!

I hope everyone has had a good week at home and is staying happy and healthy. I've been so impressed by all the activities you've been doing and the work that you have sent me. This week I have read a book called 'The Abominables', about a Yeti



family who drove all the way from Nepal to England. I've also been on some nice bike rides near where I live, and I was very happy to see some of you out and about on your bikes too!

Have fun with this week's activities 😊

Don't forget to do some online learning on MyMaths, Times Table Rock Stars, Manga High, Numbots, Education City and Bug Club!

Remember to send your pictures, examples of wonderful home learning and any questions to [year3@swaythlingprimary.org!](mailto:year3@swaythlingprimary.org)

This Friday is VE Day. It celebrates something that happened in 1945 - which of the topics we have done this year would that link to? Talk to an adult or do your own research to find out why we celebrate this day.



PREDATORS AND PREY

Have a look at this video of animals catching their prey:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/science-ks1-ks2-wonders-of-nature-animals-catching-prey-hunting-food/zjnhf4j>

I was amazed by the chameleon's tongue!



Talk with an adult about what you learnt about how animals get their food.

Pick one animal that you really liked from the video and find out more about it. Record what you found out in your scrapbook:

- Where does it live? What is its habitat like?
- What does it eat and how does it catch its food?
- What interesting features does it have?
- Can you draw it in a food chain?

You could do it as a fact file, or a piece of writing - it's up to you!

Try and complete two maths challenges from your scrapbook pack this week. I had a go at "I'm Eight" and found over 20 ways of making 8! Can you find more than me?



Things are so different at the moment that we're probably all feeling a bit strange. Can you complete Challenge #16

and do a shape poem about yourself? See if you can use lots of exciting words (you could try an online thesaurus if you don't have one at home). You can also look at my example in the weekly update for ideas.

Education City has lots of activities for you to try out. I've added a new section called Predators and Prey for you to learn about parts of our topic. Try watching the videos first, then do the activities. Good luck! 📺



Kindness

Being kind is always important, especially at the moment when our lives are so different to normal and many people are finding it hard. Try and do a small act of kindness for someone in your house every day - a little bit of kindness can go a long way!

Creative Corner



Can you make a model of a predator? You can use any material you like: paper, cardboard, playdough, clay, recycled materials - whatever you have at home!

