

Y3/4

29.6.20

Brambles Primary Academy


Home Learning

This home learning is for this week. While this is not compulsory, children are encouraged to complete the tasks on a weekly basis and if possible, post pictures or send examples of the work you have done on our Facebook page or email brambles@tved.org.uk

Please continue to read daily, this is the key to future success.

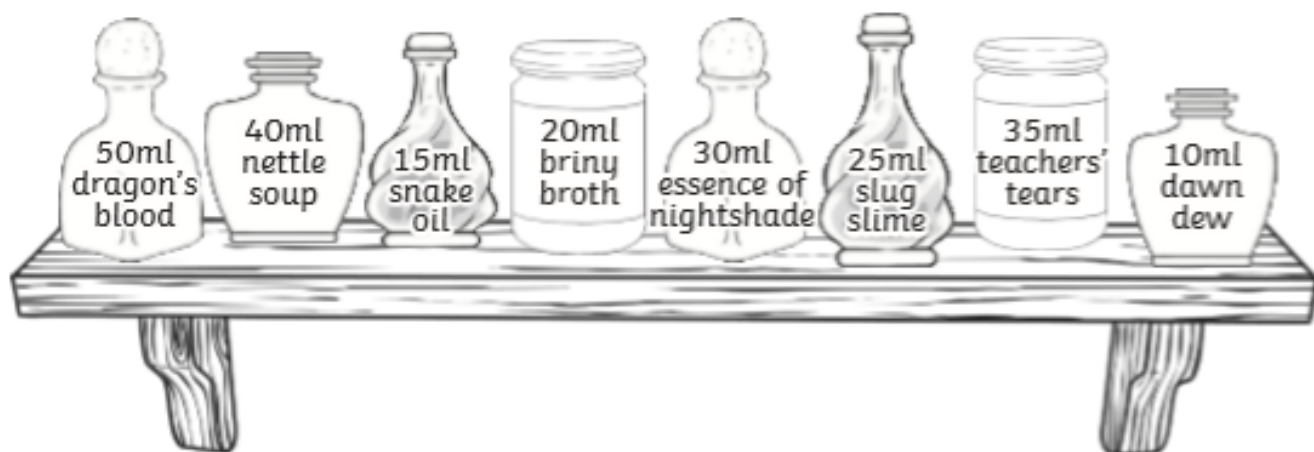
Remember to log onto Times Tables Rock Stars and Spelling and Maths Shed.

I hope you are all keeping well and staying safe.

Subject	Learning Challenge	
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Maths	Wizard William and Witch Winifred have been mixing potions. Can you help them find all the possibilities for their recipes? Complete the capacity work sheet at the bottom of the page. Can you make some potions of your own? Challenge - Use a measuring jug to measure the capacity of the potions you invent.	
Reading	J K Rowling is a very famous author who wrote spellbinding stories about Harry Potter who is possibly the most famous fictional wizards of our time. Read the information about this talented author and complete the questions related to the text.	
Writing	So now you have made your very own magic potion, write a set of instructions for a magicians apprentice explaining what the potion can be used for, how to make it and what the effects will be on the person taking it.	
Wider Curriculum	Create a wanted poster for the evil wizard Voldemort. Include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an illustration • a description • his powers • what crime he has committed • reward 	
Challenge	Create a magical land model for your friends to explore. There might be secret passages that appear when a magical spell is uttered, invisibility lakes or mountains, wizard or witches castles and secret dungeons. Let your imagination take you into a new and glorious place.	
Book Club	Sit back and enjoy listening to the Harry Potter series through the audible website. https://stories.audible.com/pdp/B017V54W60?ref=adbl_ent_anon_ds_pdp_pc_ctr-0-0 This is the link for Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone. If you enjoy this then search the audible site for the whole Harry Potter collection.	

9am	10am	11am	12pm	1pm	General
Joe Wicks - 9am Dance Workout Sentence Stackers - 9.45am Pie Corbett - Talk for Writing - 9.30am	Dr Chips Science, Computing and Engineering Music with Myleen	David Walliams Let's go live Science Body Beats Percussion		British Sign Language	Dancing with Oti The Maths Factor First News Art Ninja

Potions Capacity



Wizard William and Witch Winifred are mixing potions. Can you help find all the possibilities for their recipes?

1. Wizard William can use any 2 ingredients. His potion needs to measure exactly 50ml. Which ingredients could he use?

2. Congratulations! What will Wizard William's potion do?

3. Witch Winifred has to use more than 2 ingredients. Her potion also needs to measure exactly 50ml. Which ingredients could she choose?

4. Congratulations! What will Witch Winifred's potion do?

J.K. Rowling

Name:

Joanne Rowling

Born:

31st July 1965

Place of birth:

Gloucestershire, UK

Occupation:

Writer, Author



Biography

Going from having no job to being a multi-millionaire in the space of 5 years, J.K. Rowling's story is almost as amazing as Harry Potter's! She is the best-selling living author in the UK and her books are popular all over the world. Rowling has named Jane Austen and C.S. Lewis as a few of her favourite writers.

She was born Joanne Rowling on 31st July 1965, in Gloucestershire. Joanne enjoyed writing fantasy stories from an early age, reading them to her younger sister. Having graduated from university, she moved to London to work as a researcher for Amnesty International, an organisation which works to protect human rights around the world. Rowling also lived and worked in Manchester.

It was in 1990, when she was on a delayed train journey from Manchester to London that the idea for a series of books came into her head. Sadly, during the writing of the first Harry Potter book, her mother died. Rowling decided to introduce more detail about the loss of the main character's parents as she knew how it felt. Joanne used her own life as inspiration for

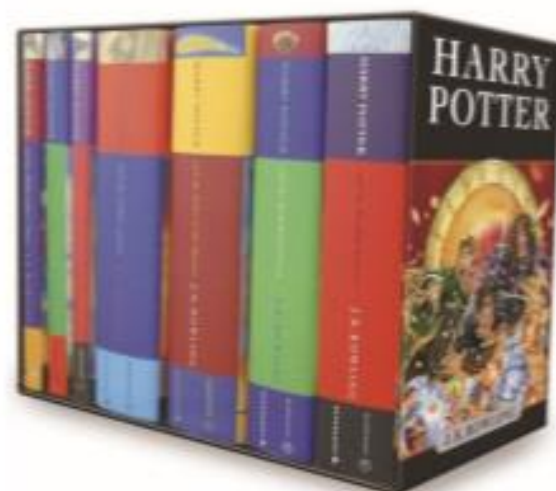
many other ideas in the book, for example, her parents met at Kings Cross Station which is where Harry Potter catches the train to school.

After living and working as an English teacher in Portugal, Rowling moved to Edinburgh with her daughter. Those early days of living in Scotland weren't easy for Joanne as she had no job. She gave her spare time to finishing her book. When the story was finally complete, it was sent to 12 different publishing houses, all of which turned it down. In 1997, the book was finally published by Bloomsbury under the name J.K. Rowling. As Joanne didn't have a middle name, she used her grandmother's name, 'Kathleen' in her initials. Shortly after, the book won its first award and proved to be very popular. She later released the

next book, 'Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets', followed by 'Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban'. The next book in the series, Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire, broke sales records in both the UK and America. Rowling was also named Author of the Year at the 2000 British Book Awards and awarded an OBE for writing such popular children's books.

The final book in the series, Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, was released in 2007 and became the fastest-selling book in history. Since the last Harry Potter book, Rowling has written other books linked to the original Harry Potter series. She has also written stories for adults and continues to write more new material.

Today, original copies of Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone sell for around AUD \$33 000 and the series has been translated into 65 languages. The books were also made into very successful films.



Questions

Answer the questions in full sentences.

1. When and where was she born?

2. Name one of Rowling's favourite authors.

3. Where did Joanne come up with the idea for the Harry Potter series?

4. Can you explain how the death of her own mother affected her writing?

5. What could one of the original copies of 'Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone' sell for?
