**Canterbury Class work pack 16th March 2020**

Dear Parents,

Please find attached a pack of work for your child to complete in case of school closures. There are I.C.T games and ideas on our Class web page which will give you further work for your child. I will endeavour to add ideas to the page if and when we close.

**Ideas:**

**Writing** – it is really important that the children write daily as they would be doing so in school. One or two sentences a day for Year R is sufficient to keep their skills ticking over. Year 1 need to aim for at least 6 sentences to a page daily. The Early learning goal for writing in Reception is –

“Children use their phonic knowledge to write words in ways which match their spoken sounds. They also write some irregular common words. They write simple sentences which can be read by themselves and others. Some words are spelt correctly and others are phonetically plausible.”

Writing ideas:

* Write a story
* Diary
* Animal facts – what animals do they know about? Can they write some facts?
* A letter to a friend or family member
* A book review – What did I like about the book? What was my favourite book?

**Reading** – I will send extra books home this week but obviously, depending on how long we do or don’t close, these may run out. So reading to your child daily will be still beneficial.

**Maths** – I have included some Maths booklets and home learning ideas.

The Early learning goals for Reception for number is-

ELG 11 **Numbers**: Children count reliably with **numbers** from 1 to 20, place them in order and say which **number** is one more or one less than a given **number**. Using quantities and objects, they add and subtract two single-digit **numbers** and count on or back to find the answer.

Please work on these objectives with your child.

Year 1 have My Maths and a maths booklet to complete.

**Phonics** – Your child has been sent home a phonics booklet at their appropriate level to have a go at. Reading and recognising tricky words by sight will also be a good activity to work on.

**Science –** Exploring different materials. I have included a booklet with some ideas on exploring how materials change. Perhaps you can take pictures and write about what you did or discovered.