


## Learning Lions

Please find today's learning tasks below.

The table below explains the tasks and you will find the resources underneath. Your child will know which challenge they usually access in each subject and which task will be appropriate for them.

Year group: 2				Date: 15.05.20	
English	Reading Comprehension Focus – See sheets below,				
	Challenge 1		Challenge 2		Challenge 3
	Complete the reading with your adult to help and read some. Complete the reading comprehension questions remembering to read each question carefully and choose the correct answer by looking back at the text. You can just write the correct answers in your books.		Complete the reading of the story below. Complete the reading comprehension questions remembering to read each question carefully and choose the correct answer by looking back at the text. You can just write the correct answers in your books.		
Maths	<div><div></div><div>Warm Up – follow this link to complete your maths warm up. <a href="http://www.wldps.com/gordons/Bingo_-_reading_scales_v2.swf">http://www.wldps.com/gordons/Bingo - reading scales v2.swf</a> Click on multiples of 1, 2, 5 or 10 and complete the activities.</div></div>				
	Challenge 1		Challenge 2		Challenge 3
	Complete the task sheets below working on your times tables. You should easily be able to do the x2 page and if you fly through it move onto challenge 2!		Complete the task sheets below working on your times tables. You should easily be able to do the x5 page and if you fly through it move onto challenge 3!		Look at the activity sheets below and start with the x5 sheet completing the calculations quickly recalling your 5x table number facts – you should know these mentally! Complete the challenge for your x3 task as an extension.

<b>Reading</b>	Complete the 60 second read – See task sheet below.
<b>Phonics</b>	Log into Education City (Username and password in blue book) complete the Spelling homework task I have set for you.
<b>Other</b>	<p>Today we are thinking about <b>SPACE</b> again but through Dance!</p> <div data-bbox="273 357 1126 764" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>Click on the link here:  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b03g6vs2">https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b03g6vs2</a></p> <p>Click to watch or use the download button.</p> <p>The session takes about 20 minutes – enjoy!</p>

Unless otherwise specified, please complete the tasks in either your home learning book or print out the document below.

(read on your own/ with your adult / listen to your adult read).

## Back to Earth with a Bump!

It's evening and Hal needs to go up to bed.

He brushes his teeth and he brushes his head.

The big hand's on twelve and the small hand's on eight.

Quick, into your bedroom – it's really quite late!

Hal closes his curtains and turns out the light,

Curls under his blanket and snuggles up tight.

But just when he's starting to snuffle and snore...

...his small bed takes off from the ground with a roar!



A whoosh! And it's out of the window they go.

His house soon becomes just a dot down below.

He soars through the clouds and the  
dark moonlit sky

And straight into space in the  
blink of an eye.



"It's Earth calling Hal! Can you hear me? Come in!"

We've a mission for you – when can you begin?"

"You're loud and you're clear, now just tell me the plan.

Please give me my mission - I'll do what I can."



"Please find us the Sun – it has gone from the sky.  
It's vanished completely; we just don't know why."  
"OK," agrees Hal with a nod of his head,  
"I'll track down the Sun in my space-travelling bed!"



"What's that up ahead?"

Hal squints hard as he sees

A shape that is pale, round, and looks  
like a cheese!

There are craters and mountains and dust  
that is grey;

Could this be the Sun that we see in the day?

"No way!" chuckles Hal with a shake of his head,  
"I know what that is!" and he stands on his bed.  
"There's just no mistaking: that sphere is the moon!  
I see it each night from my bed in my room!"

"We must find the Sun!" Hal commands with a jump,  
"Before we go straight back to Earth with a bump!  
I must not give up – it's important to try.  
I'll keep up my quest for the Sun in the sky."



"What's that up ahead?"

Hal jumps up as he spies

Some bright twinkling shapes far ahead in the sky.

They sparkle and dazzle; they glow with white light.

Could this be the Sun that we lost in the night?



"Oh no!" giggles Hal with a wink of his eye,

"I know those small diamonds up in the sky.



Those beautiful, twinkling space dots are stars!

I'm perfectly certain that that's what they are!"

"We must find the Sun!" Hal commands with a jump,

"Before we go straight back to Earth with a bump!



I must keep on trying, although it is hard.

I know if I try I can reach for the stars."

"What's that up ahead?"

Hal stands up on tiptoes

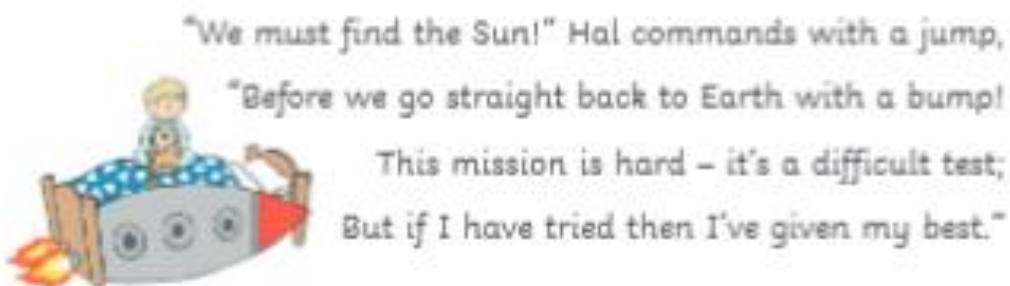
To see a vast shape: it is red and it glows.

There are mountains and valleys and  
deserts so dry;

Could this be the Sun that has gone from  
the sky?



"It can't be!" says Hal as he scratches his head,  
"I know what that is – it's so round and so red.  
It's perfectly clear that this planet is MARS!  
I've heard it's the planet that's found next to ours."



"We must find the Sun!" Hal commands with a jump,  
"Before we go straight back to Earth with a bump!  
This mission is hard – it's a difficult test;  
But if I have tried then I've given my best."

Just then, Hal turns back to look at the Earth, and

#### WHAT DOES HE SEE?

The planet is moving – it's turning around!  
It's slowly rotating without any sound!  
Hal zooms round to find where his bedroom  
has gone  
And what does he find? He discovers...



**the SUN!**



"The Sun doesn't budge, but the Earth moves instead!"

Hal widens his eyes as he clings to his bed.

"When night comes we see the bright Moon in the sky;  
In daytime, the Sun is the thing that we spy."

"I knew I could do it if only I tried!"

Hal smiles with delight as he looks at the sky.

"I did not give up and I did not give in,  
And I found the Sun!" Hal shouts out  
with a grin.



The mystery is solved! Now his mission's complete,  
Hal's suddenly tired and in need of some sleep.  
His bed heads for home while he snuggles down tight  
And drifts off to sleep for the rest of the night.

He soars to his country, his home town, his street,  
Then straight through the window, first head and then feet.

With barely a rustle, a bustle or thump,  
He slowly drifts straight back



to Earth

with a

**bump.**

## Questions

1. What time of day is it when Hal goes up to bed? Circle one.

morning

evening

lunchtime

2. What does Hal need to find to help Earth? Circle one.

the Moon

the stars

the Sun

3. Hal finds something that is 'pale and all round, like a cheese'  
What is it? Circle one.

a star

the Moon

Mars

4. Complete this sentence: "In daytime, the Sun is..." Circle one.

awake

the thing that we spy

hiding behind a cloud

5. What does Hal do at the end of the story? Circle one.

He goes to school.

He eats his breakfast.

He wakes up with a jump.

## Questions

1. Which two things does Hal brush when he goes up to bed? Circle one.

his teeth and his clothes

his head and his nails

his teeth and his head

2. What does Hal need to find to help Earth? Circle one.

the Moon

the stars

the Sun

3. Complete this sentence: 'His small bed takes off from the ground with a...'  
Circle one.

roar!

whoosh!

screech!

4. What does Hal find in the end? Circle One.

an asteroid

a new planet

the Sun

5. Complete this sentence: "The Sun doesn't budge, but the Earth..."
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## Who Is Buzz Aldrin?

8 Edwin 'Buzz' Aldrin was born on 20<sup>th</sup> January  
16 1930, in America. When he was younger, his  
24 sister called him Buzz. People have continued to  
30 call him this throughout his life.

### 35 What Is He Famous For?

43 In 1969, along with two other astronauts, Buzz  
51 travelled on a spacecraft called Apollo 11. The  
58 shuttle landed and Buzz Aldrin became the  
67 second person to walk on the Moon. The walk  
75 was shown on live television and was watched  
83 by 600 million people all over the world.

92 Buzz spent over two hours outside of the spacecraft  
99 and collected around eighteen kilograms of moon  
100 rocks.

## Quick Questions



1. Where was Buzz born?

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2. In what year did Buzz walk on the Moon?

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3. Why do you think so many people watched the Moon landing on television?

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4. What do you think happened when Buzz came back to Earth?

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## 2 Times Table Activities

Count in 2s and colour in the grid:

1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25

Work out these answers:

a)  $1 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

g)  $2 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

b)  $3 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

h)  $4 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

c)  $5 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

i)  $6 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

d)  $7 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

j)  $8 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

e)  $9 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

k)  $10 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

f)  $11 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

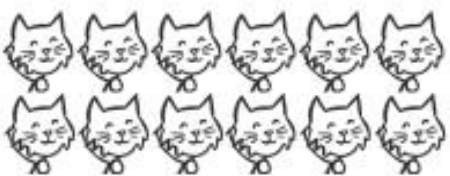
l)  $12 \times 2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

How many ears are there?

a)  \_\_\_\_\_  $\times$  \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

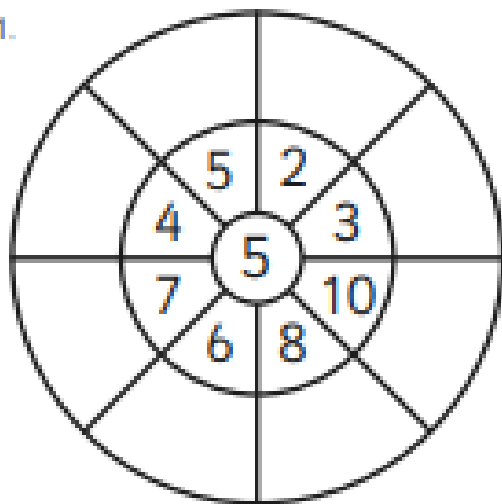
b)  \_\_\_\_\_  $\times$  \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

c)  \_\_\_\_\_  $\times$  \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

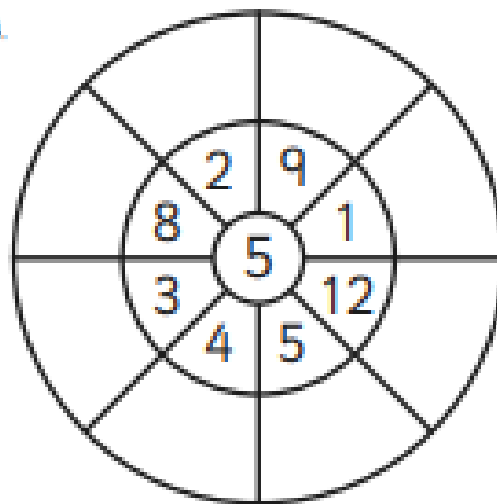
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# 5 Times Table Multiplication Wheels

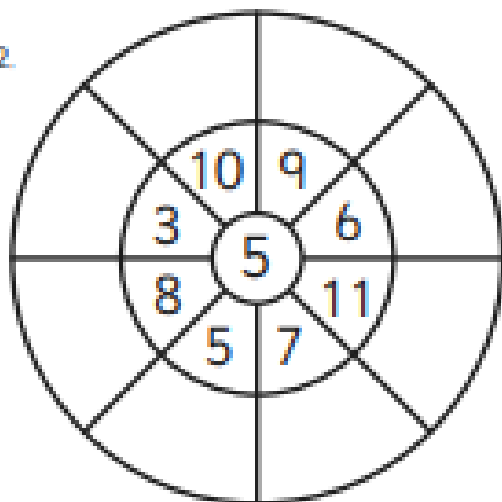
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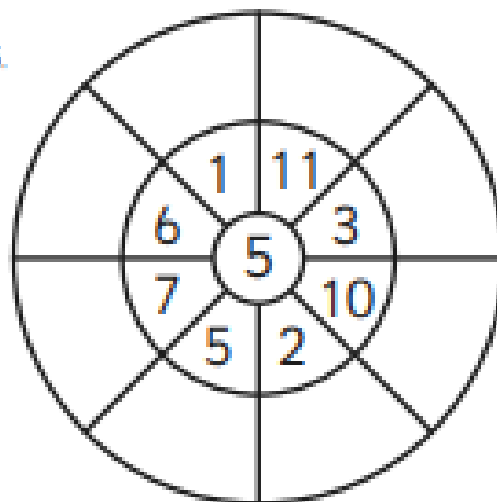
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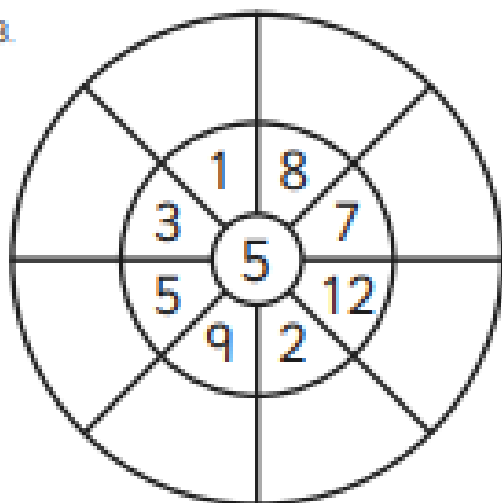
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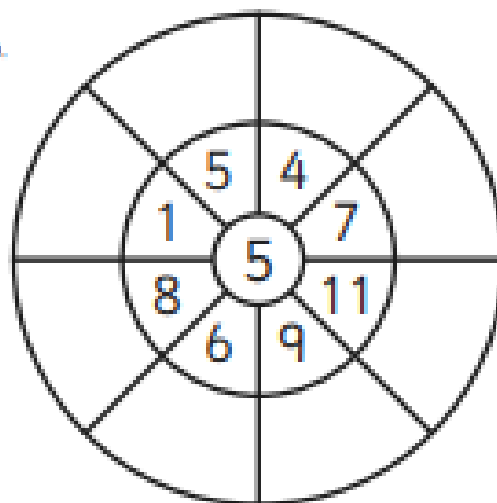
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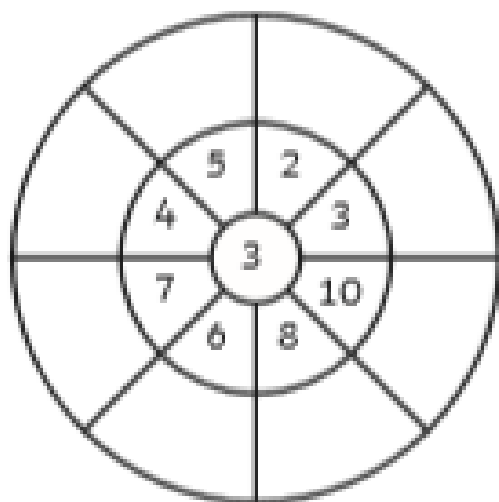


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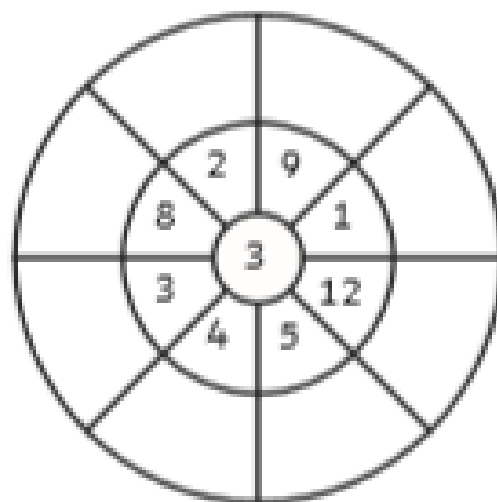


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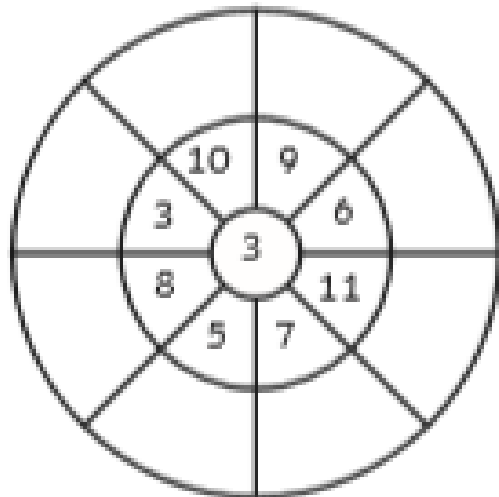
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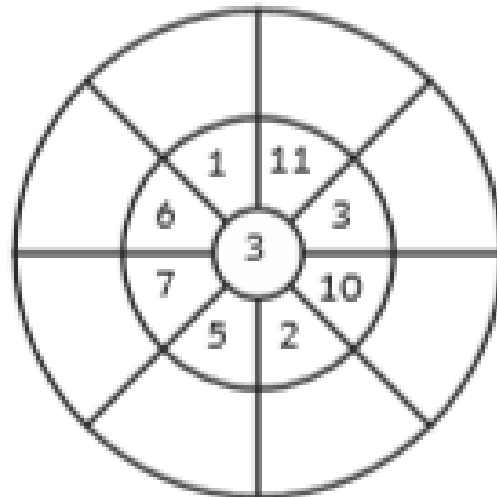
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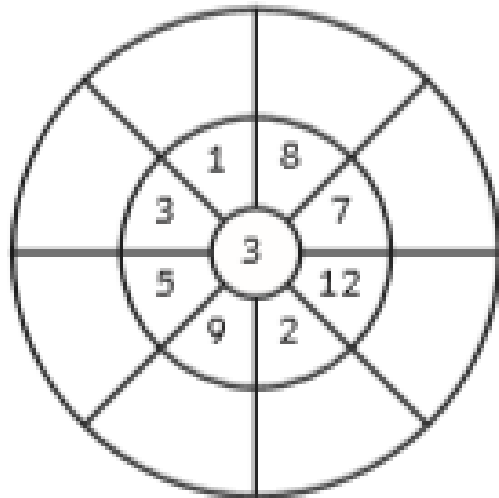
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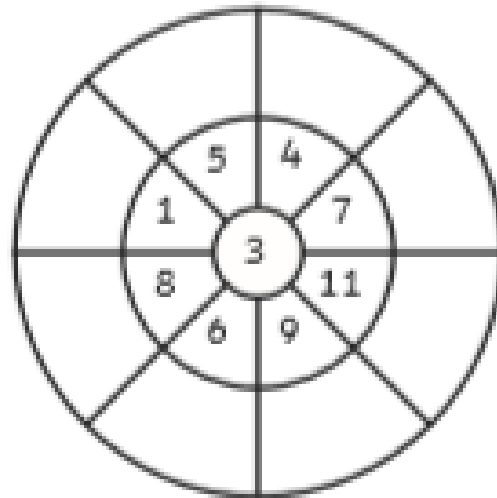
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## Reasoning Tasks (all groups)

### Multiplication Sentences from Pictures



These statements represent this picture. Which ones are true and which are false?



$5 \times 4$

$5 + 5 + 5 + 5$

four 5s

four groups with five in each group

$4 + 4 + 4$

5 multiplied by 4

$3 \times 5$

### Multiplication Sentences from Pictures



Draw a picture to match each problem and find the answer.

There are four plates with two biscuits on each plate. How many biscuits are there in total?

There are ten sweets in a bag. There are three bags. How many sweets are there altogether?

A purse has five 5p coins in it. How much money is there in total?

Write a story and draw a picture for each calculation.

$10 \times 2$

$2 \times 8$

$5 \times 6$