


## Kowhai Suggested Timetable for Distance Learning #3

Kia ora everyone,

Quite a few of you are yet to respond to the learning tasks that I have sent you so I will call your parents to see if there are any issues that I can help you with. Also, from tomorrow onwards I will be doing a virtual roll at 9.00 am each day as I expect you all to be doing as much as you can to maintain your learning routines and 'showing up' for class. All you have to do is to send me an email and say Morena, Kia ora or Good morning and I will know that you are on board and ready to learn. It has been a very strange and testing time for us all and many of you will be missing school. Just stay strong everyone and we will get through this together.

Nga mihi mahana,

Whaea Tania

9.00 - 10.00	<b>Maths</b> Log on to your Kowhai 2020 Mathletics account and complete your assigned tasks <a href="https://login.mathletics.com/">https://login.mathletics.com/</a>	<b>Maths</b> Log on to Studyladder and complete your assigned tasks <a href="https://www.studyladder.co.nz/">https://www.studyladder.co.nz/</a>
Take a break		
10.30 - 11.00  Choose one of these stories to listen to and answer the comprehension questions.	<b>Reading-</b> Dragons in the Sky(Narrative) <a href="https://www.studyladder.co.nz/games/activity/dragons-in-the-sky-27008?backUrl=/games/literacy/nz-year-four/english-reading-comprehension-1032">https://www.studyladder.co.nz/games/activity/dragons-in-the-sky-27008?backUrl=/games/literacy/nz-year-four/english-reading-comprehension-1032</a>  <b>Reading</b> - Life Cycle of a	<b>Reading-</b> Whales (Information Report) <a href="https://www.studyladder.co.nz/games/activity/whales-37205?backUrl=/games/literacy/nz-year-five/english-reading-comprehension-1032">https://www.studyladder.co.nz/games/activity/whales-37205?backUrl=/games/literacy/nz-year-five/english-reading-comprehension-1032</a>  <b>Reading</b> - Should Plastic

	<p>Frog (Information Report)  <a href="https://www.studyladder.co.nz/games/activity/the-frog-s-secret-3174?backUrl=/games/literacy/nz-year-four/english-reading-comprehension-1032">https://www.studyladder.co.nz/games/activity/the-frog-s-secret-3174?backUrl=/games/literacy/nz-year-four/english-reading-comprehension-1032</a></p>	<p>Bags Be Banned?  (Discussion)  <a href="https://www.studyladder.co.nz/games/activity/should-plastic-bags-be-banned-discussion--37161?backUrl=/games/literacy/nz-year-six/english-reading-comprehension-1032">https://www.studyladder.co.nz/games/activity/should-plastic-bags-be-banned-discussion--37161?backUrl=/games/literacy/nz-year-six/english-reading-comprehension-1032</a></p>
11.00 -11.30	Kapa Haka with Matua Whaitiri	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/KapaHaka4Kids/">https://www.facebook.com/KapaHaka4Kids/</a>
11.30 - 12.00	<p><b>Writing</b>  Listen to Murray Gadd read The Truth According to Arthur. Remember to write on your Google Docs and share with me when you're done.  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UVHOJFA9WiE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UVHOJFA9WiE</a></p>	
12.00 -1.00  <b>Take a break</b>		
1.00 - 2.00		

## Sustainability- **MAKE A COMPOST BOTTLE**

Compost is organic material that can be added to soil to help plants grow. Your challenge is to make a compost bottle and record the changes over time.

Visit

<https://www.busymommymedia.com/science-for-kids-soda-bottle-compost/> for more detailed instructions.

### **SUPPLIES NEEDED**

- Empty 2 Litre Soft drink Bottle
- Soil
- leaves, grass, newspaper, spoiled produce, and anything else you can find in your home or yard that can be composted



1. Cut the top off a 2 litre soft drink bottle and rinse it out well. Remove the label so that you can see everything inside the bottle clearly.
2. Start with a layer of soil on the bottom and alternate between soil and compostable material.
3. When your bottle has been filled, add water so it can start composting. You don't want it to be sitting in water but you do want it to be damp all the way through.
4. Let your compost sit for several weeks in a spot where it will get plenty of sunlight and won't

5. be tipped over.
6. Watch as the material that you have added to your compost bottle changes over time.

Record what you have noticed. Can you find more information about composting? Why is it important? What does it help with? Can you and your family begin composting on a regular basis?

2.00 - 3.00

## Art - SALTDOUGH CREATIONS

Get creative!

First you will need to make salt dough -

- 1 cup salt
- 2 cups of flour
- $\frac{3}{4}$  cup of water

1. In a large bowl mix salt and flour together.
2. Gradually stir in water. Mix well until it forms a doughy consistency.
3. Turn the dough onto the bench and knead with your hands until smooth and combined.
4. Make your creations using the salt dough.
5. Place the salt dough creations into the oven at 180C. The amount of time needed to bake depends on the size and thickness of the salt dough creations.

What can you make?  
Your handprint?  
Sculptures? Something to symbolise this time in lockdown?

