

## Year 4 home learning

- Continue daily reading either your school book or books at home
- Times Table Rock stars <https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school>
- Complete your homework and practise your spellings
- Continue to practise your handwriting

### **Additional activities could include:**

**Maths** – We are currently learning about decimals in maths (tenths and hundredths). Try some of the Maths activities on the Topmarks website in order to increase your understanding of fractions and decimals. <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/fractions-and-decimals>

You can continue to practise the operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division by playing Target Number.

Choose a target number and turn over 8 playing cards. You can add, subtract, multiply or divide, using the numbers on the card (picture cards can be wild cards) in order to reach your target number.

**English** – We have been reading ‘The Great Kapok Tree’ and discussing the issue of deforestation.

Write a letter to the government asking them to take action against deforestation.

Practise writing in paragraphs, where each paragraph shares a different reason for saving the rainforest.

You could also write a recount of a real or imagined event, using paragraphs to show a change in time, place or viewpoint.

**Science** – Within our science, we are currently learning about classification of plants and animals. Make an information about a plant or animal, including details of habitat and diet.

Make a poster about each different groups of animals – fish, birds, reptiles, insects, amphibians and mammals. Try and find out the criteria for each group.

### **Geography/ Topic Rivers and the Watercycle–**

Make a poster giving information about rivers. You could include information on the longest river, or rivers in the UK, as well as giving information about the source of the river and where the river meets the sea.

Make a poster explaining the key parts of the water cycle – evaporation, condensation and precipitation. You may want to sing some Geography songs!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TWb4KIM2vts> Water Cycle Song

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vfv7TF9RHbY> Five Oceans

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K6DSMZ8b3LE> Seven Continents

**DT** – We are going to be adapting a simple biscuit recipe.

Try making your own biscuit recipe and perhaps trying it out. Think about who will eat your biscuits and how this will affect what you will include in the recipe. Design packaging and a poster advertising your biscuits.

**Computing** – Have an explore on Scratch and see what you can make! <https://scratch.mit.edu/join>

Make a presentation which explains ‘how to’ do something, such as play your favourite game or make something.

**Other websites** - <https://nrich.maths.org/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years/spelling-and-grammar>