

Swift Signposts 12

Letter formation

Find a piece of paper or a writing book and practice writing these curly caterpillar letters cursive.

c a o d g

Think of words that either start with or contain the letters above and write those on your paper too. If you are feeling really creative can you think of a word that contains two or more of the letters above? E.g. cardigan, dog, road, cage.

Build on your knowledge of addition

Watch numberblocks - Step Squad
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m00029vq/numberblocks-series-3-30-step-squads>



Writing activity

Meet my orange monster Frank.

Activity 1

Choose the words and phrases that describe the monster. Can you add any of your own?

hairy	giant
furry	friendly
orange	fearsome
blue	pointy tusks
enormous	purple claws

Activity 2

Write some sentences to describe the monster.

PHONICS - Time for some fun! Print out one or two pages of the alien words attached. Cut them in to strips. Ask your adult to hide the left hand side of each alien word somewhere around the house (a bit like we do in the classroom sometimes). Take one of the right hand sides of the alien words and try to find its partner - the aliens must match. Sound out and blend the word. Now find the rest.

When you have finished make your own alien names using some of these graphemes -

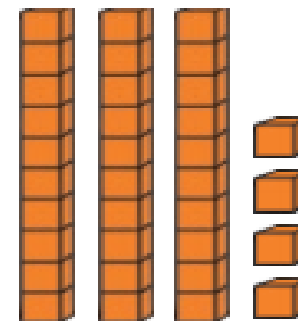
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Can you draw a picture of your alien?

MAGNIFICENT MATHS - making equal groups



Play the Easter place value game with an adult or an older sibling. You will need one counter for each player. Roll a dice - when you land on a set of base 10, work out how many tens and ones there are and tell your playing partners the number. Look at our example - there are **3 tens** and **4 ones**.
The number is **34**.



When you have finished, visit <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/place-value-basketball> and play Place Value Basketball. Choose what level you would like to play.

ART ATTACK!

Find my Easter craft video on You Tube - search Swift Class Home Learning. Watch the video and choose which of the things you would like to make.

Things you may need-

Egg box	Pens
Coloured card or paper	Googly eyes/sticker eyes
Cotton wool	Glue

A little bit extra -

Visit teach your monster to read online.

Once you are logged in click on the games icon and launch the Monster Mini-game. Choose a grapheme to focus on explore the many games there are to work on your reading and spelling.

Reading Corner



Choose a book from home. Read it with your adult. Can you think of another way the story could end?

Bonus task - Draw of picture of your story ending.

Show what you know or find out what you can about each of the headings. Try to do some work on each of the tasks but do try **and** do MORE about the one you like the sound of most. **Ask a parent to email your work for Miss Jackson or Miss Haigh to mark.** cjackson@meldreth.cambs.sch.uk or ehaigh@meldreth.cambs.sch.uk

