Dear Parents and Children,

It is once again time for the Easter top ten! For the holidays, we have collated 10 projects you can choose to complete in any order. If you finish all 10 during the half term, continue practising your times tables; learning your spellings; use the BBC website and Bug Club.

In school we are having weekly competitions between the classes to see which class reads the most books on bug club. Practice getting into the habit of reading on Bug Club over the holidays to give you a better chance at winning when we come back.

Remember to take care and look after yourselves.

From your Year 2 teachers 😊

Project 1 Assessment Papers	Practise Assessments- You will see that your child has been given some practice assessments in Reading and Maths to complete at home. Please allow your child to complete these as independently as possible We don't want to pressure the children but a good practice at home will allow them to become even more familiar with the assessments. We have completed lots of these in school so they will know what is expected of them. Thank you for your support in this!
Project 2 Science	Science: Next half term in science we will be learning about living things and their habitats. Pick an animal of your choice, identify which habitat it lives in and investigate why it has chosen this habitat rather than a different one. You should present what you have discovered in a poster, make sure to include lots of facts! Example Question: Why does a polar bear live in the arctic instead of a desert? Polar bear Facts In the True day we save the standard of the cross of the cross.
Project 3 RE	RE- Next half term in RE we will be looking at Islam and the importance of a mosque. Visit a mosque or if you can not watch this video clip which will teach you about mosques https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GWi7plHFJI8
Project 4 Active	PE - Next half-term in PE, we will be learning how to play invasion games and net and wall games. Here is a fun game for you to play with your family and friends. Before each game, the players decide on a category for the game, then arrange themselves in a circle. A ball is randomly tossed between players and each must say something from the agreed-upon category before catching the ball.

	If they decide upon animals, for example, they must say the name of an animal before they catch the ball. If they can't come up with a name, or if they miss the ball, they are out. The last player remaining wins the game. Here is a link with more fun games using a ball to play during your holidays. https://www.verywellfamily.com/old-fashioned-ball-games-for-kids-1696146
Project 5 History	History- Next half term in history we will be completing a local history unit and looking at the differences in Hounslow now and in the past and what has changed in terms of houses, shops and schools etc. Take a walk down the high street, or local area and draw a plan of the area and label it. This way we can see what Hounslow is like now before we compare it to the past.
Project 6 Art	Art: Have a go at re-creating the work of Georges Braque using different media. This could include colouring pencils, felt tips or some recycled materials.
Project 7 Writing	English Create a comic strip of your own story and try to be as creative as possible. This could be based on a story you have read in the past or something made up. Comic Strip
Project 8 Cooking	Cornflake Easter Cakes - Ingredients - - 50g butter - 100g milk for dark chocolate broken into chunks - 3 tablespoons of golden syrup - 100g cornflakes - 1 bag of chocolate mini eggs - 12 cupcake cases Method - 1. Weigh out all of the ingredients. 2. Put the butter, chocolate and golden syrup in a saucepan or microwavable bowl. 3. Put the cornflakes in another large bowl 4. Melt the butter, chocolate and golden syrup in the saucepan over a low

heat or briefly in the microwave.

- 5. Allow to cool for a little before pouring over the cornflakes.
- 6. Stir the ingredients together gently using a wooden spoon.
- 7. Spoon the mixtures into 12 cupcake cases and place a mini egg on top of the cornflake mixture.
- 8. Put in the fridge to set.



Project 9

<u>Easter game</u> - **Hungry Bunny Toss.** Switch up the age-old bean bag toss for this hungry bunny version. The game is as fun to make as it is to play. You will need - cardboard Easter Bunny and a bag of small carrots, runner beans.

Directions to Make Easter Bunny Bean Bag Toss

- 1. Doodle a sketch of your bunny on a piece of paper.
- 2. Sketch it onto your piece of cardboard.
- 3. Cut out the mouth and tummy holes.
- 4. Paint your design onto the cardboard, using your pencil marks as guidelines.



Project 10 Eco Project

Eco Project-

Create a model using different recycling materials. For example: an animal, a castle, a rocket, crowns... Here is an idea to help you.

Yarn Wrapped Bird Craft: think about the environment. It is a great way to use recycled materials. You can use different colours and textures, as well as explore your own creativity through being



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