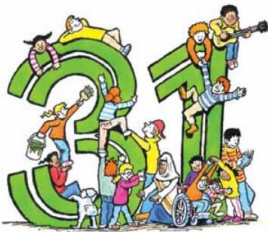


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Article of the Month for July – Article 31

For our Rights Respecting work, we are introducing a different article/s to the children each month. We will discuss the article during PSHE lessons in class and make links to our curriculum learning, where possible. We will also include suggestions for home activities linked to this article in our learning letter. Our Article of the Month for July is Article 31 - **Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural activities** – this links well with our upcoming Peter Pan production, introduction of OPAL Play and the summer holidays.



This week in Year 2:

It has been another busy week in Year 2!

English:

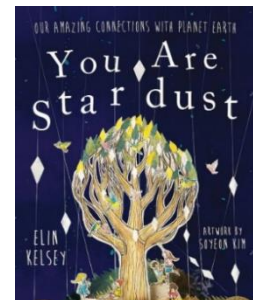


We wrote instructions for how to make a fruit salad. We worked in groups and followed the instructions to make the 'Fabulous Fruit Salads'. They were delicious!

And finally:

It was great to see so many of you on Wednesday and we hope that you had an opportunity to meet your child's new teacher [except Elis' Class]. We can't believe that the academic year is almost over! We have had such a brilliant year with the children and we hope they have all enjoyed their learning adventures. We think they are the best classes in the universe: they must be made of stardust!

We would like to thank you for all your support – we couldn't do it without you!



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Below are a few ideas of activities that you can do over the summer.

English:

Keep writing!

Keep a diary, write a letter, write a list, write a book! Bring your creations in to show your new class teacher!

For more ideas for writing you can use pictures from 'Once upon a picture' website:

<https://www.onceuponapicture.co.uk/the-collections/the-pshe-collection/>

You can practise your spelling and handwriting. There are some great games on this website:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/words-and-spelling>

Reading:

Keep reading!



Story Garden - the 2025 Lewisham Summer Reading Challenge

[Summer Reading Challenge 2026 | Libraries | Lewisham Libraries](#)



All children aged 4-11 are welcome to join the challenge at their local library, starting 5th July.

What is the Summer Reading Challenge?



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The Summer Reading Challenge is a free holiday activity for children. It's all about reading for fun and developing children's reading skills and confidence. The Challenge runs every year throughout the summer holidays.

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How does it work?

Head to your local Lewisham Library with your grown up and ask to join the Summer Reading Challenge. If you don't have a library card (or can't find it) don't worry, we only need to see proof of a parent or guardian's name and address to sign you up to the library.

Read six books over the summer holidays, tell us what you think about each book and collect fun rewards. You can read anything you like such as stories, illustrated books, information books, graphic novels (comics), dyslexia friendly books, poetry or audiobooks.

Who is it for?

Whether you currently love reading or hate it, you only read comics or you prefer to listen to books, the Summer Reading Challenge is for you! We'll help you find the books you'll love.

And if you already love reading, tell us what types of books you like and we'll find more exciting reads for you.

What are the rewards?

When you sign up to the challenge you will receive a fun booklet with space to add your stickers and book reviews. You'll receive a sticker for each book you read as well as some exciting prizes. When you've finished the challenge you'll receive a certificate, a medal and a great big 'well done' from us!

Online version of the Summer Reading Challenge

You can do the challenge online on the Summer Reading Challenge website. You could even do the library version and the online version. Plus you'll find quizzes, games and activities and a book sorter to help you choose your next favourite read.

Summer events and activities

All of our libraries will be running fun events and activities throughout the summer which tie in with the Story Garden theme. Please see our events site for details, where you can sort events by library, type and date range.

Look at the website for book ideas: <https://libraries.lewisham.gov.uk/digital-content/online-resources>

Maths

Remember to practise your times tables!

There are some fun activities on these websites for other Maths skills:

A selection of maths games: <https://ictgames.com/mobilePage/mathsMenu.html>

Hit the button: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>



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Subtraction grids: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/subtraction-grids>

Daily 10: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10>

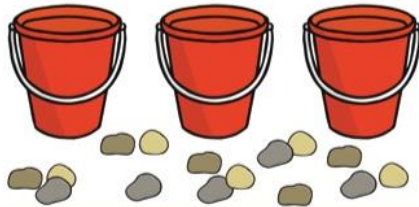
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Try these challenges and then make up your own:

Put 15 rocks in 3 buckets. Each bucket must have 3 more rocks than the one before.



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How many different ways can you make 14?

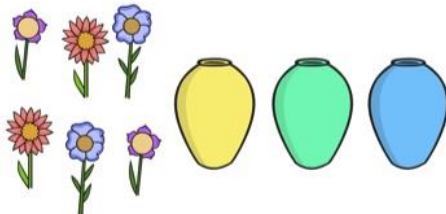


$$3 + 11 = 14$$
$$16 - 2 = 14$$



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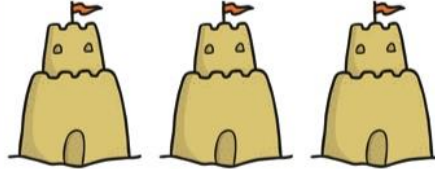
Put one flower in each vase.



How many different ways are there to do this?

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Decorate three sandcastles with 21 shells. Each sandcastle must have 4 more shells than the one before.



How many different ways are there to do this?

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Tom has 24p. How could he spend it?



How many different ways can you find?

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Tom, Stephen and Jamie are in a line. They each have one ice lolly. There is an orange, a yellow and a red lolly.



Tom is in the middle with a yellow lolly. Jamie is on the left and does not have a red lolly. Where is Stephen and what colour ice lolly does he have?

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Charlie is 4 years younger than his brother Paul. How old might each of them be?



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Find 2 numbers next to each other that add up to 23.



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Forthcoming events / trips:

Tuesday 14th July - End of year production at Catford Broadway - Years 2, 4 and 6

Friday 17th July – last day of school – school finishes at 2pm.

Children return to school on Thursday 3rd September.

When the children start Y3 their first topic will be Volcanoes and Earthquakes and they will be studying rocks in science.

Big Question: *Why aren't all rocks the same?*

School website:

Please do [visit our website](#), you can find details of forthcoming events on the [calendar](#) (& you can subscribe to your child/ren's year group so it will auto update your calendar), as well as photos of learning activities including educational visits in the [photo gallery](#), read all about recent events and sporting achievements in the [school news](#) section and much, much more!

Have a restful, fun summer.

Elis, Rebecca and Will