

# Year Two

## Teach your parent..



### 1. Maths – Money: Adding to a Pound

Show your parent how to make £1 using different coins.

- Gather coins (1p, 2p, 5p, 10p, 20p, 50p).
- Ask them to choose a coin (e.g., 37p) and work out how much more is needed to make £1.
- Try different amounts and check your answers together.
- Challenge: Can you find 10 different ways to make £1 using coins?

### 2. English – Retelling A Midsummer Night's Dream

Watch these short clips together:

[KS2 / KS3 English: A Midsummer Night's Dream by William Shakespeare - BBC Teach](#)

- After watching, retell the story in your own words to your parent.
- Use props or act out your favourite scene for fun!
- Discuss the characters and what makes the play magical.



### 3. Art – Observational Drawing of Flowers (Van Gogh Inspired)

Find a flower or a photo of one.

- Look closely at its shape, petals, and colours.
- Draw what you see, just like Van Gogh did in his famous flower paintings.
- Add bold colours and swirling lines to make it expressive.
- Extension: Research Van Gogh's sunflower painting and talk about what you notice.

### 4. Geography – Comparing Hot and Cold Places

Explore these places on Google Maps:

- Sahara Desert
- Antarctica
- Discuss: What do you notice about the land, weather, and animals?
- How are they different?
- Which ould you rather visit and why?



### 5. Computing – Staying Safe Online

Teach your parent about online safety by:

- Making a colourful **awareness poster** with tips like:  
"Keep your password secret" and "Don't share personal details."
- Talk about why these steps keep us safe.

### 6. Science – Understanding Habitats with 'MRS GREN'

Explain the seven life processes using MRS GREN:

- Movement, Respiration, Sensitivity, Growth, Reproduction, Excretion, Nutrition.
- Pick an animal and show how it does each process.
- Then, look around your garden or local park and find living things – can you spot signs of MRS GREN?