

# Friday 1 May 2020

## Mid Term 5 Newsletter



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Value of the term: Courage

Learning behaviour: Focus

As we enter our 7th week of Lockdown, we wanted to ensure you know we are here for you ALL. Please know the staff are working hard to ensure the children are provided with quality Home Learning resources We hope the following will help you navigate Home Learning more easily. Team FVA.

### We are Historians

Check out our famous Roman Baths with this 3D walkthrough. <https://www.romanbaths.co.uk/3d-model-roman-baths-and-pump-room>  
Visitors can explore the Roman Baths, walk on the original Roman pavements and see the ruins of the Temple of Sulis Minerva.

### We are Wizards

Who doesn't want to be a Wizard? Visit the most famous of all, Harry and his home, Hogwarts. <https://www.wizardingworld.com/collections/harry-potter-at-home>  
Learn how to tie Ravenclaw shoelaces or discover your Hogwarts house. Cast a banishing charm on boredom!

### We are Scientists

Take a virtual tour of your favourite science museum to get your fix of interactive science displays at We The Curious. <https://www.wethecurious.org/accessibility>  
What if? Why? And How? Are questions our Frome Vale Citizens ask every day and start every learning journey.

## Wordpress for Home Learning

By now you and your child(ren) will have been using the new Home Learning platform called Wordpress.

<https://fromevalecitizens.wordpress.com/>

The following information is aimed at ensuring you are all getting the most from this new way of lessons being delivered direct to your child(ren). We hope you will agree that Wordpress has enabled us to provide a better learning experience, with the teachers being able to provide video tutorials and additional resources to help with those tricky topics.



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### Frome Vale Citizens

This is the new landing page, from here you can click on the year group you require, Our Values & Learning Behaviours, Online Safety and SEND. There is also a message from Dr Saunders, and help on how to share your child(ren)s work with their teacher.



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You can register to be made aware of new content being added to the platform. Click on Frome Vale Academy Blog. You will be taken to a new page. Using the scroll bar on the right hand side, scroll down and you will find follow my blog. In the box, enter your email address and then click on subscribe. You will be sent an email—just follow the emailed instructions.

The school may be closed but we are here for you. Working remotely we will continue to support you and your child(ren). Use the many tools to obtain information. Use the contact option on the Home Learning platform or check your child's year for information & email contact specific to your child. Go to our website or the Twitter feed @frome\_vale We will continue to text and email you with important information too!



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# We are Home Economists

## Banana Bites

Prep: 20 MINS

Freeze: 90 MINS

EASY

SERVES 4-6

- 3 medium bananas
- 1 cup dark or milk chocolate
- Toppings: Drizzle caramel, white chocolate, strawberry sauce or chocolate sauce (anything you would put onto an ice-cream). Coconut, sprinkles or sea salt for the adults. Experiment and send us photos!

### Method

- 1) Cut each banana crosswise into 6 pieces (about 3 cm). Insert a cocktail stick into each piece.
- 2) Transfer to a grease proof paper-lined baking sheet.
- 3) Freeze until completely firm, about 1 hour.
- 4) In a microwave, melt chocolate and stir until smooth. **Please be careful as hot chocolate can burn**
- 5) Dip frozen banana pieces in chocolate mixture, allow excess to drip off.
- 6) Dip the coated banana into your toppings as desired and return to baking sheet.
- 7) Freeze at least 30 minutes before serving. Yummy!

We'd love to see your creations. Email photos to [school@fva.cabot.ac.uk](mailto:school@fva.cabot.ac.uk) or tweet [@frome\\_valle](https://twitter.com/frome_valle)

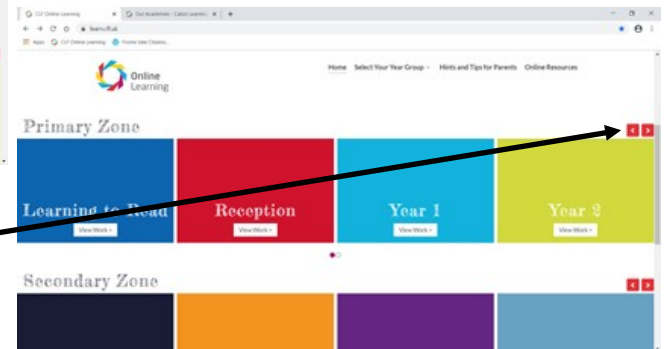
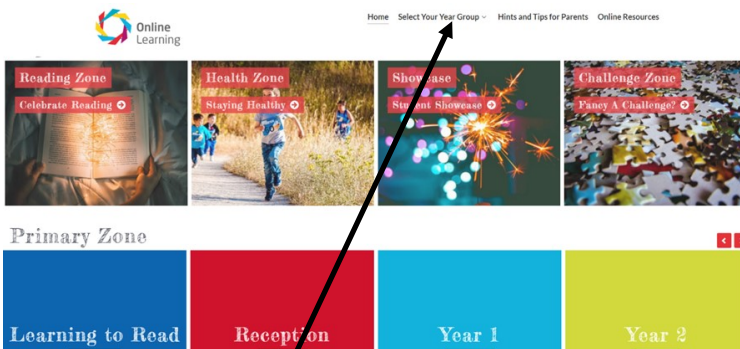


# CLF Home Learning

One of the many benefits of your child(ren) attending Frome Vale Academy is that we are part of the CLF, a trust containing 20 schools. The CLF have been busy collating learning material which you can access on top of the FVA Home Learning platform. The platform does not offer lessons as such, rather a blog that provides **learning opportunities** designed to inspire discussion with your child and the wider family! The

number of blogs will not replicate the number of lessons in a classroom environment, however you will know the content meets curriculum requirements and is safe to access for your child. More content will be added each week so remember to check back often.

<https://learn.clf.uk/>



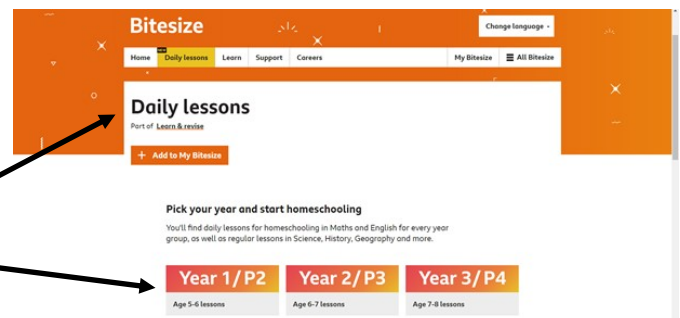
Landing Page—use the link at the top of the page or scroll down to the Primary section and then use the red arrows to navigate to your child(ren)s year group.

For any parent with secondary school pupils, just scroll down further to access secondary school learning



BBC iPlayer and the Red Button are hosting Bitesize Daily programmes each weekday for learners aged five to 14 which you can locate on your Smart TV or devices. In addition, you can also find three daily lessons in Maths, English and either Science, History or Geography. <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons>

So even when the children are watching TV, they can be learning too!



We recommend you take a look at the resources on these pages before allowing your child to access them. Only you can judge whether the content is appropriate. Childnet International have a parent pack to help you keep your child safe online. **Parent and Carers Toolkit**

