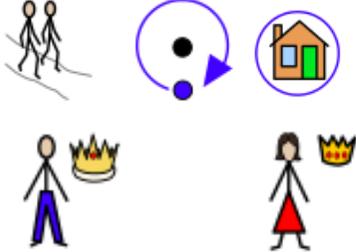


Friday 1ST May 2020

Reception Homeworking Tasks

<p>Read a book</p> 	<p>Write the date today .</p>  <p>What is special about today ?</p>	<p>Read the May day information sheet on the 3rd page.</p> 	<p>Can you make a May Queen or King crown</p> 
<p>Watch the clips on Morris dancing and dancing around the Maypole.</p> 	<p>Draw a flower that has 6 petals and 3 leaves.</p>  <p>Can you number the petals ?</p>	<p>Do some family exercise with Joe the Body coach.</p> 	<p>Can you walk around your home like a king or queen.</p> 

Key links

Joe Wicks' PE Workouts - daily at 9am: <https://www.thebodycoach.com/blog/pe-with-joe-1254.html>

Read a book: www.getepic.com/students Class code: bev0032

Read a book: <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> Click 'My class login' - Username: reception kimberley OR reception monica - Password: Brett

Number formation: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3wYIaCmVMBE>



Videos Links

Morris Dancing https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EgQCL809_tI

Old video of Morris Dancing

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dKh3STIqKI>



Dancing around the May Pole https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5e_63RfP0IE

Old video of May pole dancing

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BaUA6Rt0cug>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=znM3StuQGAU>

May day

May Day Traditions

What Is May Day?

It is the time when people look forward to the coming of summer and the warmer weather. In the past it was the only day that the farmers had off work.



Maypole dancing is a traditional May Day dance. The dance celebrates the good weather and also brings good luck for the planting of crops. Girls and boys dance around the maypole, threading coloured ribbons around until it is beautifully braided.



Morris dancing was first done by men. Dancers traditionally wear white. Now men and woman dance together. Morris dancing is lively and accompanied by a traditional instrument, such as a fiddle. Dancers wave handkerchiefs or bang stocks together in time to the music whilst dancing.



May Day started in Roman times. It was a roman festival that celebrated Flora the Goddess of fruit, flowers, nature and spring.

The May day Queen was traditionally a girl chosen from the village. She would sit on a decorated throne in the middle of the village. She would wear a floral crown to represent the Roman Goddess Flora.

