**ENGLISH Learn at Home packs: Year 1, Week 17**

**In these last two weeks, we are providing two ‘fun’ weeks. Read on down to see what children will be doing in playful activities involving speaking, listening, reading and writing.**

***Your home-learning resources have helped our school immeasurably: they're so clear, and the fact that they are in daily chunks, with plenty of explanation for parents at home, has made them invaluable.’***Nick, a Suffolk primary teacher.

Our small team have been working round the clock to produce these materials and we’re really happy that huge numbers of teachers, schools and parents have found them useful – and emailed us to say so!

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**The ‘timetable’ for this week’s teaching and learning is as follows**

* **Day 1** – Listen to the reading of *This Book Just Ate My Dog*, written by Richard Byrne. Read a set of instructions. Read commands and play a game based on the book. Write commands for your own simple game.
* **Day 2 –** Listen again to *This Book Just Ate My Dog.* Read a set of instructions. Read labels and play a game of Pairs based on the book. Spell labels for a new set of Pairs cards and play the game with family.
* **Day 3 –** Read *This Book Just Ate My Dog* for the last time. Read instructions and play a game of Heads, Bodies and Legs. Write short captions for the pictures you have drawn. Play a version of the game Consequences, creating a ‘jumbled’ story from provided sentence elements.
* **Day 4** – Listen to a reading of *It’s a Book*, by Lane Smith. Answer quiz questions about traditional stories and then write short phrases for a quiz about technology and IT devices.
* **Day 5** – Listen to *It’s a Book* again. Read information about animals and play a game of Top Trumps. Use books and the Internet to research and write about animals for additional Top Trumps cards.