# PlanBee Home Learning Pack



LKS2 English (Year 3 & Year 4)

## Year 3 & Year 4 Spelling Lists

These spelling lists are all the words as set out by the National Curriculum that your child should be able to spell by the end of Year 4. Choose a few words at a time to focus on. Can your child say the word? Can they say it in a sentence? Can they spell it? Can they write it in a sentence?

### **Diary Template**

This flexible resource would be perfect for your child to keep a diary of everything they have done while they are learning at home instead of at school. Why not challenge them to fill one out every day? Encourage them to include their thoughts and feelings, as well as recounting what they have done.

## **Cartoon Strips Template**

This fun activity allows your child to create cartoon strips about absolutely anything! Why not challenge them to write their favourite story as a cartoon, turn a news event into a cartoon, or even create their own characters, plots and settings?

#### **Developing Descriptive Writing KS2 Game**

This fun game that you can play with your child (or that you child can play with a sibling) challenges them to use a variety of different devices to amend a boring sentence to make it more descriptive. Once you've finished playing, why not challenge your child to write their own descriptive sentences to describe a familiar scene, or to describe their own fantasy world!

#### **What Happened Next? Picture Prompts**

Take one of these funny photos at a time and challenge your child to describe what happened immediately before and after each one. Spend some time discussing their ideas with them, then challenge them to write a story or a recount explaining what they think happened.

#### **Synonym Word Searches**

These word searches challenge your child to find synonyms for different words, such as 'said', within the grid. You may wish to provide them with a thesaurus to help them out!

#### **Alphabetising Animals Challenge**

There are three different levels of challenge for this activity. Cut out the cards in one set at a time and challenge your child to order the cards in alphabetical order. Once they've done these, why not generate a new list of words around a topic your child is studying, or one that interests them, and create your own version!