

Dear Year 1,
We all really miss seeing your smiling faces every day and hope that you are all keeping well. We hope you have been taking part and enjoying the activities we have put on the school website for you. We would love to see what you are up to so if you would like you can share what you have been doing at home to our Facebook and Twitter feeds.

This week we have a couple of additional challenges you might want to try.

## Challenge 1:

Learning how to tie your shoelaces. This is quite tricky, but we know that with a little perseverance you can all do it.


## Challenge 2:

Learn to play Noughts and Crosses. Also known as Tic-Tac-Toe, the game of Noughts and Crosses is a traditional pencil and paper game that is useful for learning simple strategies in games.

Rules: The rules for playing noughts and crosses are very simple. Each player takes it in turn to place their $X$ or $\mathbf{O}$ into one of the empty squares in the grid.

To win the game you need to get three of your symbols in a line horizontally, vertically or diagonally.

For the first game, $X$ begins. In games that follow the winner of the previous game takes the first go.


We have also been reading a lot at home. This week we would like to recommend these books for you. Mrs Masri - The Bolds' Great Adventure by Julian Clary. The Bolds are no ordinary family and the collection will keep you laughing throughout the books, also watch out for Mr Bolds' jokes at the end of the book. Meanwhile Mrs Young has been reading How to Ride a Dragon's Storm from the How to Train Your Dragon series with her son Thomas along with Oi Cat, Oi Dog and Oi Frog to keep us giggling. You can listen to Oi Cat by following the link https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C7G2CNKhDbA .

Stay safe and well.
Miss Byatt, Mrs Robinson, Mrs Young, Mrs Masri, Miss Whitten and Miss Condliffe


