**Activities to do at home**

* *Read every day-school books and books from home. Ask your child questions i.e. what has happened so far, what might happen next? What does the word...... mean? How is… (the character) feeling – how do you know?, What is the character thinking – why do you think that?*
* *Read a bedtime story and ask your child questions- how could the ending have been different?*
* *Write a story for Mrs North to read. You could start the story off for your child for them to complete.*
* *Bake a cake-help your child to weigh out the ingredients. Try to use vocabulary like scales, measure, heavy/heavier, light/lighter or even kilograms, millilitres etc. Get your child to write a list of ingredients you used and a list of the equipment needed. Then write the instructions in sentences for Mrs North to follow.*
* *Play board games – make one if you need to and use buttons or cut out and colour in counters. Or make a domino set to play.*
* *Practise throwing and catching, kicking a ball or use lentils and an old sock to make a bean bag to throw.*
* *Watch Numberblocks and Alphablocks on CBBC iplayer.*
* *Make up a song or a dance with your child or try GoNoodle website.*
* *Do arts and crafts e.g. make an Easter card to send to a grandparent or other elderly person.*
* *Follow your child’s play i.e. playing shops, schools, playing doctors or zookeepers.*
* *And have lots of fun :)*

