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**SOUTHRIDGE FIRST SCHOOL**

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Dear Parents/Carers,

How are you all? We hope you are okay and enjoying your time together. As Mrs Hall mentioned in her letter to you this week, your health and wellbeing are far more important to us and so please do not feel overwhelmed by any activities or ideas we send out. They are suggestions only. We are seeing so many super activities going on at home already through your emails, thank you.

Has anyone seen the next Rags Reading challenge we put on the school website yesterday? Tricky words are tricky, but keep practising! Last week we sent ‘Read, Cover and Write’ tricky words activity (a copy can be found on the ‘Home Learning’ page on our website). If you feel that your child/ children are ready and happy to learn more tricky words we have attached a new ‘Read, Cover and write’ for them to try. Remind the children of the rhyme… ‘Alarm bells ringing in my head, tricky words are bright red’.

We have also included a math activity today from Maggie the cat. On the Home Learning page of our website (week 2) you will find a short video introducing Maggie (she’s not a natural performer) and a ‘how to’ video for Maggie’s math problem. There is also a third Rags Reading challenge being uploaded so keep an eye out for that!

Thank you again for the wonderful things you are doing at home, your ongoing support is greatly appreciated and we enjoy hearing from you all.

Best wishes

The Reception Team

Remember that on Friday at 10am Seven Stories will be delivering ‘Storytime’ live but if you miss it don’t worry as they are keeping any previous video stories on their facebook site [www.facebook.com/7stories](https://protect-eu.mimecast.com/s/qkirC2YlHkJxAGi1U_Le?domain=facebook.com).

      