



# The March Church of England Primary School

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Dear Year 4,

I hope you have had an a great Easter weekend and enjoyed lots of chocolate and maybe an Easter egg hunt as well ?!

Has anyone been cooking, or perhaps planting things in the garden ? I hope some of you have been learning new skills- perhaps playing an instrument or making some delicious cakes? Do take some photos if you have and send them to me ! My email address is: [sjackson@march.w-sussex.sch.uk](mailto:sjackson@march.w-sussex.sch.uk)

Here is this week's poem:

## The Dentist and the Crocodile

BY ROALD DAHL

The crocodile, with cunning smile, sat in the dentist's chair.  
He said, "Right here and everywhere my teeth require repair."  
The dentist's face was turning white. He quivered, quaked and shook.  
He muttered, "I suppose I'm going to have to take a look."  
"I want you", Crocodile declared, "to do the back ones first.  
The molars at the very back are easily the worst."  
He opened wide his massive jaws. It was a fearsome sight—  
At least three hundred pointed teeth, all sharp and shining white.  
The dentist kept himself well clear. He stood two yards away.  
He chose the longest probe he had to search out the decay.  
"I said to do the *back ones* first!" the Crocodile called out.  
"You're much too far away, dear sir, to see what you're about.  
To do the back ones properly you've got to put your head  
Deep down inside my great big mouth," the grinning Crocky said.  
The poor old dentist wrung his hands and, weeping in despair,  
He cried, "No no! I see them all extremely well from here!"  
Just then, in burst a lady, in her hands a golden chain.  
She cried, "Oh Croc, you naughty boy, you're playing tricks again!"  
"Watch out!" the dentist shrieked and started climbing up the wall.  
"He's after me! He's after you! He's going to eat us all!"  
"Don't be a twit," the lady said, and flashed a gorgeous smile.  
"He's harmless. He's my little pet, my lovely crocodile."



## Joke of the week- 😂

How do you get a tissue to dance?.... You put a little boogie into it.

### **Weekly Riddle (answer will be posted next time):**

What answer can you never answer yes to?

#### ***(Answer from last week)***

What is seen in the middle of March and April that can't be seen at the beginning or end of either month?:

(The letter 'r')

Please also look out for the home learning this week. This will include the following:

- \*Spellings
- \*A maths activity
- \*Reading comprehension
- \*A writing activity
- \*A grammar activity
- \*An art activity

In addition you might also like to look at these:

Ten of the world's best virtual museum and art gallery tours  
[https://www.theguardian.com/travel/2020/mar/23/10-of-the-worlds-best-virtual-museum-and-art-gallery-tours?utm\\_source=The%20Historical%20Association&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=11442194\\_General%20News%20April%202020&dm\\_i=5NT,6T8UQ,RL3UL8,R9YML,1](https://www.theguardian.com/travel/2020/mar/23/10-of-the-worlds-best-virtual-museum-and-art-gallery-tours?utm_source=The%20Historical%20Association&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=11442194_General%20News%20April%202020&dm_i=5NT,6T8UQ,RL3UL8,R9YML,1)

PE with Joe wicks here:

<https://www.thebodycoach.com/blog/pe-with-joe-1254.html>

Daily Cycling activities here:

<https://www.britishcycling.org.uk/go-ride/article/20200325-goride-news-We-re-launching-a-daily-activity-to-keep-kids-moving-during-school-shutdown-0>

Times Tables Rock stars here:

<https://trockstars.com/>

Have a great week !

Mr Jackson and Mrs Agostinelli