

English Home Language Week 6: 25-29 May Thursday 28 May + Friday 29 May Reading Worksheets



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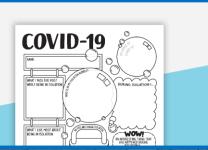
# Thursday



Three minutes reading and then reporting. Mark the exercises done in week 5 – see file: Week 5 Memos. Make sure all work for week 5 has been completed and marked. Revise work. <u>Read the diary entry of an Italian school boy during lockdown on</u>

the next slide.

You may copy and complete the Covid 19 template in your classwork book or on separate paper. This is not compulsory, only if all your other work is up to date.



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## Thursday



Dear Diary,

These past days were traumatic. Italy is in a total Lockdown because of the Coronavirus, so I'm forced to stay at home. I miss going out with my friends or visiting my grandma and spending time with her. However, I'm going to do what I need to do if I want the Coronavirus out of here.

The country was wholeheartedly Locked down, with all the schools closed and people needing to maintain social distances from one another when they are walking or going to the supermarket. However, on a positive note people are starting to wash themselves more often and are generally being more hygienic.

Talking about school, my school decided to do video lessons for a month or so, until this all blows over, anyway. My day in quarantine starts at 7:45 when I wake up and prepare myself for the first lesson at 08:15. When the first two lessons are done, at 10:05, I have a ten minute break. Then the other two lessons begin and then finish at 12:05 and we have a lunch break of 30 minutes. Then we have the last two hours and we finish school at 14:25, a total of 6 hours a day.

So, my day in quarantine is not that interesting, but I am getting through it. Bye and see you soon. Edoardo Bozza



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#### Worksheet: Reading comprehension

# Read the passage about volcanoes and complete the answers in your classwork book.

Take note: Challenge 1a) Vesuvius erupted in AD 79. AD is Latin and stands for Anno Domini, which means "in the year of the Lord". It refers to the birth of Jesus Christ. So AD 79 is 79 years after the birth of Jesus. You can also refer to years before the birth of Jesus, then you say 10 BC. BC stands for "before Christ".



Read aloud for at least 10 minutes if there is time remaining and all your other work is done.

### Weekend



