

Heatherside Infant School

Step by Step Guide to Education City for Parents

Getting Started

You will need your username and password which can be found stuck into your child's reading diary.

- Type 'Education City' into your search engine, eg; google, and press 'enter'



- Or type in <https://www.educationcity.com>
- Click on the website

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Log In



- You will be taken to the signing in page. Enter your username and password. You may need to put in England too but this box sometimes comes up already filled. Then left-click the 'Log In' button.



Enter your username.

Enter your password.

Enter 'England' if it isn't there already.

Enter your username.

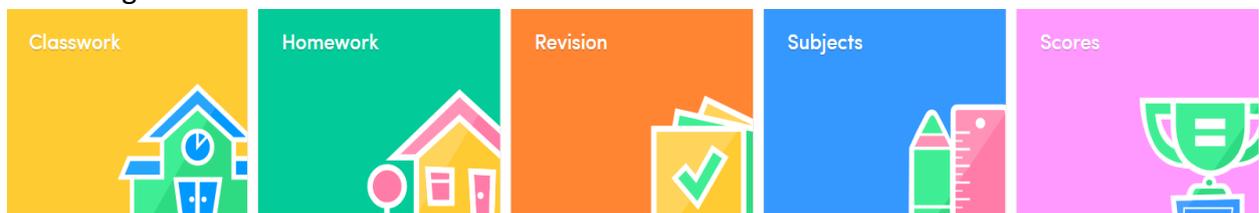
- You will see the home page which looks like this:



- You can either use the menu buttons down the side



- Or the big boxes above



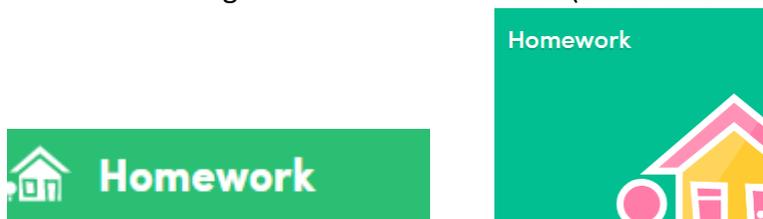
Playing Games!

So, there are two ways of doing this.

1) Using the 'Homework' button

This is the area in which your class teacher has chosen the games to play which are linked in with what your child is learning.

- Left-click on the green 'Homework' button (either one will work)



- You will come to this page which shows the 'Cities' which have been created by your class teacher
- Each 'City' will have a different focus, eg; Reading Comprehension or Maths or Science
- Within each City there will be a number of games to play – your class teacher will add to or change these every week or so

5 MyCities



Reading
Comprehension



CEWs (Tricky
words)



Writing
Miss Mavericks



Maths
Miss Mavericks

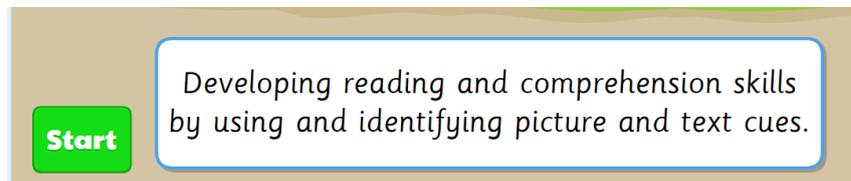


Science
Miss Mavericks

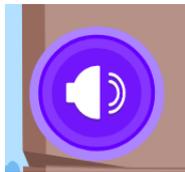
- Left-click on any one of those icons, eg; Reading Comprehension' and it will open up to show you the games you can play within the Reading Comprehension City



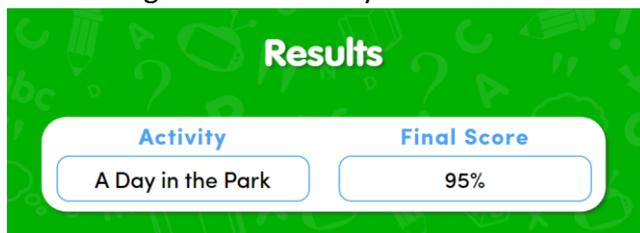
- Left-click on the game you want to play and it will load on to your screen
- You will see a green 'start' button and a sentence to say what the purpose of the game is. Left-click the 'Start' button



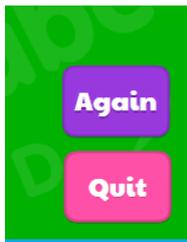
- Once you start the game it is very straightforward – all the instructions appear on the screen
- All games have the option of audio as well so all the instructions and questions are read out loud



- When the game is finished you will see a short animation and then this screen



- In the bottom right-hand corner you will see an icon like this:



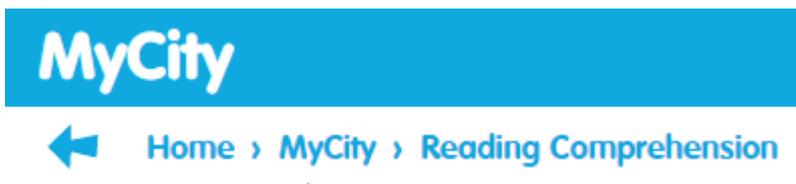
- You can choose to have another go, or, if you press 'Quit' it will take you to this:



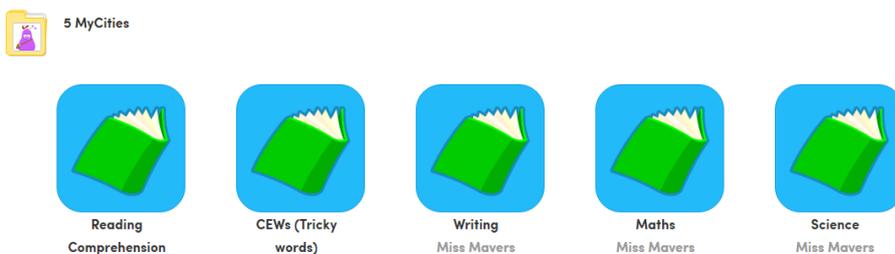
- Left-click 'Yes' and it will take you back to this screen which was the Reading Comprehension City:



- If you want to exit the reading comprehension city, go to the top of the page where you will see this:



- Left-click on 'MyCity'
- It will take you back to:



- You can then choose to play games in a different City.

Playing Games!

So, there are two ways of doing this. We have just looked at 1) – using the ‘Homework’ button, now let’s look at number 2) – using the ‘Subjects’ button. You may need to get back to the home page. This is easily done by left-clicking where it says ‘Home’.



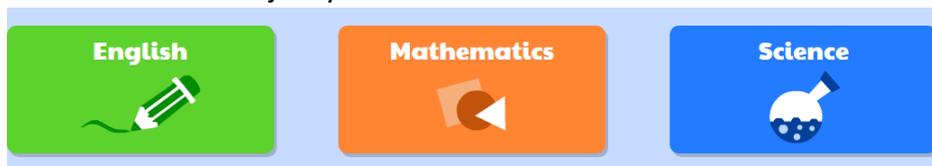
2) Using the ‘Subjects’ button

This is the area in which YOU get to choose which games you play!

- Left-click on the blue ‘Subjects’ button – either the narrow one down the left hand side or the big box in the middle



- Left-click on the subject you want to look at



- You will see a choice of year groups – left-click on the one you want
Please start with YOUR year group – if it is too hard you can go down one or too easy go up one, but PLEASE don't just play Year 6 games!!!

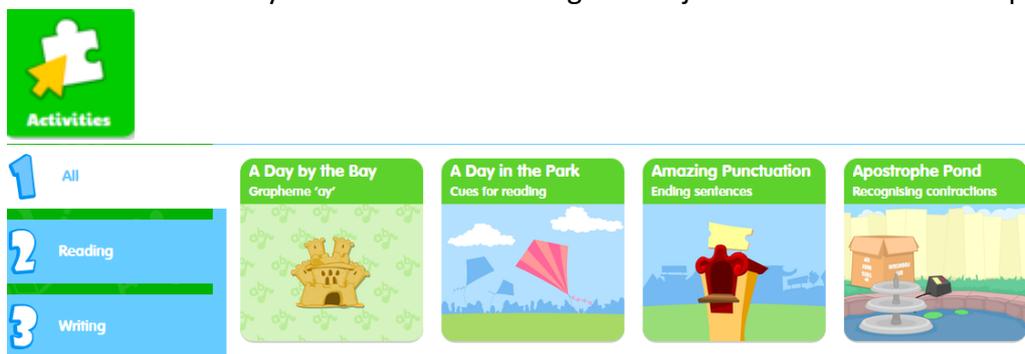


- You will now see these choices:

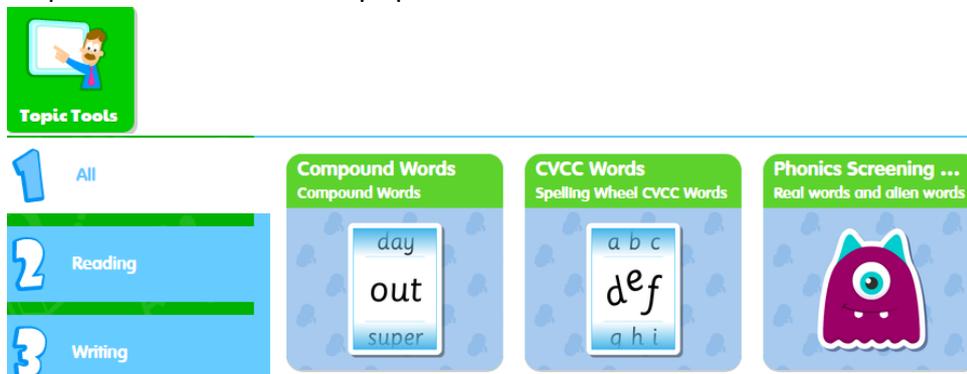


The three main ones you should look at are:
Activities, Topic Tools and Learn Screens

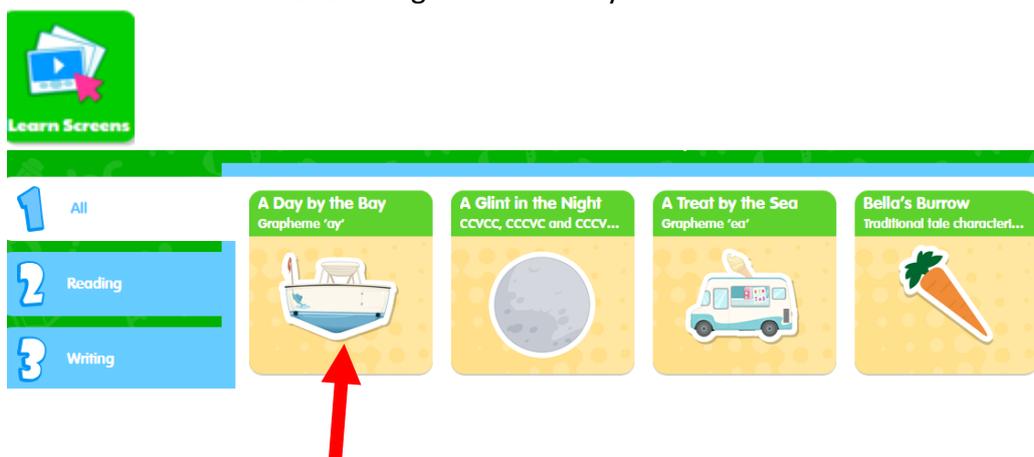
- 'Activities' will take you to all the different games – just left-click on them to play them



- 'Topic Tools' are Year Group specific activities



- 'Learn Screens' are like teaching videos – really useful!





Left-click to open the lesson and left-click on 'Play'



Make sure you 'Log Out' when you have finished and have fun!