## Classwork 4-24-2020

#### **Happy Friday!**

You are required to take a Quizlet "learn" quiz and send me the answers. I am also including some "I am bored" stuff that you might like to try!

### Good morning and Hello from Mrs. Cronin! Today is 4/24/2020

Where To Find Your Work: https://lynncronin.weebly.com/

**Learning Objectives:** today you will prove that you learned your multiplication tables for the week. Then you will get your well-earned Free Time!

But I have also added a goofy section about what I have been doing over this closed period. I think you will like it!

Learning Activities: PowerPoint Quizlet Quiz

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# There are a couple of pages of "stuff" in this file, please read them!

Use this link to go to the Learn section of Quizlet. When you finish the quiz take a screenshot and send it to me.

This counts as your multiplication quiz grade for the week. (screenshot directions next, but you could take a picture with your phone)

#### **Quizlet Link:**

https://quizlet.com/503172256/learn

#### **Quizlet Login:**

Go to:
Quizlet.com
press Log in
and enter this
Username and
Password

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Once you have
logged in it will

remember you.

#### How to take a screenshot

A screen capture is a picture of your computer screen.

You can screenshot any screen on your computer. I am asking for Quizlet.

The last screen on Quizlet "Learn" will give you a score (like this picture)

On your computer keyboard: touch Ctrl and Prt Sc (or Fn and Prt Sc)

Then go to your email and paste the picture into the email and send it to me.



# Some of you need to work on First-In-Math!

We are all being graded for that work – even me!
Please, Please, Please do some First-In-Math
if you have not been doing it well!

#### And now for the fun stuff!

I don't know about you, but I have been bored out of my mind!

So I thought I would show you what I've been doing!

You are NOT required to do this – but it might be fun!

# When I was making dinner last week, I decided to try to grow some veggies!

I hate making dinner every night!

And the dishes! Where do all the dishes come from?

I am trying to grow vegetables from scraps. That means that I am not using the food part of the vegetables, I am using the stuff that you would throw away.

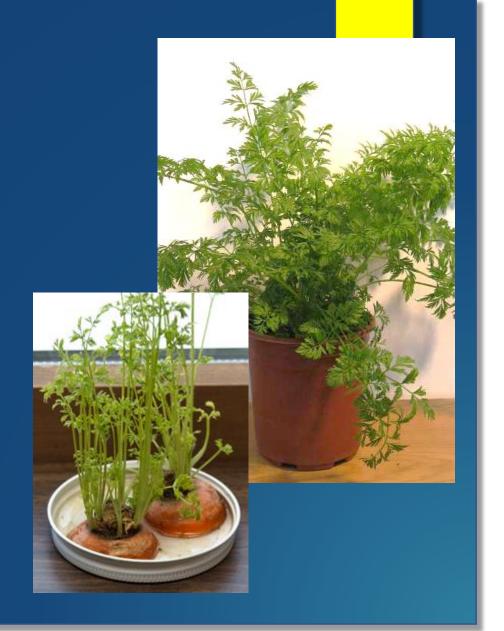
# Do not do this without permission from your parents!

#### Anyway.

I am lousy at growing anything!
But I am bored out of my mind so...

My mother used to grow carrots from the top of a carrot. She would stick it in water and suddenly it would grow roots and then it would grow pretty leaves.

That pretty houseplant is actually a carrot! It will not grow new carrot though! Bummer.



## Pretty cool huh?

And by the way, that is a picture that I found online. I am hoping that one day I too will have a carrot houseplant.



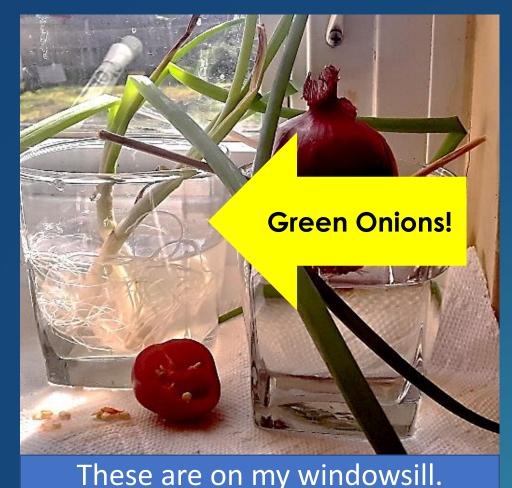
# So I didn't have carrots, but I did have some green onions.

And just for fun I stuck the bottom of one into some water.

And look! It grew roots and some more green shoots. (look at all those roots!)

I cut some off the other day to add to my dinner.

It was delicious!



#### Then I decided to try some other plants.

This is a whole onion. It's been in the water for about 4 days and its already growing roots!

Did you notice that I stuck toothpicks into the sides of it so that just the root area is touching the water?

Soon it will begin growing leaves out of the top.

I can't wait!



These are on my windowsill.

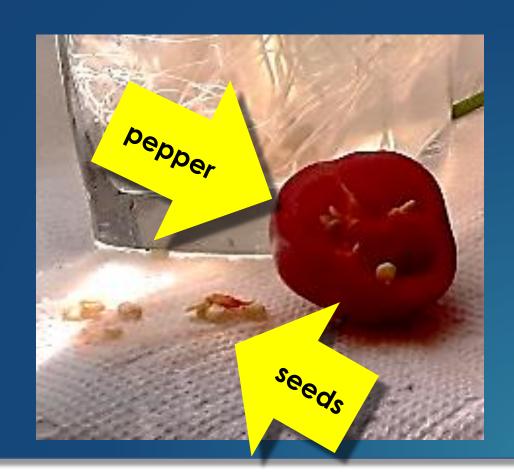
#### Next to my plants is a pepper.

Inside of the pepper are seeds.

Supposedly you dry the seeds and then plant them in soil and they will grow.

I will take the rest of the seeds out of the pepper and let them dry.

I don't actually expect it to work, but its worth a try!



#### This is a better picture of the seeds in a pepper.

Any type of pepper will work!

There are an amazing number of types of pepper!

I wonder if a chocolate pepper is sweet?





Habanero Peppers



Carolina Reaper



Scotch Bonnet



Chocolate pepper



White Bell Pepper



Jalapeño Pepper



Christmas Bell Pepper

I looked around on the internet and a surprising number of food scraps can be used to grow a new plant.

Many of them are just like the onions – cut off the top and plop them into some water.

Peppers require more work.
This picture shows lettuce, green onions, beets, sweet potatoes, regular potatoes and red onions.



#### Here are some links:

#### Kidspot:

https://www.kidspot.com.au/things-to-do/activity-articles/how-to-grow-food-from-food-scraps/news-story/3ab859ddf01f06098bc20b312ce188d7

#### Farmer's Almanac

https://www.farmersalmanac.com/regrow-vegetables-from-kitchen-scraps-24373



#### Here are some video links:

PBS (and no I do not use dechlorinated water)

https://www.pbs.org/video/regrowing-food-from-kitchen-scraps-7fqero/

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZJuXpiEjdcc

#### **Fast Growing Plants**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=az yNVEM7CY

#### The easy way to grow tomatoes

https://www.google.com/search?q=how+to+grow+cherry+tomatoes+from+scraps&rlz=1C1 GCEB\_enUS839US839&oq=how+to+grow+cherry+tomatoes+from+scraps&aqs=chrome..69 i57j0l4.7128j0j4&sourceid=chrome&ie=UTF-8#kpvalbx= HmOgXs7RJ-2wytMP66aN2AQ85



By the way, I have not tried these, but it's worth a shot – right!

## Other plants that grow just like a carrot:

- Potatoes
- Lettuce
- Beets
- Leeks
- Bok Choy
- Celery

- Basil
- Sage
- Thyme
- Spinach
- Lemon Balm



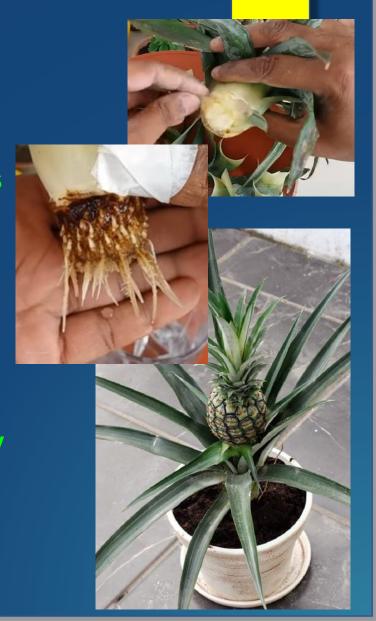
#### Other plants that might be fun:

Garlic will grow if you put a single clove into soil (root side down. When the leaves turn yellow it is ready to harvest – and use for cooking! It will grow in a pot or in the garden)

**Pineapples** Twist the leaves off the top of the pineapple then strip away enough leaves that you have a stem to put into the water. Place into a glass of water for about 3 weeks. When it has roots it's ready to plant into a pot of soil. Water it to keep it damp and warm. After 2 weeks it should grow new leaves – and supposedly it will grow a new pineapple in about 18 months.

I would watch this video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MHFvC5Rm5Pw



#### What are you doing for fun?

Are you building crazy machines?
Are you making crafts?
Drawing pictures?

Send me a picture and a description and I will be happy to show all of my students your cool stuff.

Who knows, maybe your craft will become the cool thing to do around Wedgwood School!



#### Don't sit around being bored – do something!

Next week I will show you how my plants are growing, and I will also send you another idea!



Remember: this is NOT an assignment – it's just for fun!