6/5 Maths w/c 1st June 2020

1. We are learning how to read information from a line graph.

Here is a line graph of information about how many parcels the postman has to deliver on each day of this week.

Notice how all of the days of the week are lined up with the bottom of a line on the graph.

Notice how all the numbers at the side also line up with the end of the horizontal lines on the graph.

This is important for reading the graph correctly.

If I wanted to read this graph, I would first look along the bottom row to find the day I wanted the information for. Let’s start with Monday.

First of all, I find the line that Monday is at the bottom of.

Next, I go up the line to find the point where the data line starts.

After that, I go horizontal across to the numbers. This way, I can see what number the graph is showing for that day. For Monday, it is ‘10’. Ten parcels were delivered on Monday.

Now fill in the rest of the table – be careful with Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. If you hover your cursor over the line for these days, it will tell you the correct value.

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| Day of the week | Number of parcels |
| Monday | 10 |
| Tuesday |  |
| Wednesday |  |
| Thursday |  |
| Friday |  |
| Saturday |  |

Now read through the powerpoint presentation and try the activity sheet.