

This is our new homework grid for this half term. You can complete any of the activities on the grid and then bring it into school to show us and tick it off the list in your classroom. If you are not sure, find an activity difficult or want to tell us anything, see your teacher so that we can help.

Key Skills	<p><u>GET ACTIVE</u></p> <p>Practise the dance moves to our class Roman dance. Think of more moves for the commands: protect, shield, fight and march.</p>	<p><u>SPELLINGS</u></p> <p>Practise spelling <i>plurals of words</i>. What are the spelling rules for plural words? Can you find any exceptions by checking in a dictionary?</p>	<p><u>LITERACY</u></p> <p><i>Handwriting practice</i></p> <p>Write out your favourite poem in your neatest handwriting. Illustrate it and give it a border. Practise performing the poem to your friends or family and then in front of the class.</p>	<p><u>LITERACY</u></p> <p>Write a diary entry every day for a week. Make it as exciting as you can, using powerful verbs and adjectives! Include some pictures as well!</p>
	Topic	<p><u>THINKING SKILLS</u></p> <p>Linked with our RE topic, find more synonyms for <b>light</b> and <b>dark</b> and make a word search.</p>	<p><u>SPELLINGS</u></p> <p>Practise spellings using a different strategy: rainbow writing, typing the words on a computer and writing the words in the air with big movements and then a tiny magic finger.</p>	<p><u>DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY</u></p> <p>Collect old toys you don't play with any more or buy cheap ones from a charity shop. Take them apart and investigate how the mechanisms work.</p>
Topic	<p><u>SCIENCE</u></p> <p>Watch a weather forecast on Newsround and write your own weather forecast to share with the class. Use some pictures as prompts.</p>	<p><u>MAKE A CREATIVE COLLAGE</u></p> <p>Create a <b>light</b> picture, using photos from magazines, your own drawings and add a bit of sparkle with sequins or glitter.</p>	<p><u>MATHS</u></p> <p><b>Our target is: learning number bonds by heart.</b></p> <p>Use the <i>My Maths</i> on-line homework. Play level 2, level 3, level 4 and 5 games to reinforce bonds (to 10, 20, 100 and 1000). Ask your teachers if you're unsure where to start.</p>	<p><u>LIBRARY VISIT</u></p> <p>Visit the library and discover a new author!</p>
	<p><u>MATHS- be creative</u></p> <p>Make up some interesting word problems, linked to our topic.</p>	<p><u>MUSIC</u></p> <p>Learn the words off by heart for our Abba songs.</p>	<p><u>FRENCH</u></p> <p>Google BBC on-line primary French (<a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryfrench/games_all.shtml">http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryfrench/games_all.shtml</a>) Have some fun practising some of the French we have been learning in school.</p>	<p><u>POETRY CORNER</u></p> <p>Learn a poem off by heart and perform it for the class during show and tell.</p>



# Homework Grid

Year Group:

Year 4

Half term:

Autumn 2



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