Homework Menu

Fire! Fire!

KS1–Term 2



The Homework Menu

Following the introduction of the Homework Menu we have found that the tasks which have the highest impact on children's learning are reading, spellings, number bonds and times tables (Year 2) As a school, we have therefore taken the decision to make these our **compulsory tasks** whilst making all other tasks **optional**. Your child may want to explore their own activity which has been inspired by the work they have done in school. This would be great and we would love them to bring their research into school.

Side Orders (Optional)

These activities,which linkwith thetopicsbeingstudied in class, can be completed to further extend your child's learning.

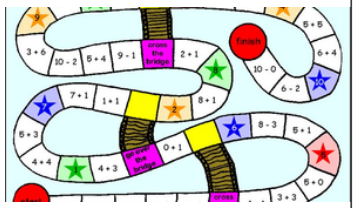
➢ Imagine you are in the Great Fire of London, What 5 items will you save? Write a list and illustrate it.





➢ Build a waterproof house. Test out different roofing materials found in your home, which was the most effective?

➢ Create a game to practice your number bonds to 10, 20 or even 100!





➢ Make a friendship jar! Write ways to be a good friend on pieces of paper and put them in a jar. Decorate it with pictures of kindness and love.

Main Courses (Compulsory)

Please complete some of these activities everyday.

Reading

- Read the school reading book and talk about the story.
  What are the main characters like? How are they feeling? What might happen next?
- Share a story with your child.
- Talk about what is happening to the characters and why.

Spellings

- Practise your spelling words and high frequency words (Exception Words sheet). You could play a spelling game (rearrange the letters, describe the word, guess the word)
- Practise using the words in sentences.
- Use Spelling Frame to help you to learn your spellings.

Mathletics

The school provides your child with access to Mathletics. Log on and find an exciting activity to practise! Work is sometimes set, but you have access to all the activities and to score lots of points regularly visit Live Mathletics which helps build fluency. www.mathletics.co.uk

Don't forget you will receive a certificate for your achievements.

Also access Numbots and White Rose 1 Minute Maths for short bursts of number work.

Maths Passports and Spelling Passports

The school also provide your children with Maths and Spelling passports. These are used to keep basic knowledge and skills at the forefront of the children's mind whilst their learning is extended in class.

From time to time, your teacher may choose to issue specific tasks to support learning across the curriculum. Homework will be celebrated in class and awarded on DoJo.