

Year 5 - Nightjars

Autumn 1

HOMework

You should have received the School Homework Expectations information sent out on our class Dojo and in a letter. Specifically for Year 5, these are:

Weekly spellings: Tested on *Fridays*. There is a whole half term sheet which all pupils have been given. Specific pupils will have personalised spellings. I will inform you if this is the case. The list will also be posted on Class Dojo as well as on the school's website. I will message you your child's spelling scores after school on Friday.

Times Tables: Your child should continue to practice their times tables and can use www.timestables.co.uk or whiteroseeducation.com/1-minute-maths to practise using a tablet or phone.

Daily reading logged and signed: Please log daily reading sessions in your child's reading log. They will be recorded on **Mondays for the week before**. We have assessed the children's reading ages and subsequently they will pick an appropriate book to read from the library. It would be most beneficial if the children could keep their book in their bag so that they can read the same book both at home and at school. We will aim to visit the library regularly, but the children can also ask to visit the library when they have finished a book and completed a book review.

Optional homework choices: Homework can be handed in any day but will be marked on Tuesdays.

English – What are you passionate about around school? Think about how you would persuade Mrs McCarthy to change something or to do something in school through the writing of a powerful persuasive letter.
History – Research Baghdad in 900 BCE – what can you find out about it?
Geography – Research Greenwich Mean Time and the Prime Meridian.
Art – Research Begum, what is this artist influenced by in their designs?
Art – Look at pictures of the Dome of Rock, the Taj Mahal and Alhambra, what can you tell me about these buildings?
French – We will be learning how to tell the date. Can you learn the months of the year in French to help you?
R.E. – Research the different symbols in lots of different faiths, do they have meanings behind them?
Science – Research the different growth stages of humans.
Maths – Design a leaflet explaining how to use Roman numerals.
Maths – Complete a times table grid.
Music – Listen to your favourite piece of music and then draw a picture inspired by it.
Life Skills – What makes you, you? Who are you? Design a poster that tells us.
P.E. – Design a warm-up routine of 5 different stretches. We will share these in our first P.E. lesson.
Computing – Design a poster warning others of what information shouldn't be shared on the internet.