Please also see the curriculum grid for this term

Age Appropriate Homework Expectations

Spelling Expectations	Practice spellings 15 minutes each day 7 words will be sent out each week – you may find 1 word a day more manageable than learning all 7 at once	
	Read for 15 minutes 3 times a week and write in your Reading Record. Note down any new words or phrases you like in your home reading journal. This can be any reading (magazines, reading to a sibling, reading before bed etc)	
Reading Expectations:	Reading homework – to be read with an adult and comments made in reading homework book by the adult supporting. This should be achieved in 3 sessions. Please refer to 'Reading Fluency Skills' target that is highlighted in your homework book.	
Maths Expectations:	Practise all times tables for continued fluency and speed	

Dedicating time each day to homework & helps you to form effective learning habits.

Topic Tasks

Please pick a different activity to **do with your family each week**. Completing your homework with your family should be a positive experience, the discussion & fun you have is just as important as the outcome. Enjoy!

There is no right or wrong way to complete the task. Take as long, or as little, time as you like on these tasks. A large project my take a number of weeks. These tasks are **optional**.

Bring Topic Tasks to school in any way you like: email, photo, written, scrap book, artwork, edible... You can send any photos that you take to the class teacher or print them out to show the class.

Write a script for a news report about Red Kites in our local area. Film yourself presenting the news. <i>English</i>	Write a poem about Wittenham Clumps. Take a walk there for some inspiration! <i>English</i>	Choose your <u>least</u> favourite book and prepare a presentation to persuade the class to read it. <i>Reading</i>
Put the times tables to your favourite song e.g. 8x tables to 'Rolling in the Deep' by Adele. <i>Maths</i>	Make a times tables revision poster to help you to learn them. <i>Maths</i>	Create a video diary for a day in the life of your pet. <i>Science</i>
Create a menu for Valentine's Day. It must be balanced, seasonal and locally produced. DT	Visit your local swimming pool and show off your new skills. <i>PE</i>	Grab your binoculars and a camping chair and see how many different living things you can spot in 1 hour. <i>Science</i>
Make an edible mountain representing as many features as possible. DT	Find a book about puberty and growing up and talk about it with your parents. <i>PSHE</i>	Visit the Chilterns. Take lots of photos. You could ride your bike or take a kite to fly. <i>Geography</i>

Additional learning may be sent home as appropriate.

You can also find useful guides and resources for learning at home on our school website.