

Year 5&6 Homework grid – Autumn term 1 2024

Please choose a homework task from the grid to complete each week. Over the half term, try to choose a range of tasks rather than picking all the ones in the same column. Homework can be completed in a homework book or a different format if that is more appropriate for the task. Please return homework as it is completed on a Monday so that it can be marked and celebrated. Any questions, please come and ask!

Maths	English	Wider curriculum
<p>* Create a poster explaining how to round the number 8,342,791 or the number 4,862 to the nearest:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1,000,000 10,000 1,000 10</p>	<p>* Write 2 different conversations with 5 exchanges of speech each between Jim Jarvis and a policeman.</p> <p>- In the first one, try to make Jim seem scared and the policeman seem concerned.</p> <p>- In the second one, try to make Jim seem ill and the policeman seem suspicious.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">*Geography</p> <p>Research and find out about one of the many rivers in Europe. We would like the children to create a fact file with information, photos pictures and maps.</p> <p>Some children may find it easier to create a fact file on the River Rhine which we are studying in class.</p>
<p>* Measure your height in cm. Use your place value knowledge to work out how tall you are in metres (HINT: dividing by 100). Then measure 5 other things in your house and give their length in m and cm.</p>	<p>* Write a description of a character who opens the door to Jim after he has run away from the workhouse. How will you describe what they look like and how they act to show not tell what the character is like?</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">* ART</p> <p>Create a piece of artwork using symbols, lines and shapes that represents themselves and their hobbies. This can be through any medium of their choice such as sculpture, line drawings or painting.</p>
<p>* Solve the following calculations using the formal written methods:</p> <p>1) $532,557 + 31,461 =$ 2) $53,634 - 37,291 =$ 3) 384 divided by 4 = 4) $132 \times 6 =$</p> <p>Remember to show your workings.</p> <p>For those who would like more formal written challenges, please see the attached formal written challenges grid.</p>	<p>* Write a book review of your favourite book you have read in the last year. In your review, please include a summary of the storyline (don't give away the ending), what genre the books is, why you'd recommend it and if it is similar to any other stories you have read.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">* Science</p> <p>1. Collect a number of different types of leaves or use the types of leaves attachment provided. Use the attached leaf character table to place the leaves into one of the boxes.</p> <p>2. Write a biography of Carl Linnaeus.</p>

In addition to the formal homework set each week, we expect the children to be reading for 20 minutes at least 5 times a week, practising their times tables and learning the weekly spellings from the grid below:

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Commonly misspelt words
1. stars 2. plates 3. horses 4. clouds 5. dishes 6. torches 7. bushes 8. foxes 9. babies 10. cherries 11. boys 12. keys	1. wolves 2. scarves 3. loaves 4. calves 5. knives 6. cliffs (exception) 7. chiefs (exception) 8. volcanoes 9. potatoes 10. tomatoes 11. hippos (exception) 12. cellos (exception) 13. cuckoos (exception)	1. disappointed 2. dissatisfied 3. dissimilar 4. unsure 5. unnecessary 6. unnatural 7. overseas 8. overrule 9. overreact 10. impatient 11. immobile 12. immovable	1. judge 2. judging 3. judgement 4. care 5. careless 6. caring 7. cultivate 8. cultivating 9. cultivation 10. alone 11. lonely 12. tune 13. tuning	1. marry 2. married 3. marriage 4. funny 5. funnily 6. funnier 7. geology 8. geological 9. melody 10. melodious 11. bounty 12. bountiful	Their There They're Your You're Because Something Where Where We're

