

A little note from Year 5.....

Wednesday 5th September 2018



Dear Parents/Carers,

Our topic this term is Space. Please find attached a 'Homework Grid' that will cover the whole of the Autumn Term.

The idea is, that your children can choose to do 5 of the homework activities in the first half-term and 5 different ones in the second half-term. Our only stipulation is that in each half-term they include at least two literacy-based and two maths-based activities.

They may like to begin a project that could take several weeks to complete, but ideally one homework should be handed in every Monday. They may like to do more than 5 homework activities each half term; that's fine too!

This first week we would like the children to look at the homework grid and start to decide which projects they will be completing this first half of the term. There is a blank column on the grid at the right hand side where the children can write their choices down. We hope to see the first completed homework to be returned by the 17th September.

In addition to this, as usual the children will receive a spelling test every Monday. Spellings are handed out weekly in their spelling books. Also, as part of your child's development please do continue to hear your children read, or at the very least encourage them to read independently. Don't forget to note any reading in the Reading Journal.

The Homework grid will help the children to feel more in control of their homework and, as a result, will be more engaging for them. Please also feel free to bring in other interesting things you discover or have at home that relate to our topic.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Benson and Miss Sleat