

Kingfishers and Nightingales' Homework Trail (Term 3 2021–2022)



Weekly homework tasks

Reading

Read a book for at least 10 minutes every day. This could be your school reading book or a book from home.

Mathletics and Times Tables

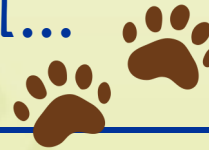
A task will be set on Mathletics each week. You can use the games and challenges available on Mathletics as often as you like. The more, the better! Practice your times tables ready for your weekly test each Wednesday.

Spellings

Practice the spellings that have been sent home to learn for your weekly test.

Have a look at and learn high frequency words from the list for your year group on the school website.

Off on the trail...



You must complete three squares in a row, passing vertically, horizontally or diagonally through the middle square.

Draw your own map of your route to school. This may be by car or foot. Think about what you pass on your journey and how these could be represented on a map. Research the relevant map symbols or create your own key to add to your map.

Become a CEO of marketing. You must advertise a product with persuasive techniques. This could be a toy or a food perhaps. Design an advertising campaign for your product. Be as creative as you can.

Transport yourself back to Anglo-Saxon times by writing about a day in the life of an Anglo-Saxon. What job might you have done? What is your house like? Include how this compares to you and your family's life today.

Create a non-chronological report about a class hero; Sir Stephen Hawking. Include non-chronological features you have learnt including formal and technical language and subheadings. You may present your work in any way you choose. You could show off your computing skills.

Use our Term 3 learning of problems and dilemmas to write a story that has a problem and dilemma. The problem must create the dilemma where the character must choose from two equally poor outcomes. Include interesting writing structures such as varying openers. This task would be best completed towards the end of term 3 so that you can apply your new writing skills.

This term we will be creating self portraits. Link last term's learning of Juan Miro with this term by creating a self portrait print using materials that add depth and texture when printing with paint.

Write an informal letter to a friend to persuade them to join you in an activity of your choice. Think about informal writing and that writing structures such as contractions are acceptable. Use persuasive writing techniques that will encourage your friend to join you.

Explore your local area by going on a rock hunt. This could be in your garden or local park. Create a report to explain the different types of rocks that you find. Think about the properties they have and how they are similar or different. Diagrams will add clarity to your report.

Create a cartoon comic strip. Your short story can be a theme of your choice. It must include speech bubbles for dialogue. Once finished, turn your speech bubble into direct speech with accurate punctuation markers including inverted commas.



The Extra Mile...

Can you complete any 6 squares on the grid to get your Extra Mile sticker.

Homeward Bound...Record all your homework in your homework book.

You do not need to bring in your homework each week to be checked. We will be holding a Trail End Homework Showcase in class on **Tuesday, 22nd February 2022** when you can share your homework with the class and celebrate your hard work.

