

Ladybirds and Butterflies Homework Trail (Term 5 2023–2024)



Weekly homework tasks

Reading

Read or share a book at least five times a week. This could be your school reading book or a book from home.

Mathletics

Tasks will be set on Mathletics every week. You can use the games and challenges available on Mathletics as often as you like. The more, the better! Practice the times tables facts that have been sent home.

Spellings

Have a look at and learn the words from the back of your homework book and practice regularly. Have a look at the high frequency word lists that can be found on the [school website](#). Select the coloured list that contains words that you know you need to practise to enhance your writing.

Off on the trail...



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

Find out about plants that we eat. Where do they come from? Which part of the plant do we eat, roots, stems or leaves? Can you make your own plant based lunch?

Go for a walk or explore your garden – record how many different types of plants you can find, you can draw, write or even stick a sample in your book. Can you identify them?

Make a 2D shape garden design. Draw around any 2D shapes you can find then colour using pens, pencils, pastels or paint. You could cut out 2D shapes and create a collage, or create your composition another way!

Over the term, plant something of your choice. Keep a plant/flower diary. You could draw a picture of what it looks like each week or take a photo of it instead. Don't forget to add written information too!

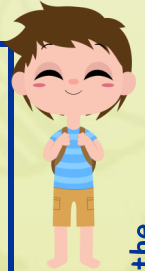
WARNING, WARNING! – all plants are dying out. Research what makes plants so important. What would happen if there were no plants? What do we use plants for? Present your work as a non-chronological double page spread or a non-fiction poster.

Find out about a castle from another country in the UK. Create your own fact file about the history of the castle. Can you add a 'Did you know?' fact?

Make an information leaflet that a gardener could use to tell them what plants need, so that they can grow strong, healthy plants. Make sure you include diagrams and illustrations!

Construct a tally chart or pictogram of your family's favourite food/plants and then make a bar graph or a pictogram to go with this. Write a few sentences to describe the results. Which was the most/least popular?

Our class hero is John Lennon (1940–1980). Who was he? Why is he famous? Create a poster about him and his achievements.



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 4th June when you can share your homework with the class and celebrate your hard work.