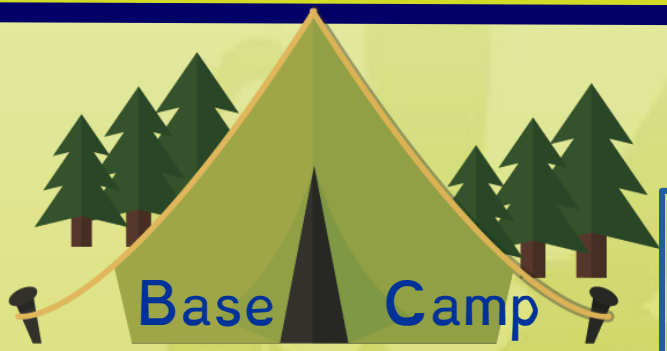
Cuckoos and Magpies' Homework Trail (Term 2 2026–2027)



Weekly homework tasks

Reading

Read for at least 10 minutes, three times a week. This could be your school reading book or a book from home.

Mathletics and Times Tables

Tasks will 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 the times tables facts that have been sent home.

Spelling

Have a look at and learn the words from the front 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 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.

Write a speech about something you would like to change about the world. What would you like to change and why? How would you bring about this change? How might others react?	Design a cartoon strip that could be used to teach Middle School about the suffragette movement.	Create Top Trump cards for Emmaline Pankhurst, Millicent Fawcett, Muriel Matters, Emily Davison and Marion Dunlop.
Find out about women's right to vote today in 2025. Can all women vote equally with men all around the world? Use a map to help you present this research.	Write a letter to one of the suffragettes we have studied informing them of what impact their contribution has had on 21st Century Britain.	Create a poster encouraging people to join the movement for women's suffrage.
Create your own maths dictionary for these terms: **factors/ common factors** **multiples/ common multiples** **prime numbers** **square numbers** **cube numbers**	Write a diary entry from the perspective of a suffragette who has just attended a protest.	Read for **15– 20 minutes** at home. Write about a character you have met in your book– What have you learned about them so far? ★ **Extra Challenge:** Use evidence from the text to support your ideas. For example: *I know this because...*



The Extra Mile...Can you complete any 6 squares, including the centre, 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 5th January 2027 when you can share your homework with the class and celebrate your hard work.