

Year 6 Autumn Term Homework Expectation

Outlined below are the homework expectations for this half term.

Reading

Research shows that the more exposure your child has to reading, the more academically able they will be. We recommend and encourage all children to read or be read to every day.

Children in Year 6 are expected to record a minimum of 4 reads each week for at least 20 minutes. When your child reads at home, please ensure you write your initials on their bookmark.

Bookmarks will be checked by teachers every Friday.

Spellings

Spellings should be practised 10 minutes each week, choosing from the spelling activities provided in the back of the homework book. Spelling practice should be recorded in the spelling homework book. This can be completed using <https://www.edshed.com/en-gb/Login>.

Spellings will be set on a Friday and checked the following Friday.

Maths

Each week your child should complete 10 Garage sessions and a Soundcheck on Times Table Rock stars which can be accessed via <https://trockstars.com/>.

This will be checked every Friday.

Homework Catch Up

There will be an opportunity for children to catch up on any missed homework on a Friday lunch time.

Optional Topic Project

We offer this optional topic-based homework for any children who wish to enhance and challenge their learning at home and for parents who would like their child to complete additional learning-based work.

Our topic this term is **The Americas** and the texts and events to support our learning this half term will be the 9/11 terrorist attacks and Wonder by RJ Palacio.

Here are some ideas for the homework project that your child may like to choose from:

What?	Research a biome which we have studied	Present some information about a famous event during World War 2.	Create a model of a vehicle from World War 2.	Design your own drawing/artwork of a biome
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How?	Create a poster that includes some facts and information about the Biome of your choice	Create a PowerPoint about the event including key facts and information	Create your own model of a vehicle from World War 2 using a medium of your choice.	Either draw or create using ICT an image of a biome with animals, climate and environment.
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Children will be given the opportunity to share or present their homework project in the last week of term.