

Year 2 Spring Term Homework Expectation

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 2 are expected to record a minimum of **4 reads** each week. When your child reads at home, please ensure you write in their Monkey reading record book. **Monkey reading records will be checked by teachers every Friday for your child to move up the reading rainbow they should have read at least 4 times.**

Maths

Each week your child should complete numbots for 10 minutes which can be accessed via <https://play.numbots.com/#/intro> . Your child's log-in is in their Monkey Reading Record. **This will be checked every Friday.**

Spellings

Your child will have a weekly assignment scheduled on **Spelling Shed**. Please ensure they complete three games within this assignment.

Spelling shed can be accessed using this link: <https://play.edshed.com/en-gb>. Your child's log-in is in their Monkey Reading Record. **Spelling Shed will be checked every Friday.**

Optional Topic Project Our topics (spring 1) is **Mountains and Volcanoes** and (Spring 2) is **Ancient Greece**.

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

Spring 1 What? Research Mountains and Volcanoes	Research... Famous Mountain ranges, famous Volcanoes, what is a Volcano? famous mountain explorers.	Present... By film, PPT etc.	Create... Posters, models, paintings	Design... Volcanoes
How?	Power point Presentation or other IT based multi-media	Perform or present your learning to the class Label pictures with parts of a Mountain or volcano.	3D sculpture of a mountain/ Volcano Create a poster with facts	Design, write instructions and create junk volcanoes.

Children will be given the opportunity to share or present their homework project in the **week beginning 9th February.**

Spring 2 What? Research Ancient Greece	Research... Spartan people, clothes, food, Olympics	Present... By film, PPT etc.	Create... Posters, models, paintings	Design... A Greek theatre mask, Greek pot
How?	Power point Presentation or other IT based multi-media	Perform or present your learning to the class Label pictures	Create a poster with facts	Design, write instructions and create pots/masks.

Children will be given the opportunity to share or present their homework project in the **week beginning 23rd March.**

