

Year 1 Autumn Term 1

Homework Grid

This term our topic is called '**Wonderful Winsford**.' During this topic we will be developing our map skills by looking at our school, its grounds, and the surrounding environment. We will also be looking at different materials and how houses have changed over time.

Please look at the activity grid below and aim to complete **one each week**. This can be completed in your child's homework books if the task is a recording piece, or if appropriate you may wish to share photos to the Year 1 email account (year1@highstreet.cheshire.sch.uk) We will take the books in at the end of the half term to see how your child has done, and celebrate their work with them afterwards.

<p>Comparing Houses (English/Geography)</p> <p>Using the books and internet, can you find out what houses are like in a country of your choice? You could draw a picture to show us, and label it/write a sentence to explain what they are like. Challenge: Can you explain how they are similar or different to our own homes?</p>	<p>Cosmic Yoga-The Three Little Pigs (PE)</p> <p>In school, we sometimes use Cosmic Yoga for kids, which include exercises to stretch and relax the body and mind too. You can google the session named 'Cosmic Yoga-The Three Little Pigs' if you wish to have a go!</p>	<p>Junk Model Home (Design Technology)</p> <p>Can you find some materials around your home and create your very own house? You can be as imaginative as you like, from a fairy house to a gingerbread house, to a castle! Think about what features it needs, how it will stay standing and how you can decorate it.</p>
<p>Home is Where the Heart Is (PSHE)</p> <p>Can you draw a picture of the people that live in your house? Don't forget to label them! Can you think of what you are thankful for in your family? You may want to record these answers yourselves in your books, or even send a video to us to let us know!</p>	<p>Describing your Bedroom (English)</p> <p>Can you describe your bedroom? What does it look like? How does it make you feel? Can you think of some happy times you have had there? Write a few sentences to tell us about it, and you can even draw a picture too!</p>	<p>Old Houses Research (Topic)</p> <p>Can you find out what houses looked like in this country a long time ago? Using books/internet, look for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- A Stone Age House- A Tudor House- A Victorian House <p>Chat with your family member and discuss how different they are to each other, and how different they are to modern houses we might see today.</p>
<p>Waterproof Materials (Science)</p> <p>We are looking at everyday materials in Science. Can you test some materials to see if they are waterproof? You could use, paper, fabric, metal, cardboard, plastic etc. Which ones are waterproof and which ones aren't? Can you record the results in your book?</p>	<p>Dream House (Art and Design)</p> <p>Can you design your dream house? What would it look like? Can you paint/collage or draw it?</p>	<p>Shape Hunt (Maths)</p> <p>Go on a walk outside your house with a family member. Can you find some 2D shapes? Have a go at drawing some of the shapes when you find them.</p> <p>Challenge: Can you spot any 3D shapes and name them?</p>

Ongoing Weekly Homework

Reading - Please continue to read with your child daily and record on the Go Read App.

Phonics - Practice phonics through the Phonics Play website: <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

Maths - Practice quick recall of number recognition and number facts to increase your maths fluency. Access it via: <https://play.numbots.com/#/account/school-login/17835> or through the app on your school tablet.