



Year 5 Homework: Autumn 2



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DATE SET:

Monday 30th October

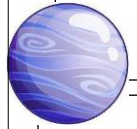
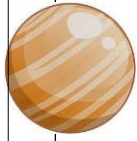
DATE DUE:

Friday 15th December

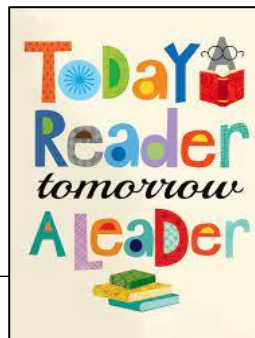
Dear children and adults,

After a busy start to Year 5, we have successfully settled in and have enjoyed our learning so far. Well done to the children who completed their homework last term and diligently completed their reading and maths each week too. We have been discussing preparing for Year 6 and our futures beyond Grange; doing our homework is one way we can ensure our success in the future!

Miss Bridden and Miss Rahn



Maths homework is uploaded to Mathletics each week on Fridays and needs to be completed. All learning on Mathletics reinforces the topic that we are learning in class and we are checking who has accessed it.



READING:

Remember to read each day and get an adult to **sign** your reading record. Try to discuss the book with an adult or sibling and discuss the text/ answer questions about it.

WRITING AND TOPIC

This will be learning all about the UK during the Victorian era from 1837-1901. This term, complete some of these activities or make up your own!

Try to complete at least one of these topic writing tasks:

1. Write a biography about Queen Victoria and her reign. Why was she influential? What achievements did the UK have in that time period?
2. Write a non-chronological report about significant inventions during the Victorian era. Some examples: the Railway network, the telephone, the Penny-Farthing bicycle, electric bulbs and the tube network.
3. Research some of these key terms and find out more about them: migration, industry, revolution, typhoid, arithmetic, livestock, rural.

Other activities related to our English texts:

1. Watch the film 'Hidden Figures' with an adult or with adult permission. Can you write down what you learnt from the film?
2. Do some brainstorming about our Guided reading text, *The Polar Bear Explorer's Club*. Write a narrative at home about the adventures of an explorer, using our narrative toolkit!

Spelling words:

Practise a selection of the spelling words from the Year 5 and 6 common exception words each week. Get an adult/sibling to test you!

Don't forget to continue writing down unknown words in your reading record.

Topic vocabulary:

Industrial revolution
 Invention
 Migrate / migration
 Reign
 Queen Victoria
 Cholera / Typhoid

Narrative Toolkit

- Use a 5-part story structure
- Use third person
- Use past tense
- Use a range of descriptive devices to develop characters, settings and atmosphere (ENP, vivid verbs)
- Use varied sentence length to build tension (fronted adverbials, conjunctions)
- Use accurate punctuation to demarcate sentences

Places you could visit!

Walk around central London to visit iconic structures erected during the reign of Queen Victoria: the Houses of Parliament, Trafalgar Square and Nelson's Column, the Royal Courts of Justice and the National Portrait Gallery.

We look forward to another great term together. Please reach out to us if you have any questions or require clarification. Miss Bridden and Miss Rahn