

Swan Class Homework Term 2



Homework in Key Stage 2

Dear all,

From term 2 onwards, we will be setting a little more homework to meet homework expectations for year 3, but please complete what you are able to. In Year 3, the homework expectations are: reading at least 3 x a week, an activity from the grid, weekly spelling practise for our weekly spelling quizzes and timestables practise. These expectations will begin in term 2. We will begin using EdShed to set spellings each week from term 2. The children will also be set up on Timestable Rockstars ready for term 2, which is an online platform with games and activities to support learning timestables. We will send home log ins for both.

On Friday, we will do a mini quiz on the spellings and timestables they've been learning that week but we will be making it very casual, they don't need to worry about how many they get right or wrong as I will not be asking them to share their scores. This should support any children who may worry about doing weekly mini quizzes.

If you have any questions about homework or the homework expectations for year 3, please don't hesitate to get in touch with me through Dojo or the office.

Thank you. Miss Mitten

Remember	English- Hansel & Gretel by Anthony Browne		Science- Light & Shadow	Geography- Weather & Climate	Arts
Try out Timestable Rockstars! We have set you to practise the 2s (remember that's like doubling!), 0's and 1 timestables.	Create a WANTED poster for the evil witch from Hansel and Gretel. What does she look like? Where might she be found? What reward is there for finding her?	Write a book review of Anthony Browne's Hansel and Gretel. What did you like about it? How many stars would you give it? What was the best part?	Draw and list all of the sources of light you have around your home.	Watch or listen to the weather forecast on television or the radio. Keep a weather diary for a week and see how many words and phrases you can use to describe what the weather is like.	Design your own gingerbread house. Which foods would you use for which parts? What would you make the garden out of?
Remember to learn your spellings. We will have a practise every Friday.	Create an advert for the gingerbread cottage being a holiday home. Why should people stay there? Who would enjoy it? What is included?	Make a short comic strip of the story of Hansel and Gretel including speech and thought bubbles for the characters.	How many shadow animals can you make with your hands? If you can- take photos or ask someone to trace around your shadow.	Research any places you have been to on holiday or would like to go to. What is the climate in those countries? Which continent are they on? What language is spoken there?	Design a new book cover for Hansel and Gretel.