

Home School Learning For Year 1 - Autumn 2 2018

This half term our topic is **Light It Up!** Please note A4 size work should be stuck in the Home-School liaison books. Large homework should be brought to school during the week beginning Monday 17th December.

The grid below contains nine different activities that your child can complete at home to support their learning at school. We would like your child to try and complete **a minimum** of one row of three home-learning activities by the end of the half term. The row can be horizontal, vertical or diagonal but must pass through the centre square. You can use the home school liaison book to report back and stick work in where appropriate.

Art/craft activity - Design and make a Christmas card for your class.	Science - Can you create a dark box that has a light source to it?	Writing task - Write a winter poem.
Phonics - practise your phase 3, 4 and 5 sounds. Use your sound mat (on the back of the letter) to help you and then practise writing words with these sounds.	Non negotiable task - Read home reading book AT LEAST 3 times a week. Practise phase 3, 4 and 5 sounds.	Geography Research - Can you draw a map of your local streets and label any shops or special houses etc?
Reading - Can you challenge yourself to read a book from the local library each week and report on your favourite one?	DT - Can you make a new vehicle for Father Christmas to carry everybody's presents in?	Maths activity - Can you create a Christmas wish list worth £10? (grown ups to help by rounding totals up to the nearest pound.)

Maths and English we will be:

- Writing in sentences using capital letters and full stops.
- Beginning to include conjunctions in sentences (and, because, but, so).
- Correctly using the weekly spellings in their writing.
- Learning phase 3, 4 and 5 letters sounds.
- Measurement - using non-standard and standard units.
- Geometry - 2D and 3D shapes
- Addition and Subtraction (through money)



Useful Time Filler Activities Linked to Year 1 Expectations

Go on an autumn/winter walk to experience the changes in temperature and weather (seasonal changes).

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b0079t1p/broadcasts/upcoming>

Visit the local library

Writing shopping lists, go to shop to buy things and use money to pay (adding and subtracting).