

Year 4 Homework card – Autumn Term 1

Reading

To support your child's reading please enjoy a **minimum of 5 reads a week**. Children need to record this in their reading record. Parents, please sign this once a week. Reading records will be checked on a Friday, however we expect children to bring their reading records to school every day.

Spellings: Weekly spellings will be practised in school and available on the Spelling Shed Website. Children can practise the words using the app or written if preferred. All spelling words can be found below with spaces to copy them out. There will be a test at the end of each week.

Maths

Please use Times Table Rock stars as a booster to help increase the speed of recalling times tables. <https://trockstars.com/>

Week 1 due date: Friday 20th September 2024

1. Read at least five times this week and ask an adult to sign your reading record. Remember to write the book title, page numbers and a sentence about what you have read. Complete a quiz when you finish your book.
2. Complete 3 sessions of TT Rockstars - 10 mins each time
3. Spellings (log in to Edshed) words with the prefix in (meaning not)

Week 2 due date: Friday 27th September 2024

1. Read at least five times this week and ask an adult to sign your reading record. Remember to write the book title, page numbers and a sentence about what you have read. Complete a quiz when you finish your book.
2. Complete 3 sessions of TT Rockstars - 10 mins each time
3. Spellings (log in to Edshed) words with the prefix il, im and ir

Week 3 due date: Friday 4th October 2024

1. Read at least five times this week and ask an adult to sign your reading record. Remember to write the book title, page numbers and a sentence about what you have read. Complete a quiz when you finish your book.
2. Complete 3 sessions of TT Rockstars - 10 mins each time
3. Spellings (log in to Edshed) words with the prefix sub (meaning below or divided)

Week 4 due date: Friday 11th October 2024

1. Read at least five times this week and ask an adult to sign your reading record. Remember to write the book title, page numbers and a sentence about what you have read. Complete a quiz when you finish your book.
2. Complete 3 sessions of TT Rockstars - 10 mins each time
3. Spellings (log in to Edshed) words with the prefix inter (meaning between or among)

Week 5 due date: Friday 18th October 2024

1. Read at least five times this week and ask an adult to sign your reading record. Remember to write the book title, page numbers and a sentence about what you have read. Complete a quiz when you finish your book.
2. Complete 3 sessions of TT Rockstars - 10 mins each time
3. Spellings (log in to Edshed) challenge words

Week 4 due date: Thursday 24th October 2024 (Inset day on Friday)

1. Read at least five times this week and ask an adult to sign your reading record. Remember to write the book title, page numbers and a sentence about what you have read. Complete a quiz when you finish your book.
2. Complete 3 sessions of TT Rockstars - 10 mins each time
3. Spellings (log in to Edshed) words with the suffix ation

Optional Activities: These are some ideas for some extra activities you could do and exchange for dojo points.

In geography we will be finding out about Brazil. Create your own poster telling people about an aspect of Brazil that you are interested in. Some ideas may be history, football, food or festivals.

Science- This term we are finding out about plant and animal classification. Can you make a fact file about an animal or a plant? Include how it is classified, for example is it a bird/mammal/amphibian?

Art – during our art lessons we will be creating pumpkins and decorating them with different patterns and colours. Can you create your own design at home or fill another autumn outline with colours and patterns? For example a leaf or firework?

How can I support my child at home?

- Encourage your child to complete all the homework tasks above.

- Remind your child to speak to an adult in school if they find things too easy or tricky.
- Have a look at the optional activities together and try to complete one of the tasks or find out more about that topic area (any extra learning is great!).
- If your child is finding things difficult, remind them to have a try and persevere. We would rather the tasks were attempted, than not completed at all.
- Talk about where different places are in the world. Where do you live? Do you have any links with other countries? Find different places on a map.
- Try to identify different plants and animals when you are out and about. Can you name the trees in your area and the minibeasts you find?

Useful websites for further support:

[Oak National Academy \(thenational.academy\)](http://thenational.academy)

[Hit the Button - Quick fire maths practise for 6-11 year olds \(topmarks.co.uk\)](http://topmarks.co.uk)

[Parents' Toolkit - BBC Bitesize](http://bbc.com/bitesize)

Weekly Spellings

Test 1 – Friday 20th September

inactive			
incorrect			
invisible			
insecure			
inflexible			
indefinite			
incurable			
inability			
inadequate			
inelegant			

Test 2 – Friday 27th September

illegal			
illegible			
immature			
immortal			
impossible			
impatient			
imperfect			
irregular			
irrelevant			
irresponsible			

Test 3 – Friday 4th October

submarine			
subject			
subway			
submerge			

subtropical			
subdivide			
subheading			
substandard			
subtitle			
submit			

Test 4 – Friday 11th October

interact			
intercity			
international			
interfere			
interview			
intercept			
intercom			
internet			
interchange			
interface			

Test 5 – Friday 18th October

calendar			
appear			
believe			
grammar			
increase			
interest			
opposite			
straight			
strength			
women			

Test 6 – Thursday 24th October

information			
sensation			
preparation			
vibration			
decoration			
donation			
duration			
registration			
population			
determination			