

**Class 2 HOMEWORK Summer Term 1 – 2024**

All children are expected to complete the following each week:

1. Spelling – Children will be explicitly taught statutory spellings through morphology and etymology. Children will also have a selection of words to learn each week at home, which they will be tested on each **Friday**.
2. Times tables – Year 3 children are expected to learn their 2,3,4,5,6,8 and 10 times tables, Year 4,5 and 6 up to 12 x 12. Knowledge of times tables form a vital foundation for many mathematical topics covered in the year. TTRS aim for 5 minutes, 5 times a week.
3. Reading – Children are expected to read 5 x per week with an adult. Parents and carers are required to record the reading by writing in their reading records.
4. Maths homework, given out at the start of the term and related to each week’s learning, to be completed each week and returned to school.

**Homework projects / spelling / times tables:** Activities and projects will be set half termly. Homework tasks consolidate learning taking place in school. The children will get more out of the homework projects if they apply themselves correctly and these are designed to encourage creativity. **Children who rush their projects and do not spend an appropriate time on them will not gain the benefits of our homework policy.**

Tasks are for EVERY child to engage in, please choose at least **one** task to complete this half term.

**Please bring all homework into school on or before Wednesday 22nd May so that it can be displayed and celebrated during a sharing session on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> at 8.50 am to which all are welcome.**

Thank you for the ongoing support with your child’s home learning,

Mrs Dickinson.

**Project 1 – Science**



Using your Science knowledge of forces particularly air resistance and gravity I would like you design your own parachute using different materials. You then need to drop your parachute and record your findings. If you have time make a second parachute from different materials and compare this one when dropped.

**Project 2 – English**



Your task is to express yourself through writing a poem inspired by your dreams – it can be a real-life aspiration, a wonderful world created in your mind or even influenced by a nightmare or fear. Let your imagination run wild!  
(This needs to be in by Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May if you would like it entered into a writing competition)

**Project 3 – Art**



To compliment our art unit about Space I would like you to design a poster advertising Space Tourism. Remember to make it creative and eye catching and to tell the reader about the company, what to expect and what experience they will get – use all of your skills of persuasion!  
Have a look at what SpaceX, Virgin Galactic and Blue Origin are already offering.

Alternatively design a poster of what you imagination space trips might look like in the future.