

Daily and Extended Homework Class 3 Autumn 1

Daily Homework	
Reading	Read at least 5 times each week for 15 mins (Remember to have your reading record signed). To encourage reading at home your child will have a reward: if they read 5 times in 1 week, they receive a stamp. Following this if they achieve 4 stamps, they received a reward.
Writing	Pupil's should be encouraged to practise their spellings weekly recording them as part of a sentence in their reading record.
Mathematics	Encourage your child to practise their times tables through Times Tables Rock Stars at least once a week. Practise on counting in 4's, 8's, 50's and 100's. Practise finding 10 or 100 more or less than a given number (keep this within 1000)

As part of our theme this half term of **Stone age to Iron age** Class 3 have agreed the challenge to complete Extended Homework! This is their chance to show off their individual styles and approaches to learning and presenting their work.

The table below outlines the Extended Homework:

Extended Homework (choose 2 of the options below)

REMEMBER - The focus is *quality* work, not to complete the task quickly! Think carefully about the presentation and content of your work to make sure you **give of your best** to produce work that **you will be proud of!**

(Art/DT) Design a logo for a stone age culture. Label your design.	(English/Art) An author wants you to design a new cover for one of their stories. Design a new front cover of a book you have recently read.	(Various subjects) Design 10 quiz cards for a topic of your choice (you will be testing your class with this one!)
(English/Art) Design a wanted poster for a prehistoric animal.	(English) Write a poem about anything of your choice or perform a poem from one of your favourite poets.	(Science/History/DT) Make your own fossil https://sciencekids.co.nz/projects/fossilcast.html

- The class has decided this work should have a 4-week deadline to complete 2 pieces.
- Therefore, all Extended Homework will be due in on **Friday 13th October 2023**
- The children agreed work should include:

-Your best work	- Work on a computer or use a range of technology (camera/ipad/recording device)
-Thinks you learn at home including 3D models.	-Some non-fiction writing
-Clear presentation	- Neat handwriting and correct punctuation.

The Parent's Role Extended Homework

DO	DON'T
Know what they are learning about	Talk about how 'homework was different in your day'
Listen to them read every day	Multitask as you listen
Ask them questions so that they expand their thinking about the challenge e.g. What...? When...? Where...? Why...? Who...? How...?	Show off your knowledge about the subject matter
Give them varied experiences so that they can choose different ways of achieving the task	Make it all about expense (sometimes the cheapest ideas are the best 😊)
Be willing to support their activity by listening to their ideas and suggesting ways forward	Complete it for them
Show them they can achieve	Ignore the things they can't do – instead help them to find a way of overcoming the obstacle for themselves

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely,
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