



Kidmore End CE Primary School

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Term 2 Overview – Sycamore Class

Term 2 has arrived! In the lead up to Christmas we will be working hard against our targets, striving for progress socially, emotionally and academically. Below gives you a brief overview of learning for the half term, along with the homework grid and useful links; these will also be on Google classroom and the school website.



Thank you for your support,
Mrs Walker and the Sycamore Team

Literacy

We are going to be exploring the following texts in our reading and writing lessons



Maths

- Calculation – addition, subtraction, multiplication and division
- Factors, multiples, square, cube and prime numbers

Times Tables Rockstars and Doodle Maths.

P.E

Wednesday – T1 rugby
Thursday – Dance

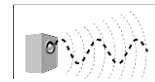


Theme of the term:



Science

Sound and vibrations



D.T

Pavilions



Knowing our friends will support us

Knowing Jesus is with us in stormy times

Standing on God's promises

Being trustworthy, not gossiping

Trusting God

R.E

What role does worship play in the life of a Hindu?



Music

Classroom Jazz 2



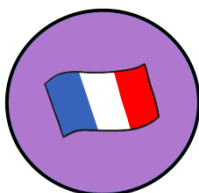
Computing

Website design



French

Meet my French family



P.S.H.E

Valuing Difference



Geography

Why do oceans matter?





Term 2 Homework – Sycamore Class

Homework is not compulsory at Kidmore End, though we recommend that children in upper KS2 start to take responsibility for some additional home learning to prepare them for their transition to secondary school. The homework options below are matched to our class topics, along with some useful links for online games and additional reading.

Any homework shared at school will be rewarded with points for your child's team.

<u>Maths</u>	<u>Reading and Writing</u>
<p>➤ TTRS Regular times tables practice</p> <p>➤ Doodle Maths Regular maths retrieval practice to consolidate and build on class learning</p> <p>Extra links – Calculation https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/addition-and-subtraction https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/multiplication-and-division</p>	<p>➤ Reading daily at home Colour banded books will be changed by adult when they have finished their book. Free readers change their own books.</p> <p>➤ Writing challenges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Create your own version of a fairy tale, remember to plan, write, edit and revise. - Write an explanation text to explain how sound travels. <p>Extra links - Sound and hearing - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zgffr82</p>
<u>Spellings</u>	<u>Topic</u>
<p>These are the spellings that need to be learnt by the end of primary school. We will be learning and practising these in class a couple of times a week. Don't forget to practise your words at home each week.</p> <p>YR1 – 100 high frequency words YR2 – Common exception words YR3/4 – Year 3 and 4 common exception words YR5/6 – Year 5 and 6 common exception words Links for these words will be on Google Classroom</p> <p>Extra Links: Spelling game - https://ictgames.com/mobilePage/lcwc/index.html Grammar game- https://www.bigbrownbear.co.uk/nouns/</p>	<p>➤ Half termly projects Here are a few project ideas for you to work on this half term. You could pick one, or try a few – the choice is yours.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make a PPT to share what you know about Hinduism and how and who Hindus worship. • Create a family tree (in French) using your new French family vocabulary • Create an informative poster explaining how to protect the oceans and seas. • Create an architectural drawing of your pavilion design – label with features.



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Year 4 Autumn 2 Spellings

Week 1 Words with a /shuhn/ sound, spelt with 'sion' (if root word ends in 'se', 'de' or 'd')	Week 2 Words with a /shuhn/ sound, spelt with 'ssion' (if root word ends in 'ss' or 'mit')	Week 3 Words with a /shuhn/ sound, spelt with 'tion' (if root word ends in 'te' or 't' / or has no definite root)	Week 4 Words with a /shuhn/ sound, spelt with 'cian' (if root word ends in 'c' or 'cs')	Week 5 Words with 'ough' to make a long /o/, /oo/ or /or/ sound	Week 6 Statutory Spellings Challenge Words
expansion	expression	invention	musician	though	interest
extension	discussion	injection	politician	although	experiment
comprehension	confession	action	electrician	dough	potatoes
tension	permission	question	magician	through	favourite
corrosion	admission	mention	mathematician	breakthrough	imagine
supervision	transmission	attraction	dietician	thought	material
fusion	possession	translation	statistician	bought	promise
conclusion	profession	devotion	technician	brought	opposite
persuasion	depression	position	clinician	fought	minute
suspension	impression	solution	beautician	ought	increase

Year 5 Autumn 2 spellings

Words with 'silent' letters	Words with 'silent' letters	Modal verbs	Words ending in 'ment'	Adverbs of possibility and frequency	Statutory Spelling Challenge Words	Review Week
doubt	wrestle	can	equipment	certainly	vegetable	Within this review week, use the provided Year 5 Term 1B Dictation Passages and the Spot the Mistake with Mr Whoops self-correction activities to assess pupil's progress against the objectives that have been covered within this half-term.
lamb	wrapper	could	environment	definitely	vehicle	
debt	island	may	government	possibly	bruise	
thumb	aisle	might	parliament	perhaps	soldier	
solemn	debris	must	enjoyment	probably	stomach	
autumn	mortgage	shall	document	frequently	recommend	
column	castle	should	management	often	leisure	
knight	yacht	will	movement	occasionally	privilege	
knuckle	guarantee	would	replacement	rarely	occur	
knot	guilty	ought	statement	always	neighbour	