



Kidmore End CE Primary School

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Term 4 Overview - Maple Class

Welcome to Term 4 and the second half of Year 3. We have a short but exciting term ahead with our first class outing to Reading Museum to look forward to! Below you will find an overview of the themes we will be covering in each subject as well as a reminder of our homework expectations and the spellings for this half term.



Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Clarke, Mrs Tindle-Rae and Mrs Laverick

Literacy

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



Maths

- Fractions
- Mass and Capacity

Additional home learning can be done via Doodle Maths and Times tables rock stars.

P.E

Wednesday - Hockey
Thursday - Fitness



Theme of the term:

Justice



Treating people fairly
Making wise decisions
Seeing God's love in action

Seeing the whole picture

Keeping God's rules

Science

Light and Shadows



P.S.H.E

Rights and Respect



Geography

Who lives in Antarctica?



Music

'The dragon song'



Computing

Journey inside a computer



D&T

Wearable technology



French

French classroom



R.E

Does Art help with understanding stories?





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Term 4 Homework – Maple Class

Homework is not compulsory at Kidmore End, though we recommend that children in Year 3 carry out some extra activities at home to consolidate the curriculum taught in 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.

Maths	Reading and Writing
<p>➤ TTRS Regular times tables practice- certificates for most coins earned will be awarded every Wednesday.</p> <p>➤ Doodle Maths Consolidation of Maths taught in class- certificates for most stars earned will be awarded every Wednesday.</p> <p>Extra links – Fractions- https://ictgames.com/mobilePage/fractions.html Mass and Capacity- https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/measures https://ictgames.com/mobilePage/measure.html</p>	<p>➤ Reading daily at home Colour banded books will be changed by an adult on Mondays. Free readers will change their own books as and when they finish. Please record your child's daily reading in their Reading Record Book, even if they are free readers. Children will also have an opportunity to choose and borrow a library book every Monday- this too can be used to further develop their reading.</p> <p>➤ Writing challenges</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Write a story in the style/theme as 'The Last Garden' - Write a character description of the Arctic Fox in 'The White Fox'
Spellings	Topic
<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 practice 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</p> <p>Extra Links: Spelling game - https://ictgames.com/mobilePage/lcwc/index.html</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"> • Create a travel information book on visiting Antarctica • Create your own globe to show the Equator, lines of Latitude and lines of Longitude <p>Extra Links: Light and Shadows- https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z9wm7yc Antarctica- https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z4whsk7</p>



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Year 3 Spring Term 4 Spellings

Week 1 Homophones & near homophones	Week 2 Homophones & near homophones	Week 3 Adding the prefix bi- (meaning 'two' or 'twice') and Adding the prefix re- (meaning 'again' or 'back')	Week 4 Words ending in the /g/ sound spelt 'gue' and the /k/ sound spelt 'que'	Week 5 Words with a /sh/ sound spelt with 'ch'
grate	scent	bicycle	league	chef
great	sent	biplane	plague	chalet
grown	vain	bisect	rogue	machine
groan	vein	bilingual	vague	brochure
plain	rode	biannual	fatigue	crochet
plane	road	reappear	unique	ricochet
peace	steel	redecorate	antique	parachute
piece	steal	reapply	mosque	moustache
rain	waist	repay	cheque	champagne
reign	waste	rebuild	technique	chute

Year 3 and 4 Statutory Spellings

accident	calendar	eight	guide	mention	possession	straight
accidentally	caught	eighth	heard	minute	possible	strange
actual	centre	enough	heart	natural	potatoes	strength
actually	century	exercise	height	naughty	pressure	suppose
address	certain	experience	history	notice	probably	surprise
although	circle	experiment	imagine	occasion	promise	therefore
answer	complete	extreme	important	occasionally	purpose	though
appear	consider	famous	increase	often	quarter	thought
arrive	continue	favourite	interest	opposite	question	through
believe	decide	February	island	ordinary	recent	various
bicycle	describe	forward	knowledge	particular	regular	weight
breath	different	forwards	learn	peculiar	reign	woman
breathe	difficult	fruit	length	perhaps	remember	women
build	disappear	grammar	library	popular	sentence	
busy	early	group	material	position	separate	
business	earth	guard	medicine	possess	special	

