



Primary 5/6 Hermie Home Learning Term 2 2023-2024

- Please try and read with your child as often as possible and remember to bring their library book to school every day.
- Please try and complete a task from each grid every week.
- Remember – frequent, short and fun works best!
- Home Learning Jotters should be returned into school on a WEDNESDAY each week.
- Remember we love to hear about 'other learning' and achievements that has taken place at home.

READING HOME LEARNING TASKS

<p>Choose a descriptive passage from your book and make a list of interesting adjectives the author has used.</p>	<p>List the five words that are unfamiliar to you. Write their definitions from a dictionary.</p>	<p>Think of three questions you would like to ask one of the characters. Write their answers as if you were that character.</p>
<p>Make a comic strip of your favourite part from your book.</p>	<p>Create a new character for your book. Draw them and describe why you have chosen this character to join the story.</p>	<p>WRITE THREE QUESTIONS YOU WOULD LIKE TO ASK THE AUTHOR OF YOUR BOOK.</p>
<p>WHICH CHARACTER IN YOUR BOOK WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO BE AND WHY?</p>	<p>Write who you think, in our class, would enjoy reading the book and why?</p>	<p>Design a new front and back cover for your chosen book. Remember to include a blurb and the author's name.</p>

SPELLING HOME LEARNING TASKS

<p>Get someone in your house to jumble up your spelling words and see if you can work out what they are.</p>	<p>Make a wordsearch using your spelling words. Include words written diagonally and backwards. Use capital letters.</p>	<p>Ask someone at home to do a Spelling Bee with you. They say the word and you spell it out aloud. For fun, swap over.</p>
<p>Write your spelling words in alphabetical order but backwards.</p>	<p>Play hangman using your spelling words.</p>	<p>Write out your spelling words and find a synonym and an antonym for each word.</p>
<p>Practise your words using pyramid writing. Start with one letter and add another letter of the word on each line.</p>	<p>Write down your words but change the consonants to a colour of your choice.</p>	<p>Use rainbow writing to practise your spelling words. Use a different colour for each letter.</p>

NUMERACY AND MATHEMATICS HOME LEARNING TASKS

<p><u>Hermie Counts</u> Times Tables - Spend at least 15 minutes a day practising your times tables: https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button https://www.timestables.co.uk/</p>	<p><u>Money</u> House prices- You will need to research online. Use websites such as ESPC or Zoopla to find different house prices. List up to ten prices in your jotter. Underline one digit of each house price and identify the value of the underlined digit using words or figures, e.g.- £9<u>8</u>4,000 is eighty thousand pounds or £80,000; £17<u>5</u>,000 is five thousand pounds or £5,000.</p>
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Log onto Sumdog and practise your numeracy and maths' skills. Your password details are in your homework jotter and on your Learning Journal.

Go to [Daily 10 - Mental Maths Challenge - Topmarks](#) to practise your division skills and increase your speed.

Funny puzzles

Create calculation puzzles by using numbers of things personal to you, e.g. What is the number of doors in your house, multiplied by your favourite number and then divided by your age? Make up and calculate answers to four different puzzles. Ask someone at home to solve them.

Write out a missing number multiplication. Give yourself a timed competition with someone in your household. How long does it take to write the completed times' table?

Digit shuffle-Write the last six digits of a phone number (your own or a friend's). For each number, write it in words and partition the digits like this: 387 249 is three hundred and eighty-seven thousand, two hundred and forty-nine. $387\ 249 = 387\ 000 + 249$.
*This can be done using smaller numbers too. Take the last 4 digits of a number, for example.