

Year 5 Weekly Update: Monday 5th November 2018

Messages:

We would like to remind parents that children should bring their P.E. kits **and** musical instruments in **every** Tuesday. We are having a Reading Road Map launch assembly on Tuesday.

Maths:

Thanjila and Alex's group will look at dividing numbers by one digit, explore division using inverse, and solve division problems. Eugene's group will look at solving multi-step division problems.

Spellings: Please find time to help your child with the spellings at home.

question	mother-in-law		
regular	sugar-free		
remember	bad-tempered		
quarter	quick-thinking		
separate	good-looking		

Writing:

We will continue with exploring the themes in Shaun Tan's 'The Lost Thing'. Children will also be given the opportunity to look at their writing samples and talk to their teachers about the feedback given and next steps.

Reading:

Children will continue their one hour reading lessons and their reading teachers will be carefully tracking their home reading. Children will soon be taking another online STAR reading test which may give them a new reading range.

Topic:

Our homework party last week meant that children missed out on a topic lesson. Therefore, this week, children will explore historical sources and have a go at creating their very own time capsule.

Science:

This half term we will be learning about 'Earth and Space'. We will learn about the sun, moons and planets in our solar system, investigate how their movements impact on our daily lives and their relative relationships with each other

As well as weekly maths, spelling and perfect paragraph homework, your child has the option to complete a topic activity and the science experiment from their homework grid. Homework is due on **Thursday**. New homework is sent home by **Friday**.

	Topic: Anglo Saxons (choose at least one activity)			Science
Week 2	Find an object in your home that serves a use or purpose. Draw and label the object, explaining how it has been designed for the job it needs to do.	Think of a household task that you might do at home (for example, cleaning or washing up). Design a robot to perform that task for you, labeling clearly the features that make it suitable for that task.	Choose a household appliance that is used for a specific purpose (for example a washing machine or vacuum cleaner). Use the Internet to research the history of that invention. How has it changed over the years? Why do you think these changes were made?	For your science project, design, plan, create and evaluate a science investigation based on Earth and Space. You can present your work in any way you choose (eg. poster, leaflet, animation, PowerPoint, video)

Every child is welcome to attend Lucy's homework club for support and access to the Internet every Tuesday lunchtime.