

Year 1 Homework Project—Spring 1



During our science lessons this half term, we are going to be learning all about animals. We are learning about the 5 animal groups and their characteristics, as well as the difference between wild animals and domestic animals.

For our homework project, we would like children to complete a project based around this topic. It could be:

- a drawing/collage/painting of their favourite animal
- A poster with some facts about their favourite animal
- a photograph of a pet that they have and they can discuss how it is looked after
- An instruction guide of how to look after a pet
- Or another idea of your choice

We look forward to seeing your wonderful creations and will be sharing them as a class during the week commencing 10/02/25.

Weekly Homework:

Read 4 times a week, **to be recorded in your reading record** and signed by an adult.

Numbots

5-10 minutes per day.

(login is in the front cover of your reading record)

Spellings

The children are bringing home spellings each week in their spelling books. Please can they practise the spellings on paper or in a creative way of your choice. These are red words from the year 1 end of year expectations for spellings. If these can be practised as much as possible during the week ready for a spelling test on Fridays.

Project due Monday 2nd February 2025.

Thank you for supporting your child with their homework,

Mrs Gill

Miss Dhariwal

Morse Code

Use Morse Code to spell your words. It is a series of dots (1 count) and dashes (3 counts). Check out this site, <http://www.morsecode.dutch.nl/alphabet.html> to see the international (NATO) Morse Code so you can practice!

Scrabble!

Use Scrabble tiles to spell out your spelling words.
For a little extra math practice, figure out the point value of each of your words!

Flash Writing

In a darkened room, use a flashlight to write your spelling words in the air.

Have a partner read your words as you write them OR your partner can "flash write" the words and your job is to read.

Delicious Words

Spray a small amount of whipped cream (or anything else you can eat) on a plate and spread it out.

Write your spelling words and be sure to clean up afterwards...

Rainbow Write

First write each word in pencil. Then trace over each word three times. Each time you trace, you must use a DIFFERENT colour crayon. Trace neatly and you will see a rainbow!

Silly Sentences

Write silly sentences using a spelling word in each sentence. Please underline your spelling words! Write neatly!

Example: My dog wears a blue and purple dress when he takes a bath.

Hidden Words

Draw and colour a picture. Hide your spelling words inside your picture.

Show your picture to someone and see if they can find your hidden words!

Backwards Words

Write your spelling words forwards and then backwards. Write neatly!

Example: where erehw

the
a
do
to
today
of
said
says
are
were
was

is
his
has
I
you
your
they
be
he
me
she

no
go
so
by
my
here
there
where
love
come
some

one
once
ask
friend
school
put
push
pull
full
house
our