

Year 5 Homework

6th – 13th January 2020

Reading

Read aloud to an adult for 20 minutes at least 4 times every week. During your reading, make sure you have answered at least 3 questions from different sections of the Reading Booklet. Then, discuss how you feel about what you have read. Ask the adult to write a comment in your Reading Journal.

Spelling

Remember, the first week is for learning and the second week is for consolidation of the spelling pattern you are working on. This week's spellings build on work from Year 4 on the use of an apostrophe for contraction and single and plural possession. Be on the lookout for the use of apostrophes out of school and bring in any examples you find.

We will also be looking at strategies for learning statutory words that do not follow patterns. **For example, words with unstressed vowels; accommodate, bruise, category, cemetery, definite, desperate, dictionary, embarrass, environment and exaggerate.** Remember to take your list into school on Friday.

The Statutory Spelling List can be found [here](#)

Word of the Day

Share your class's word of the day with your family. Explain what it means and try to impress them by using it appropriately in conversation. Challenge them to find synonyms (words with a similar meaning).

Multiplication and Division Tables

Practise the multiplication and division table you are currently working on. Ask an adult to challenge you with lots of different questions so you are ready for your weekly test.

The following links may be useful:

[Education City](#)

[BBC Bitesize](#)

[Topmarks - multiplication and division](#)

[Maths playground](#)

[multiplication.com](#)

[tablestest.com](#)

[timestables.co.uk](#)

[crickweb.co.uk](#)

[transum.org](#)

Topic

If you would like to extend yourself further, read and research about earthquakes and Volcanoes and the impact they have upon human life, as this will be one of our topics this term.

Information for parents

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/times-tables-the-best-ways-to-learn>

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/advice-for-parents/times-tables-tips>

<https://www.wikihow.com/Teach-the-Multiplication-Tables-to-Your-Child>