



Key Skills and Enrichment Homework



Key Skills Homework

Reading	Read to a grown up as much as you can throughout the week.
Maths	Continue practising number bonds, times tables and TTRockstars for Year 2s.
Phonics	EdShed Assignments will continue to be set.
Spelling	Practise weekly spellings ready for a quiz every Friday.

Enrichment Homework

In KS1 this half term our topic is “Shiver me Timbers”. Below are some enrichment tasks that children can complete at home. This is their chance to show off their individual styles and approaches to learning and presenting their work.

Remember children, you only need to complete one task, the focus is on quality work that you will be proud of.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Design, Technology & Science</u></p> <p>Make a pirate ship that can float in water. Think about what materials you will use to make it, to ensure that it doesn't sink or collapse in the water! This is a great opportunity to recycle!</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>English</u></p> <p>Write a message in a bottle! It could be a story, a dairy entry or even a cry for help after being marooned on a desert island!</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Maths</u></p> <p>Count your treasure! If you have a money box at home or find some spare change see if you can recognise the different coins. Sort them into piles and see if you can count each one. You could count in 2s, 5s and 10s.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Music</u></p> <p>Using the login in your reading record go to Essex Music Hub Yumu and complete the Sea shanty recorder playing lessons. If you have managed to play Deep Sea Dance on your recorder then you could video yourself playing.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Art</u></p> <p>Design your own treasure island as a picture or a model.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	

Please complete the enrichment homework and bring it into school to share on Tuesday 24th February.

We will be celebrating all of our work during the open afternoon on that day. Please come along to see all that we have done from 2.30.

The Parents' Role in Homework

DO	DON'T
Listen to them read, or read to them everyday	Complete it for them
Ask them questions to expand their thinking, e.g. What....? When....? Why....? How....?	Make it all about expense (sometimes the cheapest ideas are the best)
Be willing to support their activity by listening to their ideas and suggesting ways forward	
Show them they can achieve	

If you have any questions about the homework please feel free to come and talk to one of us.