

UPKS2 Spring 2020 - Key Skills and Enrichment Homework
In case of school closure, please complete the activities below

Key Skills Homework	
Reading	• It is very important to keep up with daily reading and regular sharing of stories with members of your family or friends. Please continue to read or share a book with an adult daily and write a comment in your home exercise book (which all children have been given) or your reading record. • Please remember to keep up to date with the All Saints' Reading Challenge and your progress through it as well as taking part in the 'Share a Million Stories' campaign. • Use ReadTheory.org to practise answering comprehension style questions. • On Google Classroom we will set several reading comprehensions and reading activities.
Maths	• Weekly work will be set through MyMaths and will be linked into your weekly objectives. • For Year 5 children deadlines for each piece of MyMaths work will be detailed on the work and will be visible when you log into your accounts. • Please keep practising your tables by using TT-Rockstars. • Year 6 children: remember that we have set you all of the Year 6 Booster activities and that you need to choose activities that are based on topics that you have identified in class as areas for development.
Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling (GPS)	• The children should be regularly practising all of their Year 3/4 & Year 5/6 statutory words from their spelling lists. Children could be tested (8-10 words at a time) in the back of their home exercise book as we do in school. • All children have been given login details for www.spag.com where they can complete Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling activities, which will be set weekly.
Writing	• There are a few writing activities in the Enrichment Homework below. • On Google Classroom we will set several creative writing activities. Please use your home exercise book (which all children have been given) to complete these activities in.

As well as the activities above, which will help you to practise the core curriculum skills, please also have a go at a selection of the activities below which were part of our Enrichment Homework and we have added a few more activities.

Enrichment Homework

Get ready for trip into space... You are going on a spaceship and can only take 10 things with you. What will you take? Either write or draw them in your suitcase. You are going to meet some aliens on another planet. What 10 things would you take as presents for them? Draw them in a gift box.	Be a Space Poet... Use the vast expanse of space and our own beautiful solar system as inspiration for a poem. Why not do an acrostic poem using the names of the planets in the solar system. You could write a shape poem using the topic as inspiration or have a go at writing a free-verse poem or even an epic poem about a story in space.
Design your own space mobile... Using whatever media you would like, design and produce a space mobile representation of our solar system. Think about the planets we have in our solar systems and which of them have moons etc. Do not forget to design how it can be hung up and how will it move. Good luck!	Be a Space Chef... Bake your own space themed cookies or biscuits. They could be star, rocket or planet shaped. They could even include space rocks such as popping candy! Write up the recipe or film yourself making your recipe. Feel free to share your biscuits with your teacher!!
Be a NASA Space Engineer... Make a 3-D model of a lunar space rocket using whatever media you would like. Remember to think about how the rocket will re-enter the Earth's atmosphere? Will it need a parachute? What special features will it need? Once you have made your model, why not draw some detailed diagrams with labels to tell people about your rocket or use other media to display or test your rocket by dropping it from a significant height.	Be a Space author... • Write a space adventure themed story. • Write a story about an alien visiting Earth. • Write a newspaper report on the moon landing.
	Be a Space mathematician... • Draw a space scene using only 2D shapes. • Create some space-themed word problems or quiz? • Work out the distance of each planet from the sun in miles, kilometres, and metres.
Create a masterpiece that is 'Out of This World'! Look at the works of famous abstract artist Wassily Kandinsky. This website may help https://www.wassily-kandinsky.org Be inspired by his use of shape and colour to create your own space themed masterpiece. Kandinsky's work 'Several Circles' is just one that you may use as inspiration but remember that art can not be wrong and to let your creativity flow! Your work could be created using paint, pastel, colouring pencils or even a collage- you could even consider being eco- friendly and reusing materials that would otherwise be heading for the bin!	Become a modern space artist Roy Lichtenstein was an artist famous for his comic book style. You can find out more about him at www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-roy-lichtenstein. His artwork used brightly coloured lines and dots to create striking and eye- catching images. Could you recreate his style and introduce a space theme? You could draw a rocket blasting off or a space rover travelling across an unexplored planet. Lichtenstein often included words in his art works (google 'Whaam, 1963') so you could even incorporate your new lettering skills.