St Mark's Weekly Learning & Homework - "This week, we'll be...."

Week Beginning: Monday 11th November 2024

Year	What we are learning	Homework
Year 1	 In English, we are using the story 'The Great Explorer' as inspiration for our sentence writing and will be choosing our verbs and adjectives carefully for exciting impact on the reader. In maths, we will be maths detectives, solving simple word problems and deciding whether we need to add or subtract to calculate the solution. In Computing, we will be learning that devices around us have inputs and outputs and will have a go at being a virtual assistant. We will also be visiting the Book Fair on Monday 11th November. 	 Reading at least four times a week. Oxford Owl - please complete the quiz. Numbots: please aim for 20 minutes over the week. The logins for these are at the back of the green reading logs:)
Year 2	 We will be continuing to investigate causes of the great fire of London by looking at different sources of information. In English, we will be exploring ideas around our current text 'The Crow's Tale'. In Maths, we will be continuing exploring different strategies to add and subtract! In science, we will be investigating waterproof materials. 	 Reading at least four times a week Numbots or TTRSs: please aim for 20 minutes over the week. Oxford Owl - for those on RWI phonics. Spelling shed: please complete the tasks set online.
Year 3	 In English, we will be continuing to retell the first chapter of the Iron Man story by Ted Hughes In Maths, the children will be completing their unit on addition and subtraction by consolidating their skills and knowledge of the column method including exchanging In Science, the children will build on their existing knowledge of frictional force to then learn about magnetism and what types of metals are magnetic 	 Reading at least four times a week TTRSs: please aim for 20 minutes over the week. Spelling shed: please complete the tasks set online.
Year 4	 In Geography, we will be exploring how rivers shape the land through processes like erosion and deposition. In English, we continue our sentence stacking lessons based on the picture book the journey. In D&T, we start to look at how we fasten together pieces of material. 	 Reading at least four times a week TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week. Spelling shed: please complete the tasks set online.
Year 5	 In Maths, we will be beginning our fraction unit - looking specifically at equivalent fractions and then beginning to convert between mixed and improper fractions too. English next week will involve writing the next part of our holiday brochures - persuading tourists to visit 	 Reading at least four times a week TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week. Spelling shed: please complete the tasks set online.

	 England! Science will involve another experiment where we will be finding out which materials are the best heat conductors. 	Weekly SPAG Homework will begin after Christmas
Year 6	We will be enjoying a great week at Osmington Bay!	 Reading at least four times a week. Spelling shed: please complete the tasks set online. TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week.
		CGP Books: English: None Maths: None