



# Class 3 Homework

## Homework books to be handed in on **Wednesdays**

<p><b>Spellings and Handwriting</b></p>	<p><b>Handwriting:</b> Please make sure that the children are taking care with their handwriting in any writing they do (including spellings). It is important that the children practise the formation of words as well as the letters.</p> <p><b>Spellings:</b> We send home a weekly list of spellings for the children to practise. These are tested in school on a Thursday each week.</p> <p>To aid the learning of these spellings, can I suggest the following process until the spelling is secure: <b>Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check</b></p> <p>Please encourage your child to explore other words in these groups if they are ready to be extended. <a href="http://www.spellingcity.com">www.spellingcity.com</a> is a super website is also available to help your child learn their spellings, as they can enter their weekly spellings and it will generate word searches and games etc.</p>
<p><b>Reading</b></p>	<p>20 minutes a day across a wide range of texts (stories, newspapers, poetry, magazines etc). <b>Please see our recommended reading list on our class web page.</b></p> <p>Please do complete the reading record with your child, as these are checked in school along with their comprehension.</p> <p>To be working within the expected standard, we need to be demonstrating the following objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Read, listen to and discuss a wide range of age-appropriate fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books.</li><li>• Read books that are structured in different ways for a range of purposes.</li><li>• Read aloud with intonation which shows understanding.</li></ul>
<p><b>Literacy and Maths</b></p>	<p>We send home weekly homework which continues from the Maths and Literacy work we have been doing in class.</p> <p>We also hold weekly multiplication challenges, focusing on the children's recall of their times tables. Here are three websites which are full of games that you can use to help your child learn their multiplication facts. <a href="http://www.maths-games.org/times-tables-games.html">http://www.maths-games.org/times-tables-games.html</a> <a href="http://www.transum.org/Tables/Times_Tables.asp">www.transum.org/Tables/Times_Tables.asp</a> <a href="http://www.transum.org/Software/Tablesmaster/">www.transum.org/Software/Tablesmaster/</a></p> <p>When your child is secure with times tables, can I recommend that they further develop their mental recall skills by looking at <a href="http://www.conkermaths.org">www.conkermaths.org</a> and clicking the link to their KIFS's (Key Instant Recall Facts).</p>

## **Useful websites**

[www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2](http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2)

[www.mymaths.co.uk](http://www.mymaths.co.uk) – Maths games

[www.activelearnprimary.co.uk](http://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk) – Maths games and homework

[www.thinkuknow.co.uk](http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk) – Internet safety games

[www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years](http://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years) – Maths and Literacy games

[www.spellingcity.com](http://www.spellingcity.com) – Spelling games

<http://www.maths-games.org/times-tables-games.html> – Times Tables games

[www.transum.org/Tables/Times\\_Tables.asp](http://www.transum.org/Tables/Times_Tables.asp) – Times Tables games

[www.transum.org/Software/Tablesmaster](http://www.transum.org/Software/Tablesmaster) – Times Tables games

## **Useful apps (free)**

10 minutes a day Times Tables

Sentopiary Lite (grammar)

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Spell fix Year 3-6

Spell Bot Lite