



Knypersley First School

Year 1 - Homework Menu — Autumn 2




Set Menu: spellings, daily reading, phonics practice

We will be looking for children to read at least three times a week at home with their parents. Listening to them read will enable them to grow in confidence as they become fluent readers. Remember to give them lots of praise—celebrate their success! If they can't read a word, read it to them. After they have finished, talk about the book together. As part of our homework policy we recommend that children read for 5-10 minutes each night. Please can you continue to record this in your child's home school links book. If your child is reluctant to read, they could listen to audio books. We want them to foster a love of books,. So please don't underestimate the value of reading to your child. We are all very grateful for your support.

Added Extras:

We will encourage your child to complete as many of the activities from the menu as they like at home, but NO LESS than 3 over the half term, This can be recorded (if appropriate) in our homework books. We will ask for homework books in during the last week of each half term in order for us to share and celebrate this learning.

Research It	Play it	Perform it
Find out about different types of trees. Find out about the weather—could you make a weather diary? Find out about a woodland creature/animal.	Make your own hopscotch and play. Make your own nature skittles. Play an alphabet I spy..	Perform a poem about Autumn. Sing the alphabet song. Make up an Autumn themed dance.
Present it	Write it	Nurture it
Draw/create a picture of your house. Draw a map of your route to school—what do you go past? Create a poster about Autumn. Create a poster about woodland animals/ creatures.	Write a poem about Autumn. Write a sentence about your favourite woodland creature./animal. Write instructions for a squirrel or hedgehog to get ready for their hibernation.	Do something that makes you happy—make a cake, ride your bike... Go on a nature walk—what Autumnal things can you find? Watch the clouds, can you spot any faces/shapes/ animals?
Visit it	<div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	
Visit the park/ woodland areas near your home. Visit Biddulph Grange Nature Park. Explore the features of our town.		
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