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Year 5 tasks to complete at home – Week 2

We use a number of online programmes to support the children's learning. The children have been given a copy of their login details.

www.readingeggs.co.uk

www.trockstars.co.uk

www.numbots.co.uk

www.purplemash.com (computing)

<https://charanga.com/yumu> (music)

Reading - Aim to do one a day

- Your child can continue to read a chapter from their home reading book or a book that they have borrowed from the library.
- After this, ask your child to write a short review detailing their likes and dislikes about the novel so far. Encourage them to justify their opinion with examples from the text.
- Encourage your child to record any words that have captured their interest from the chapter that they have read. They can write antonyms for these words.
- Challenge your child to read to another member of the family. This doesn't have to be a book so they can be as imaginative as they wish.
- Your child can visit [authorfy](http://authorfy.com). Join the website so that they can access videos, author masterclasses and other activities over the next few weeks.

Writing - Aim to do one a day

- Ask your child to write a diary entry/newspaper report summarising the events from the day. This time, this must be the events for another family member.
- Your child must choose one of the local locations below and create a persuasive leaflet about this place. Places they could write about are: The Bull Ring, Cadbury World, Sarehole Mill or another place that interests them.
- Encourage your child to think of a local significant individual from the city or they can choose from the selection below. They can then write a set of questions to interview that person. Challenge your child by asking them to answer the questions in role as that person. People they could choose from are: George Cadbury, Joseph Chamberlain or Benjamin Zephaniah.
- **HS2 (The high speed railway line) should continue to be built.** Do you agree/disagree? Your child can write an argument about this statement.
- **Story Task:** Your child can now invent a new character for their very own story. They must think about the setting they created last week and how their character would fit in to this. They must also consider the audience they want their story to appeal to.

Spelling and Grammar - Aim to do one a day

- Encourage your child to practise the Year 5/ 6 Common Exception Words (see list)
- Then ask your child to choose 5 Common Exception words. They can then write a synonym, antonym, the meaning and an example of how to use the word in a sentence.
- Practise spellings on [Spelling Frame](#).
- Your child can create a vocabulary bank about the area they live in. They may want to use this for some of their writing tasks this week.
- Get your child to proofread their writing from the day. They can use a dictionary to check the spelling of any words that they found challenging. This will also enable them to check that the meaning of the word is suitable for the sentence.

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Maths - Aim to do one a day

- Working on [Times Table Rockstars](#). If your child works on [Numbots](#) in school they can access this with the same login.
- Get a piece of paper and show everything you know about multiplication and division. This could be pictures, diagrams, explanations, methods etc. Be as creative as you want to be.
- Practise knowledge of [multiples](#) by placing them into this Carroll diagram.
- [Arithmetic practise](#) on Maths Frame.
- Research how many people live in your area, city, county etc. What is the difference between each amount? Which is the biggest and why?
- Look at the different house types on your street (e.g. detached, flats, semi-detached). Create a bar chart or pie chart showing this information.
- Get your child to work on their [reasoning and problem solving](#) by practising past SATs questions that are broken down into topic areas and have videos linked to them that can be watched if needed. As these are older papers these are suitable for both years 5 and 6. Click on one of the topic areas listed to gain access to the questions.

There are other useful Maths websites that you can find activities on that you might like to try.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z826n39>

<https://www.coolmathgames.com/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/ordering-and-sequencing-numbers>

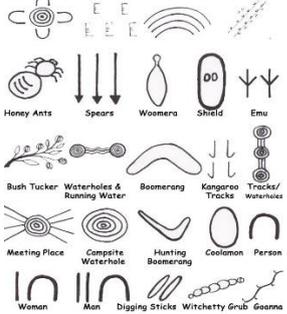
Design and Technology Task for the Week

Food Hygiene – hand washing and gathering equipment

- Papier-mâché- Could you create a planet from our solar system with the use of papier-mâché/ Maybe you could design a model of all the planets in our solar system.

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<p>Aboriginal Art- The aboriginal people of Australia made maps of their local areas.</p> <p>Can you make an aboriginal map of your house? Can you make a map of school/building of your choice? Hint: They used symbols like this</p> 	<p>Can you write your own reflection for the time you spend at <u>home</u> <i>Gossey Lane's Reflection</i></p> <p>Give me the strength and courage today and everyday To do the things I must, even those I don't enjoy To do as I am asked and what I know is right To be honest and fair in all I do and say To consider others' needs, vein selfless everyday To treat others' feelings with gentleness and grace To look every challenge bravely in the face To see what is right without looking to blame To open my mind and door to change.</p>	<p>Healthy Me – Create a spider diagram of different things that children can do to stay healthy.</p>
<p>Science Come up with a way to remember the planets in our solar system. They start with M,V,E,M,J,S,U,N can you make a song or sentence with the first letters of the planets.</p>		

Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

Classroom Secrets Learning Packs - These packs are split into different year groups and include activities linked to reading, writing, maths and practical ideas you can do around the home.

Twinkl - to access these resources click on the link and sign up using your own email address and creating your own password. Use the offer code UKTWINKLHELPS.

Headteacherchat - This is a blog that has links to various learning platforms. Lots of these are free to access.

Additional year 5 work can be found here: <https://www.theschoolrun.com/>

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