

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

Week Beginning: Monday 5th May 2025

Year	What we are learning	Homework
<b>Year 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We will continue to develop our story writing skills based around a story called 'The King's Crown'. We will be thinking carefully about the adjectives we use and how to add that little bit of extra detail to excite the reader!</li> <li>In maths, we are continuing to work on equal groups and how they can help keep our counting accurate and also quicker. We are working hard at counting forwards and backwards in 2s, 5s and 10s as well.</li> <li>In PE we are refining our skills ready for sports day, including jumping, skipping and sprinting.</li> <li>We are using the concept of the seaside as inspiration for music this half term. We will be using our bodies and voices to create different sea sounds and reflecting on how different pieces of music sound like the sea.</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reading at least four times a week.</li> <li>2. <a href="#">Oxford Owl</a> - please complete the quiz.</li> <li>3. <a href="#">Numbots</a>: please aim for 20 minutes over the week.</li> </ol> <p>The logins for these are at the back of the green reading logs :)</p>
<b>Year 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In maths, we will be continuing to learn about fractions. We will be looking at how to find a quarter, half and third of a number.</li> <li>In geography, we will be continuing to explore Tanzania where we will be looking at the physical features of Loliondo.</li> <li>In PE, we will be practising some of our sports day races ready for the end of May!</li> <li>Hope you all enjoy the Bank Holiday Monday!</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reading at least four times a week</li> <li>2. <a href="#">Numbots</a> or <a href="#">TTRSs</a>: please aim for 20 minutes over the week.</li> <li>3. <a href="#">Oxford Owl</a> - for those on RWI phonics.</li> <li>4. <a href="#">Spelling shed</a>: please complete the tasks set online.</li> </ol>
<b>Year 3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In computing we will be continuing to learn how to send emails, this week focusing on adding attachments.</li> <li>In science we are learning about the parts of flowers and their functions. We will hopefully be dissecting lilies to find out all about this!</li> <li>In Book Club we will look at a new text called 'Diary of a Victorian Child'. Our comprehension theme this half term is all about the privilege of education.</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reading at least four times a week</li> <li>2. <a href="#">TTRSs</a>: please aim for 20 minutes over the week.</li> <li>3. <a href="#">Spelling shed</a>: please complete the tasks set online.</li> </ol>
<b>Year 4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In English, we will be planning and writing our own emotive piece of writing based on the Disney short 'Lava'. We will work on including fronted adverbials and accurate speech punctuation to help us tell our story from the viewpoint of the female volcano.</li> <li>In maths, we will continue our work on decimals and fractions with a focus on tenths and hundredths.</li> <li>In our geography, we will be learning what causes volcanoes and in computing we will be finding out how data from sensors can help us predict extreme</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reading at least four times a week</li> <li>2. <a href="#">TTRSs</a>: please aim for 30 minutes over the week.</li> <li>3. <a href="#">Spelling shed</a>: please complete the tasks set online.</li> </ol>

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<b>Year 5</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● In Maths next week, the children will be learning all about angles! How to estimate angles, measure angles on a protractor, calculating missing angles on a straight line and missing angles in a full turn.</li> <li>● In English, the children will be finishing their newspaper articles about the Fairsea ship and beginning to plan their own independent news articles - all about the Windrush ship arriving in Britain for the first time!</li> <li>● We will be continuing with our Black and British unit in History by looking at the Slave Trade and how Britons were involved in it.</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reading at least four times a week</li> <li>2. <a href="#">TTRSs</a>: please aim for 30 minutes over the week.</li> <li>3. <a href="#">Spelling shed</a>: please complete the tasks set online.</li> <li>4. CGP SPAG book - due Wednesday</li> </ol>
<b>Year 6</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● In both our maths and English lessons, we will now be covering lots of areas as we revise key skills and knowledge across the Key Stage 2 curriculum.</li> <li>● Forest school will continue this week for each Y6 class.</li> <li>● PE will focus further on the skills needed to play netball (Friday lessons for each class).</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reading at least four times a week.</li> <li>2. <a href="#">Spelling shed</a>: please complete the tasks set online.</li> <li>3. <a href="#">TTRSs</a>: please aim for 30 minutes over the week.</li> </ol> <p><b>CGP Books:</b>  English: English CGP book pages 64 - 75  Maths: CGP Geometry pages 1, 2, 4, 5, 15 and 16.</p>