

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

Week Beginning: Monday 16th March 2026

Remember, The logins for these are at the back of the green reading logs :)

You may also want to look at the half-termly Agents of Change tasks [here](#).

Year	What we are learning	Homework
Year 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● In English we will be starting a new unit of work based on the story "Naughty Bus" by Jan Oke.● In maths we will continue to learn to measure accurately using cms.● In history we will continue our journey through the history of transport.● In D&T we will design and make a vehicle with wheels and axles.● Also, we will be making rockets in week five. Please save a plastic drink bottle for your child to decorate. Any size is fine. Please wash it out before sending it in, and include the lid. Thank you.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Reading at least four times a week.2. Numbots: please aim for 20 minutes over the week.3. Spelling shed: please complete the homework sheet and the tasks set online.
Year 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● In English, we will be continuing to explore our descriptive language using the text 'The Tunnel'.● In Maths, we will continue to look at measures learning to weigh using grams.● In art, we will continue to explore folk art particularly focusing on colour, shape and pattern. The children will be using water colour and wax crayon to create a resist effect.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Reading at least four times a week2. Numbots or TTRSs: please aim for 20 minutes over the week.3. Spelling shed: please complete the homework sheet and the tasks set online.
Year 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● In English, we will be completing our independent writing based on 'The Incredible Book Eating Boy' by Oliver Jeffers, where we will be writing from the parents' perspective. We will also begin our new unit on non-chronological reports.● In maths, we will be starting a new unit on measures and scales.● In science, we will be thinking about nutrition in humans and what we need to eat to keep our bodies healthy.● In DT, we will be completing our textile projects, using applique, cross stitch and running stitch to create our nature inspired tapestries.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Reading at least four times a week2. TTRSs: please aim for 20 minutes over the week.3. Spelling shed: please complete the homework sheet and the tasks set online.
Year 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● In maths this week we will be looking at finding fractions of amounts.● We continue our English unit on 'How to be a viking' by looking at the features of a non - chronological report.● On Wednesday, we finally go on our residential to	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Reading at least four times a week2. TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week.3. Spelling shed: please complete the homework sheet

	<p>Ufton Court. We are so excited to be able to immerse ourselves in Viking history, especially re-enacting the battle between the Anglo Saxons and Vikings and taking part in a Viking feast.</p>	<p>and the tasks set online.</p>
Year 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In Maths, we will be starting our new unit on perimeter and area. ● In English, we will continue writing about Nanuk, the polar bear, with a focus on using dashes for parenthesis. ● In Geography, we will be exploring the question, 'How do people live and work in Basingstoke and Annecy?' 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reading at least four times a week 2. TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week. 3. Spelling shed: please complete the homework sheet and the tasks set online. <i>SPAG Pages: 46 & 47</i> <i>Due: 19.03.26</i>
Year 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● We will continue with our Maya story where Pik has to beat the god of rain in a pok-a-tok match. We will be revising sentence structures and the punctuation of direct and reported speech in these lessons. ● Our maths lessons will complete our unit on percentages (finding the whole number if a percentage of the number is given to us e.g. 20% of a number is 5. What is the whole number?) We will then move on to finding the areas and perimeters of rectilinear shapes. ● In history, we explore the fall of the Maya civilisation. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reading at least four times a week. 2. Spelling shed: please complete the homework sheet and the tasks set online. 3. TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week. <p>CGP Books: English: Poetry pages 20 -25 Maths: Arithmetic pages 46 & 47 plus separate maths sheet</p>