

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

Week Beginning: Monday 28th September 2026

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

Year	What we are learning	Homework	Spellings
Year 1	- In English this week we will think about the senses as a starting point for our poetry unit. - A reminder about library days: 1D Mondays (from 5th October) 1BM and 1B - Fridays - In maths we are continuing to learn about numbers to 10 with an informal assessment at the end of the week. - In RE we are learning about the importance of rules in the Jewish faith.	- Reading at least four times a week. Numbots: please aim for 20 minutes over the week. Agents of Change on GC There is currently no homework on Spelling Shed.	For Mon 5th October: catch batch fetch ditch pitch kitchen
Year 2	- In English we will independently write our own ending to the alternative version of The 3 Little Pigs and the Big Bad Wolf. - Our science focus this week will be all about plastic. We will explore the varying properties and look at the concept of natural and man-made materials. - In HeartSmart we will explore the concept of having a helpful and caring heart.	- Reading at least four times a week Numbots or TTRSs: please aim for 20 minutes over the week. - Spellings practise: complete the take-home sheet and optional Spelling shed task. Agents of Change on GC	For Mon 5th Oct: city, ice, circle, race, space, fancy, one, once, put, no
Year 3	- In English, we are beginning a new instruction writing unit called 'How to wash a woolly mammoth'. It is a fun unit where the children will create inventive ways to wash the mammoth. We will work on using imperative (bossy) verbs. - In maths, we will begin our new unit on addition by looking at number bonds and adding ones. - In RE, we will look at how Hindu's celebrate good overcoming evil. - In art, we will be creating secondary colours and using these to create a sunset.	- Reading at least four times a week TTRSs: please aim for 20 minutes over the week. - Spellings practise: complete the take-home sheet and optional Spelling shed task. Agents of Change on GC	For Mon 28th September: gym, myth, Egypt, pyramid mystery, symbol, synonym lyrics, system, gymnastics For Mon 5th October: capture, sculpture, fracture mixture, picture, adventure creature, nature, natural unnatural
Year 4	- In English, we will be beginning our unit on non-chronological reports. We will be retrieving the children's historical knowledge from their Year 3 Roman topic to help write these reports. - In maths, we will be developing our knowledge of Roman Numerals through looking at Roman Numerals to 100. - In science, we will be continuing our topic on the Digestive System and explore the different food groups for a healthy balanced diet.	- Reading at least four times a week TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week. - Spellings practise: complete the take-home sheet and optional Spelling shed task. Agents of Change on GC	For Fri 2nd October : submerge, substandard, subtitle, subdivide, subheading, submarine, watch, watched, said, lady.
Year 5	- We will be moving onto our new unit of work which focuses on addition and subtraction. The children will practice both mental and written methods of adding numbers in the thousands - In English, we will finish off our independent	- Reading at least four times a week TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week. - Spellings practise: complete the take-home	For testing on Mon 28th September: special, especially, artificial, beneficial, facial, crucial exercise, arrive, circle, famous

	writing and then start an exciting new unit! • In science, our focus will be on the moon and how this moves in relation to the Earth. • In music, we will find out and begin to play a 'walking bass line'.	sheet and optional Spelling shed task. 4. Agents of Change on GC	For testing on Mon 5th October: confidential, essential, potential, residential, torrential, influential, centre, grammar, particular, straight
Year 6	• Next week, we look forward to continue writing our incredible motivation speeches all about climate change, inspired by Greta Thunberg. • In Science, we start to look at microorganisms, how to classify them and what the different types are. • Maths involves securing some known methods and vocabulary from Year 5 include primes, squares, cubes and short multiplication.	1. Reading at least four times a week 2. TTRSs: please aim for 30 minutes over the week. 3. Spellings practise: complete the take-home sheet and optional Spelling shed task. 4. Agents of Change on GC	For Fri 2nd October: Opportunity, variety, government, recognise, leisure, equipped, awkward, bargain, bruise, category