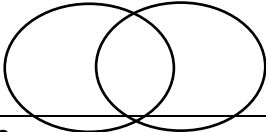





Woodpeckers Homework Grid – Spring Term 2026

In addition to spellings, times tables practice and reading EACH HALF TERM, the children should choose

3 HOMEWORK ACTIVITIES from the following: Please choose one from each area – Maths, English and Topic

The children’s homework will be shared and celebrated with the class in the last week of each half-term.

Maths	English	Topic	Topic										
<p>On squared paper, draw 5 different rectangles with the same area and label each. You will need to plan carefully which area you will use. The length and width do not have to be whole centimetres. Draw a table in which you can record the length, width, perimeter and area of each rectangle.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="114 770 589 826"> <thead> <tr> <th>Rectangle</th> <th>Area</th> <th>Length</th> <th>Width</th> <th>Perimeter</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>(Please ask if you would like some squared paper to do this)</p>	Rectangle	Area	Length	Width	Perimeter						<p>Imagine you are a Roman gladiator. Write a diary entry about your first day in a battle. How did you feel at the beginning of the day? What happened during the battle? Did you use weapons? Did you win your battle? If so, what helped you win? How did you feel at the end of the day?</p>	<p>Science Can you sort 8-12 appliances found in your home? Create a Venn diagram to sort items into these categories: uses mains electric, uses batteries and the middle section would be for appliances that can use both mains electric and batteries. The outside would be for non-electrical appliances</p> 	<p>History Design a Roman inspired mosaic. You can make this with pencil crayons, felt tip pens, paper squares or any other medium you have at home.</p> 
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<p>I need to make a mosaic picture. My space is 50cm high and 40 cm wide. Each tile is 1cm by 1cm. How many tiles do I need? I need half my tiles to be brown, quarter to be blue, an eighth to be green and an eighth to be white. How many tiles of each colour do I need? Can I make my picture any other size while still using the same number of tiles?</p>	<p>Up-level the following sentence: I went to the zoo. Can you up-level these 5 different ways? You could add an adjective, an adverb, a fronted adverbial, a subordinating clause, a conjunction. Or you could change the verb, or punctuation.</p>	<p>Science Create a poster or PowerPoint presentation about fossils. It could include: What are they? How are they formed? Where might I find one? Any other interesting facts you can find about fossils.</p>	<p>History Design a Roman Soldiers helmet or shield. You can draw or make your design.</p>  										
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<p>Find an assortment of 8-10 containers from around your home, work out the capacity for each container and then list them in order from smallest to largest capacity.</p> <p>e.g. Egg cup – 35ml Mug – 300ml Bucket – 5000ml</p>	<p>Write some instructions on how to survive if an earthquake strikes. Where is the safest place for me to go? What supplies would I need? Do you have any top tips?</p>	<p>PSHE (Computing) Create a poster or leaflet teaching people about how to stay safe online.</p> <p>What should I be careful of? What signs should I look for to tell me something may not be safe / real? What should I do if I am concerned?</p>	<p>Music (History / Geography) Compose your own piece of music or write a song linking it to the romans or extreme weather (volcanoes, earthquakes). What notes will you use? What tempo will it have? Does it have a repeating pattern-ostinato? Can you layer it like a round?</p>
<p>Create and complete a times table grid for all the times tables from 1 to 12? Do you have any tips for learning your times tables?</p>	<p>Think of a traditional fairy tale. Can you retell the story but with a surprise twist at the end? Will Goldilocks be eaten by the bears? Will the prince meet someone else instead of Cinderella? Will the wolf be scared of Little Red Riding hood?</p>	<p>RE / School Values</p> <p>Write a prayer about one of our values for this term.</p> <p>This terms values are: Compassion, Friendship, Fairness, Honesty, Humility, Respect, Endurance, Reliability, Integrity and Trust</p>	<p>Geography</p> <p>Draw a detailed picture or make a model of volcano. What features does it need? What happens when a volcano erupts?</p>
<p>Follow a recipe, measure and weigh out the ingredients yourself. Set the temperature of the oven and set a timer. Then once you have finished, take a photograph and send to me on dojo.</p>	<p>Can you find more interesting vocabulary? Create word banks of 6 different synonyms for each of the words below? e.g. sat – slumped, perched, flopped, collapsed, settled, squatted</p> <p>Said Walked Ate Saw Big Small Can you present this in an interesting way?</p>	<p>RE</p> <p>Choose a religious festival.</p> <p>Create an invitation to invite someone who is not from that religion to their festival.</p> <p>Tell them: What happens at the festival Why they celebrate the festival How long the festival lasts</p>	<p>Art</p> <p>Choose an item to draw</p> <p>Create a three-dimensional effect by using contrasting tones to show light and dark. Try to combine lines and marks to represent different textures.</p> <p>Can you use lines and marks in different ways to represent dark and light areas?</p>