



Set Menu: Timetables, spellings, daily reading, phonics practice

We will be looking for children to be reading at home with their parents. Listening to children read will enable them to grow in confidence as they become fluent readers. Once children are able to read fluently, and with expression, hold discussions around their comprehension of the texts, (we will provide a bank of ideas to support this). If your child is reluctant to read, they could listen to audio books. We want them to foster a love of books, so please don't underestimate the value of reading to your child.

We are all very grateful for your support.

Added Extras:

We will encourage your child to complete as many of the activities from the menu as they like at home, but NO LESS than 3 over the half term, This can be recorded (if appropriate) in our homework books. We will ask for homework books in during the last week of each half term in order for us to share and celebrate this learning.

Read it	Research it	Design it
<p>Our topic this half term is Ug and is all about the Stone Age. We would like you to read any book, magazines, websites or comics about the Stone Age.</p> <p>Here are some suggestions: Horrible Histories: Savage Stone Age Look Inside the Stone Age. www.DkFindout.com/uk/history/stone-age/</p>	<p>Research the Stone Age using iPads, computers, phones, books, magazines and talking to experts (your parents). Don't forget the Lending Library.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What animals were around in the Stone Age? • What would a Stone Age meal look like? • What were the dangers in the Stone Age? • Would Stone Age people be healthy? Explain. 	<p>Design your own Stone Age animal.</p> <p>Think about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How does it live? • What does it look like? • What does it eat? • How does it move? <p>Don't forget to label your design.</p>
Practise it	Write it	Make it
<p>Practise your directions: left, right, forwards, backwards, North, South, East, West.</p> <p>Can you think of a rhyme for NESW?</p> <p>Can you link the rhyme to our topic?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can you write a Stone Age survival guide? Be as creative as you want. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What should you find? • Where should you go? • What can you eat? <p>Don't forget to use your research!</p>	<p>Can you make a map of a Stone Age settlement?</p> <p>Think about your research, what animals/dangers are nearby, map directions, things you have read, where your own animal could live?</p>