



Year 6



Autumn 1: Learning opportunities: Changes

Choose the activities you would like to complete.

Please remember this homework grid is full of **OPTIONAL** activities that might extend your learning or allow you to follow a line of enquiry that you are most interested in.

You may even think of an activity of your own that is linked to your learning in school and we would love to see what you produce. We know that many of you are busy after school and at weekends so please don't worry if you don't get to these activities.

We will set spellings and Maths homework and encourage daily reading.

<u>Spellings</u>	<u>Maths</u>	<u>Writing:</u>	<u>Reading:</u>	<u>Computing:</u>	<u>Science: Evolution and inheritance</u>
Practise the Year3/4 and Year 5/6 statutory word lists, using games that we have learnt in school.	You could help your child at home by allowing them to play on TT Rockstars. This will help them with the fluency of their timetables. 'Hit the button' is also another online activity on the Topmarks website. Prodigy Maths supports all areas of Maths	Write a book review/poster discussing a book you are reading at the moment or a book you have read previously, for us to display in our reading areas. Write your own poem based on one of the forms we have looked at in class.	Try to make sure you are reading regularly at home, ideally every day. This could be quiet reading to yourself or reading out loud to somebody else. Find your favourite poem and recite / perform to the class. Listen to a book you are familiar with being read aloud on youtube or audible. Decide if you think it is being read well or not? Record yourself reading aloud and see if you sound fluent and expressive! Could you get a job as an audiobook narrator?	You could help your child to develop their touch-typing skills by enjoying BBC dance mat typing BBC Bitesize	Write a biography / create a biographical poster of Charles Darwin. Create a travel brochure for the Galapagos Islands – think about the climate, the wildlife, the natural landscape etc. Research an animal that has adapted to its environment – the more unusual the better! Make up your own creature and explain how it has adapted to its surroundings. Research Mary Anning and her importance. Present as a powerpoint, poster or newspaper article

Other projects and ideas

Use the internet or books to research facts about climate change and global warming.

Design a poster about why people have emigrated in the past – the reasons behind their move and the countries they emigrated to.



Investigate the main countries that Britain trade with. Produce a poster to show the main products that Britain import and export. Can you show these on a map of the world.



Explore famous street artists and their work.

Find some books that linked to refugees and share them with your classmates.

Have a look at the Newsletter for this half term, can you investigate further one of the subjects that you are interested in.

Please remember the grid is optional but your child may be rewarded with house points for their efforts.