Rewrite our story 'We're going on a lion hunt' with a new animal! It could be a cat, dog, fox, penguin, elephant, any animal!

Can you use a shoe box to create a diorama of the Arctic or the Sahara Desert?

Show us your knowledge time! Can you make a clock and tell the time to the hour and half past the hour?

Go on a hunt in your garden or at the local park. What wild and common plants can you see? What deciduous and evergreen trees can you see? You could record them down by drawing a picture of the plants and trees.

Honeybees and Frogs Class

Pick and Mix Homework

Term 6

Handwriting - We are focusing on our handwriting and making sure we form our

Create a fact file

about an animal

from the Arctic or

the Sahara!

Check out the Little Wandle website for the handwriting rhymes to help!

letters correctly.

<u>www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents</u>

Make a piece of artwork showing nature or using nature! You could use leaves to make a picture or you could sketch/paint flowers. The possibilities are endless!

# **Essential Homework**

### To be done EVERY DAY!

-Read for 10 minutes.-Practise your sounds on your phonics keyring.- Practise your tricky words.

All work to be brought in on

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> June

Parents welcome in on Wednesday

2<sup>nd</sup> July

## Year One Homework: Pick and Mix Home Learning

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At Haydon Wick, we have four golden threads, which are woven through all we do and all the teaching decisions we make. We are a values-based school, and we have 22 core values we focus on but at the heart of our values we have the 3R's -

### Respect, Resilience and Responsibility.

With these golden threads and core values at the heart of everything we do, we have considered our homework and have developed a clear plan of our expectations for the year 2023 - 2024.

### Weekly Expectations in Frogs and Honeybees Class

Each week we expect the children to:

- Read to an adult every day and record this in the reading record.
  - Practise phonics sounds at least 5 times a week.
- Play on NUMBOTS at least once a week log in is in the back of your child's reading record.

Practising reading and playing on NUMBOTS will help develop our children in English and Maths and help them to become lifelong learners, who have the skills knowledge, and curiosity needed to take full advantage of every opportunity in life. Talking about their reading or having discussions about spellings and their meanings or how they can be used in sentences will help ensure our children's <a href="mailto:language">language</a> is developed.

#### Pick and Mix Homework

At Haydon Wick, we also set Pick and Mix homework once a term. We aim to send these out before the holidays or in the first week of the new term to ensure sufficient time to complete it. We believe this homework enriches our children allowing them to gain further knowledge of the topics in school. We feel that the pick and mix style homework is *inclusive* as it allows every child to achieve and demonstrate their own potential and gives children <u>responsibility</u> in choosing the homework style which suits them best.

We expect ALL children to complete at least one of the activities from the pick and mix offer. Children are <u>responsible</u> for making

We expect ALL children to complete at least one of the activities from the pick and mix offer. Children are <u>responsible</u> for making sure that the work they complete at home is consistent to the work we see from the child in class. We want everyone to try their best. We hope you all understand our vision for homework. We look forward to seeing wonderful work from the children this year and sharing this with all our parents.

Please bring your completed homework to school on **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> June** Parents are welcome to join us in our classroom from **3.30pm on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** to celebrate the children's wonderful home learning. We will hand over your child first then please pop in to see all the wonderful work. Once you have seen your child's work and the other children's then you are welcome to take your child home.