

Year 5 Homework Overview 2020-21

Welcome to Year 5!

Homework this year will be emailed on a Friday and will be due in class by the following Thursday.

We would like you to complete:

- **Reading** – it is essential that you read as much as possible. Ask an adult to sign your reading record, after you have read, to earn 3 dojos.
- **Spellings** – every week, you will be given a list of 10 spellings to practise at home. You will be tested on these spellings every Friday. Start off by asking an adult to test you, this will then enable you to focus on those words that you don't already know to spell. You can earn 3 dojos each time you show that you have practised.
- **Vocabulary** – we would like you to learn some new words to help with your reading. Find at least 3 words in your reading book that you don't understand the meaning of. Write each word in your reading record book with a definition.
- **Arithmetic** – every week we will set some arithmetic questions for you to try. Please complete these on a piece of paper and bring it back into school. If you are unsure of how to complete a question, or you don't know the method, please ask an adult at home or in school to explain it. We will check through the answers together in school every Thursday. However, it would be a really good idea to ask an adult at home to check your answers, or even use a calculator to check your own. This will help to see which ones you need to spend more time on.
- **Timestables** – every Thursday you will be tested on the timestable challenge that you are currently working on. You will also receive 3 dojo points for any practising that you do – this must be recorded in your reading record book.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding homework, please speak to Mrs Markey and Miss Senior. Class dojo is a great way to keep in touch with us – just send a message and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

Many thanks

The Year 5 Team