

Summer 2 2022
Year 1&2: Animals Around the World HOMEWORK



Make a minibeast habitat. Use a box or container and find natural materials from the environment that would be suitable for a minibeast to live in. Try out your habitat – make sure you release the minibeast afterwards and give it air, food and water to survive.	**Make a board game for the Platinum Jubilee.** Design it in your homework book and decide on some rules of how to play. Play it with someone at home.	**Common Exception Words:** Please practise spelling these words in the Homework Book (use the list from the previous term please). **Put some of these words into written sentences.**
Year 1: Practise the 2, 5 and 10 x table. **Year 2:** Practise the 2, 5, 10 and 3 x table (including division as a challenge).	Draw a simple food chain for some animals that you might find in the wild or in your garden. **Worksheet.**	Complete the **SP&G Mat activity** from the homework book.
Research some habitats around the World and investigate which animals and plants live/grow there. Why do they like it there? What does it provide them with? How are they adapted to living there?	Complete the **money pyramid** using different coins to make the same amount. **Worksheet.**	Go on a nature walk. Make a map of your garden (or a local park, wildlife area). Draw and label (or make a key of) all the natural features – trees, bushes, fields, river, lake, pond, grass etc).

Here is this half term's homework bingo. Can you complete at least 5 activities off the grid by the time we finish for the Summer Holidays? Can you complete them all even?!

Please choose one activity per week to complete at home and **return it to school each Wednesday**. Of course, if you and your child would like to, you can complete more than one activity choice each week. Each time you complete an activity you can cross it off the grid above. You might even like to treat the grid like a game of Bingo and try to complete full lines or even a full house!

Alongside the above homework please do **read regularly with your child** at home and **practise reading and writing common exception words weekly**. We recommend a *minimum of three times a week for reading*. Please record this reading in the diary using the question sheet sent home at the beginning of the year (available on the school website). Please ask your child's class teacher if you require a new sheet or if you need any more Big Cat books for your child's bookshelf: https://ops.collinsopenpage.com (or if you need the log-in details again – sent to your child's welearn account last year – it will still be there!)

There are lots of games and tasks available on **Purple Mash** (remember to sign in through the **welearn365.com website > select Water Orton Primary School > type in the log-in details at the front of your child's diary**). Your child also has a **Times Tables Rockstars** account (log-ins in the front of the diary also) to practice those multiplication tables if you so choose.