

Caterpillar Homework Menu

Summer Term



Project: Over and Under

Your child will have a homework book with their log in details for Times *Table Rock Stars* and *Seesaw*. Please keep the homework book in your child's bag as we will be sticking in weekly spellings etc. Project activities can be completed in lots of different ways e.g. taking photos, writing notes, drawing, writing, videos, Power points etc. These can also be uploaded to Seesaw. Get creative!

The green boxes are activities that need to be completed weekly.

The other boxes are homework activities linked to our project '**Over and Under**' that you can choose from. You <u>do not</u> have to complete everything! At the end of each term we will have a class exhibition for the children to celebrate the work they have been doing at home (**July 2024**). Details will be sent nearer the time.

Any questions, please contact Miss Braddock or Ms McLaughlin.

Reading Your child will have their reading book as well as their chosen reading for pleasure book.	Number Kit Your child will have a target to practise at home. Once there is a signature from home then we will test that target on Wednesdays.
Spellings	Times Tables Rock Stars
These will be stuck	Log in details in homework
into homework	books. The 'Garage'
books every Friday	game is a good place to
and tested the	start! Check the weekly
following week.	bulletin for certificates!



Science

This term, we are learning about **food chains** and **food webs**. Could you invent a way to show a 3D food chain you have found out about? You might make a model out of Modroc, Lego or recycled materials.

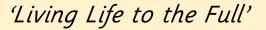
RE / PSHE

Later this term, we will be learning about **Buddhism**. Buddhists believe in the Eightfold Path - this lists eight main ideas that they follow in their lives:

- 1. You should know that greed causes suffering.
- 2. You should have only high and worthy goals.
- 3. You should always be honest and truthful.
- 4. You should do unto others as you would have them do unto you.
- 5. You should never hurt any living thing.
- 6. You should always work to educate yourself.
- 7. You should always have an alert and active mind.
- 8. You should practice meditation.









Which of these are important to you?

If you would like to practise **meditation**, this website has some suggested activities you could try:

https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/schools/primary-school/mindfulness-hub/ Or take a sound walk! Go for a walk- this could even be around your own home! Tune into all of the different sounds you can hear and try to identify each one.



Art

The summer term is the perfect time to get **outdoors**! Why not find a quiet little spot to do some sketching, and see what you can spy living over or under ground? You might decide to sketch flora or fauna (plants and animals) in your garden or local park, or perhaps even have your own field trip to the seaside or woods!

Writing

This month, we are finishing our class book, 'Noah Barleywater Runs Away'. Try writing your own **story** about a character who runs away and the adventures they have. If you would like some inspiration about your setting or what might happen, you could use story dice. Illustrator Nick Sharratt has designed some here:

https://www.beanstalkcharity.org.uk/make-your-own-story-dice-illustrated-by-nicksharratt (If you don't have a printer at home and would like to use them, there are some copies in a plastic wallet attached to our working wall.)

Computing

Give your touch **typing skills** a boost by continuing BBC's Dance Mat Typing!



https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z3c6tfr#zskfb7h Typing speed is measured in how many words you can type in a minute. You might like to time yourself for a minute and see what you can do now, then compare this to what you can achieve at the end of term!

History – Stone Age to Iron Age

Over ground stands one of the most famous historic sites – **Stonehenge**! Can you find where it is in the UK?

Can you research some facts about this amazing site?

Why do you think it's there?

Can you create your own model of this magnificent stone circle?

PE

Try to create your own **obstacle course**! Use items you can find around your house and outside area (if you have one). Please check with your adults before borrowing anything!

You might choose to use items like:

- cushions to zig zag around or do shuttle runs to and from

- (willing!) soft toys to use for target practise, perhaps aiming them into a bucket

- sticks or stones as markers for a course
- chairs to go over or use for step ups
- rugs to wriggle under like a commando!





