

Deneholm Primary School



Creative Homework Challenge

We are giving children an opportunity to show off their creative skills by completing our **Creative Homework Challenge**. There is no expectation for your child to complete this but please encourage them. These challenges are linked to the learning for the half term.

Creative homework certificates

- Bronze** - for completing 1 piece of homework this half term.
Silver - for completing 2 piece of homework this half term.
Gold - for completing 3 piece of homework this half term.

Earn 1 **Children's University** credit for each creative piece completed.

Menu of Creative Homework Challenge Ideas

- Carry out an internet search about history in your local area. Can you make a power point presentation of a poster presentation to present your findings?
- Create a design for your own bridge that you would build to connect Grays with Kent.
- Write your own explanation text to explain how an object or machine works.
- Write your own scary story. Can you include suspense and create atmosphere?
- Play games on the Times Tables Rockstars website. Can you set yourself the challenge of playing at least 5 times per week to beat your best time?
- Investigate what 'Green Religion' means— create a factsheet.
- Design your own 'dream' bedroom .

Compulsory Homework Expectations:

Maths
Comprehension
Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

All of the above will be completed with the **CGP books** that are sent home weekly. These are given out every Friday and they are due to be handed in on the following Tuesday.

Spellings will be given out half termly. Children will be tested on spellings every Friday.

There is an expectation for you to **read** at home with your child at least 5 times per week and reading records should be signed to reflect this.

Please use your home school diary if you have any homework queries.

Writing

Our key text is Malamander

We will:

- Explore a tale of fear
- Identify the features of an explanation text
- Create our own explanation texts

Year 5 Curriculum Overview Summer Term 2 2023/2024



PE

We will develop skills in

Foundation Subjects

We will learn about:

HISTORY – Local history project

DT– Building bridges

MUSIC– Reflect, Rewind & Replay

COMPUTING – We are Architects

RE– Green Religion

Latin– Off to Latin

PSHE

Our topic for this half term is 'Changing Me'. We will explore puberty, conception and changes that occur in the body as people grow up.

Reading

We will:

- Looking at play scripts.
- Telling stories through poetry.
- Looking into mystery stories.
- Securing how to answer inference questions with evidence from the text.
- Analysing the text to provide explanations.

Science

We will learn about:

- Reproduction in plants
- Reproduction in animals
- Life cycles
- Conditions needed for growth and survival
- Classification keys

Maths

We will learn how to carry out:

- Mental multiplication and division
- Fractions, ratio and proportion
- Problem solving and reasoning
- Algebra
- Measurement
- Decimals, fractions and percentages
- Written multiplication and division.