

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 if they'd like too. These challenges are linked to their topic.

Creative homework certificates

Bronze - if you complete 1 piece of homework this half term.

Silver - if you complete 2 pieces of homework this half term.

Gold - if you complete 3 pieces of homework this half term.

Earn 1 **Children's University** credit for each creative piece completed. Must be handed in with a completed reflection sheet.

Menu of Creative Homework Challenges

- Research vegetarian food. Make a list of vegetarian alternatives to meat that provide nutrients.
- Paint pictures of a fruit orchard in different seasons.
- Create a collage of seasonal food for one of the four seasons. Cut out images of food from the magazines, print images or draw images.
- Research and produce a PowerPoint presentation of 'The Indus Valley'.
- Design a poster about the decline of the Indus Valley Civilisation.
- Make a list of items in your home that run on electricity. How could you reduce the cost of electricity usage in your home?

Deneholm Primary School



Curriculum Overview
(2023/2024)
Summer Term 2
Year 4

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 due to be handed in on the Tuesday indicated on the homework sheet.

There is an expectation for you to **read** at home with your child at least 5 times per week.

Writing

Our key text is 'Adventure at Sandy Cove'

We will:

- create a comic strip and change it into a story
- write a suspense story
- write a persuasive advert

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PE

- Tri golf
- Athletics

Reading

Our class read is 'Why the Whales Came'

We will:

- read a longer text and answer questions about the text
- develop our reading fluency
- answer questions using inference and give evidence to support our answers

Creative Curriculum

We will:

- bake fairy cakes and decorate them
- design a healthy menu
- research the Indus Valley
- produce a poster about the Indus Valley

Science

We will:

- identify common appliances that run on electricity
- construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers
- recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors

Maths

We will learn to:

- subtract using regrouping
- solve written addition of two 4-digit numbers
- use coordinates to draw polygons
- find the coordinates of shapes after translation
- draw line graphs
- find non-unit fractions of amount

PSHE

This half term we will be studying 'Changing Me' which will be looking at changes that will take place in their bodies and recognising that these changes are natural.