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Year 5

Homework Challenge - Autumn 1, 2026

We would like children to select at least one of the homework challenges below for this term, however children can do as many as they wish. This will continue to run alongside the weekly homework, reading and spellings.

Science - The Human Body <i>The Exercise Challenge</i> Investigate what happens to your heart rate and breathing before, during and after exercise. Measure your resting heart rate then create a list of some physical activities which you intend to do for 1 minute (e.g. star jumps, running on the spot, throwing and catching). Then answer these questions: Which activity raised your heart rate the most? Which activity was physically more challenging? What do you notice when you exercise? Why does your heart rate increase when exercising?	History - Bagdad 900 CE <i>Become a Bagdad Time Traveller</i> Imagine you've travelled back in time to Bagdad in 900 CE, during the Islamic Golden Age. Your mission is to create a 'Day in the Life' of someone living in Bagdad. You could be a scholar working in the House of Wisdom, a merchant in the markets, a member of the royal court, a cook preparing food for a wealthy family, an artist or craftsman. Create a diary, comic strip, newspaper page, model or illustrated story showing what you might see, hear, smell, taste, learn and do.
Art - Islamic Art and Architecture <i>Create a geometric design</i> Take inspiration from patterns in nature, online images or use your imagination to create a geometric design tile. Be as creative as you'd like in making your tile.	Geography - Spatial Sense <i>Become a Cartographer</i> Create your own map of the world and include these things: 1. The Equator 2. The Prime Meridian 3. Lines of latitude and longitude 4. The 7 Continents 5. The North and South Pole

The challenge work is due on **Monday 14th July 2025** and during the week each child will get to present their work for it to be celebrated. The above menu details a range of work for the subjects that your child will cover this term. We do ask that everyone has a go at this homework, so that all the children have something to share at the end of each term.

Thank you for your continued support.

