



## Year 1 Core Home Learning – Autumn 1

### English: Reading

We expect your child to read for 20 minutes every day!

This can be with an adult or independently. You should evidence books read on the reading log app to gain special reading rewards. You might even find a 'Golden Ticket' and win a free book of your choice! Teachers will contact you if your child has not completed this.

### English: Spellings

You must practice the spellings on a weekly basis. You will have a weekly spelling test, in class, with your teacher on a Friday. As a minimum, pupils should learn the spellings for the given week. However, why not challenge yourself by building sentences using the spellings.

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3
sat pin tap net man	web van got zip can	fox red bus cliff shell
Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
see tree green box moon	help me we he she	look car parked garden head

### Maths

This half-term we will really focus on Numbers to 10 in Maths. This involves recognising, counting numbers within 10 and being able to compare pairs of numbers. Complete the set activities on My Maths.

Other useful Maths websites:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games>

[Cool online maths games for KS1, KS2, and KS3 children. - BBC Bitesize](#)



## Family Home Learning Tasks: Exploring the World

Please complete as many tasks as you like from those suggested below or perhaps you could even think of some of your own!

Where possible, use recyclable and reusable materials. You have the rest of Autumn term to complete these tasks.

All pupils must upload learning by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025 on OneNote.

### Useful books and Websites:

- [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RNx0akt3\\_XI&t=117s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RNx0akt3_XI&t=117s) (Design and Technology)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X3uT89xoKuc> (Writing)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TxurQxHaoU4> (Art)
- <https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/howto/guide/easy-origami-kids> (Art)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K6DSMZ8b3LE> (Music)
- [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_uMYK1njcbU](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_uMYK1njcbU) (Music)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hi469oTu5gM> (PE)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=btMAJw37Y8E> (Science)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=elyWgUpPhtc&t=80s> (History)
- [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wYYakyS\\_HOg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wYYakyS_HOg) (Geography)
- [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=avHdx18pi\\_U](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=avHdx18pi_U) (PSHE)

### Design and Technology

There are lots of famous buildings you can find in Europe.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RNx0akt3\\_XI&t=117s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RNx0akt3_XI&t=117s)

Can you find out which country they are from?



Eiffel tower



Leaning tower of Pisa



Big Ben

Make a model of those buildings by using your toys, e.g. lego, empty boxes or containers to do some junk modelling.

### Writing

If you were going on holiday to Antarctica, what would you pack in your suitcase?



Write a list/draw and label items you would need to take.

### Art

Explore Art from Australia and Asia.

Aboriginal art from Australia:



Origami is a type of paper folding from Japan, Asia.



Choose which style you like best and create your own artwork to upload onto OneNote.

**PE**

Research the most popular sports played around the world.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hi469oTu5gM>



What's your favourite sport?

Record an audio of yourself explaining how to play this game.

Draw a portrait of your favourite athlete. Where does he/she come from?

**Music**

Learn the names of the continents by listening to this song: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K6DSMZ8b3LE>

Do you know any cultural songs?

Research their origins.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uMYK1njcbU>

Who is your favourite singer? Where does he/she come from? Record an audio talking about your favourite singer and their origins.

**Cooking**

Choose a dish that is popular in a country and try to cook it at home.



**Science**

Think of three animals that live in Africa. Use this video to help you: <https://youtu.be/btMAJw37Y8E>

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Choose one animal from your list and draw a picture of it.



Write some sentences or draw some pictures of its habitat, what the animal eats and some interesting facts about your chosen animal.

**History**

Dr. Seuss was a famous children's author from North America.



Watch the video and create a fact file about Dr. Seuss.

Famous Author Fact File form with fields for name, birthdate, hometown, collage, spouse, children, most famous books, interesting facts, and a drawing area.

**Geography**

Locate each continent on a map/globe.



Can you name them all? Which is the biggest/smallest? Have you visited any? What was the climate like?



## RE

Choose a place of worship to research and learn more about. You may want to compare that place between different continents E.g. compare a church in Greece with one in England.



Church in England



Church in Greece

## PSHE

Belmont School has pupils from different places around the world.

How can you be a good friend to everyone?



## RRS

Explore the world map with your family.

Which country does your family come from?

Article 7: the right to a name and to belong to a country

Which continent is it in?

Which language do they speak?

Article 30: the right to speak my language