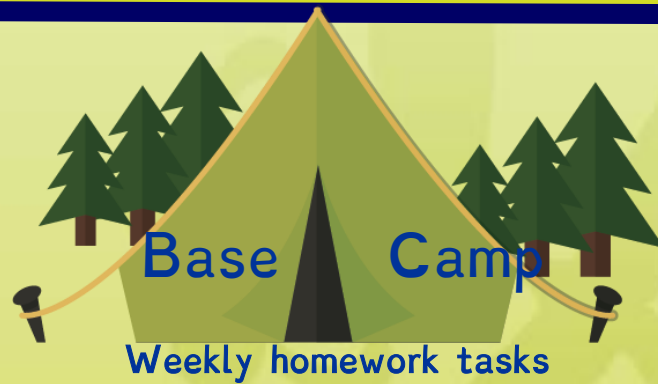


# Kingfishers' and Nightingales' Homework Trail (Term 5)



## Weekly homework tasks

### Reading

Read for at least 10 minutes, three times a week. This could be your school reading book or a book from home.

### Mathletics and Time Tables

A task will be set on Mathletics each week. You can use the games and challenges available on Mathletics as often as you like. The more, the better! Practise the times tables facts that are in your homework book and on TT Rockstars.

### Spellings

Have a look at and learn the words from the front of your homework book and practice regularly. Have a look at the high frequency word lists that can be found on the [school website](#). Select the list that contains words that you know you need to practise to enhance your writing.

Off on the trail...



You must complete three squares in a row, passing vertically, horizontally or diagonally through the middle square.

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| <p>Create a times table poster for the 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 or 9 times table that we can pass on to the current Year 3's. Make it fun and engaging and don't forget to include all of the tips and tricks that we have learnt.</p>   | <p>Create a model or draw a series of diagrams to explain how magnetism works. Your work needs to include both poles and show how they are attracted and repelled. Perhaps you could show the direction of the magnetic field.</p>                     | <p>Think about a book you are currently reading, now imagine you are the author. Write a short alternative chapter or ending. Think about what you have already read to ensure that your chapter/ending links to the story.</p>  |
| <p>Create a leaflet which promotes Ashford. Why is Ashford a good place to live or visit? What facilities, amenities are there? Make your leaflet exciting and informative as well as using the persuasive features we have learnt in class. You could create your leaflet on paper or practise your ICT skills.</p> | <p>Would you like to have extra play? Would you like to have extra Maths? Write a persuasive letter to Miss Talbot explaining to her why she should implement your change. Remember to include everything you have learned about being persuasive.</p> | <p>Become a grammar expert! Create or design a board game to help people learn about (and practice) either direct speech, or plural apostrophes of possession, how to decide whether it is plural or possessive (does it need an apostrophe) or word classes.</p>  |
| <p>Design or create a model of your dream house. Think about the shapes that add strength to a structure. Does your dream house need to be a traditional house shape? Instead of building, you could draw diagrams similar to our DT work in Term 4 to show your house.</p>  | <p>Our Class Hero this term is Stephen Hawking. To many people he is an inspiration! Research Stephen Hawking's life and present your findings in a way that you would like!</p>   | <p>Use your knowledge of cities, towns and villages to create a set of top trump cards to play with a friend. Choose your own categories, but these should be linked to geographical information such as: land area, population, number of railway stations etc. Choose your categories then research real locations around the UK. Remember every card needs to have the same criteria.</p> |



The Extra Mile...

Can you complete any 6 squares on the grid to get your Extra Mile sticker.

**Homeward Bound...** Record all your homework in your homework book. You do not need to bring in your homework each week to be checked. We will be holding a Trail End Homework Showcase in class on Tuesday 2nd June 2026 when you can share your homework with the class and celebrate your hard work.

