



Year 5 Topic homework

Spring 1 2026

This half term we would like the children to complete **TWO** tasks by Monday 2nd February 2026

On Thursday 5th February from 3:15pm, we will invite our families in to the hall, to showcase all of the wonderful hard work the children have created, researched and completed.

Science Earth and Space

Task 1: Create a planet Fact file. You could include information such as: Order from the Sun, Size (relative to Earth), Length of day and year, One interesting fact.

Task 2: Create a labelled diagram OR photos of your model of the phases of the moon explain what is happening. Can you also explain why we can sometimes see the moon during the day?

Geography— Would you like to live in the desert?

Task 3: Locate the world's deserts—you could present this as a colour coded map or as a mini fact book.

Task 4 : design a home suitable for living in the desert. Think about building materials, shape and layout, how it stays cool during the day and warm at night.

Art—Depth Emotion and Movement

Task 5: express an emotion in a drawing, think about lines and colours that could make the emotion recognisable. Write a few sentences to explain your piece—describe the colours, shapes and lines.

Task 6: Draw or paint an object or animal in motion (e.g., a running dog, a falling leaf, a dancing person).

Task 7: Draw a landscape or cityscape showing depth. Use: Overlapping objects, size changes (closer objects bigger, distant objects smaller) and Light and shadow