

**READING WITH YOUR CHILD**

Please continue to hear your child read, and to discuss the text and new vocabulary with them, to further deepen their comprehension skills. For Top Tips on Reading and further information on the Reading Pathways please see our page on the website.

[Click here for the We are Reading page on our website](#)

**KEY MENTAL MATHS SKILLS TO REVISIT THIS HALF TERM**

We would like you to revisit your speed of recall of addition and subtraction facts, which will help you when we revisit topics this half term.

Please use [Hit the Button](#) and challenge someone at home to beat you!

| Week                        | Core Task 1 Maths                                                                                                     | Core Task 2 English                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Reading Focus                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Deadline for completion                    |
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| <b>2</b><br><b>11.09.26</b> | For maths homework this week, please can the children complete <b>page 2 and 3</b> of their maths CGP homework books. | <p>Soon, we will be electing our class representatives. There are five in total:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-digital leader</li> <li>-sports council</li> <li>-reading champion</li> <li>-eco warrior</li> <li>-school council</li> </ul> <p>Please can your child prepare a short (2 minute) speech (written in green homework books) to share with the class for their chosen role.</p> <p>We then follow the British value of democracy, and we vote for who we think is best to represent our class in each role.</p> | <p>This week as you are reading, collect 3 words or phrases that capture your interest and imagination.</p> <p>Write these in your diary to share with us in school.</p>                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September</b> |
| <b>3</b><br><b>18.09.26</b> | For maths homework this week, please can the children complete <b>page 4 and 5</b> of their maths CGP homework books. | <p>We have been reading "The Way Home for Wolf" by Rachel Bright.</p> <p>Please share this story together and then talk to your child about the story. Answer the following questions in the <b>green homework book</b> in full sentences.</p> <p><i>Who your favourite character is and why?</i></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <p>Our reading focus this week is <b>retrieval</b>. When reading with your child, please ask them questions that they can answer by reading the text. <b>Who, what, where, when, why and how</b> questions are effective retrieval practise.</p> <p>Some examples are often given in the back of their reading book.</p> | <b>Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September</b> |

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|                                        |                                                                                                                              | <p><i>How would you describe Wilf?</i></p> <p><i>Which characters helped Wilf?</i></p> <p>Link to the story: <a href="#">The Way Home For Wolf by Rachel Bright &amp; Jim Field - YouTube</a></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                   |
| <p><b>4</b></p> <p><b>25.09.26</b></p> | <p>For maths homework this week, please can the children complete <b>page 6 and 7</b> of their maths CGP homework books.</p> | <p>As part of our non-fiction unit, we are going to be learning all about wolves.</p> <p>For homework, please can the children write 3 facts about wolves in their <b>green homework books</b>.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <p>Book Drop landed this week!</p> <p>Please see here for the list of bingo activities for your child to complete before half term. Please start with the activity of drawing the front cover.</p> <p>There is also a discussion guide to share with your child each week which you can find here on our Book Drop tab.</p> | <p><b>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> September</b></p> |
| <p><b>5</b></p> <p><b>02.10.26</b></p> | <p>For maths homework this week, please can the children complete <b>page 8 and 9</b> of their maths CGP homework books.</p> | <p>For homework this week, please can the children write 4 sentences using <b>and to link clauses</b> in their <b>green homework books</b>. On Seesaw, there will be some sentence stems to support this task. Please write the <b>full</b> sentence in books.</p> <p><b>Please can work in green books be dated and titled:</b><br/> <b>e.g.</b><br/> <b><u>Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2026</u></b><br/> <b><u>Using and to link clauses</u></b></p> | <p>Are you enjoying The Great Bear so far?</p> <p>For reading focus this week, complete a book drop bingo task of your choice.</p> <p>Don't forget to share the discussion guide with your child each week which you can find here on our Book Drop tab.</p>                                                                | <p><b>Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October</b></p>    |
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