**Home Learning Year 5 – *Friday 24th October 2025***

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| **English** | | **Completed by...** |
| **Spelling/Phonics:** | Practice your Y5 spellings. | *Wednesday* |
| **Reading:** | Read to adult or older sibling 3 times this week! Don’t forget to get your adult to sign in your reading diary when they have read with you!  **Why not answer this question after reading:**  **Can you summarise your chapter in 5 sentences?** | *3 times a week* |
| **Core learning** | |  |
| **Maths/or Writing** | Literacy-  **To research our new book – The Mapmakers by Tamzin Merchant**.  This novel is the sequel to The Hatmakers and continues the story of young heroine Cordelia Hatmaker in a magical, alternate‑historic London where various “Maker” families wield craft‑based magic.  At the start of The Mapmakers, Cordelia has already saved England from war, defeated the villainous Lord Whitloof, rescued the King and Princess, and helped restore the Makers Guild.  **Main Plot**  Cordelia is still searching for her missing father. She had discovered a hidden map inside her father’s telescope and believes that if she follows it, she might uncover where he’s gone.  Unexpectedly, she uncovers a secret society of “Mapmakers” — people who chart magic and hidden lands, and she realises that magic is not restricted to the Maker families she knew, but “…is all around, if you know where to look.”  Cordelia is faced with the challenge of convincing rival Maker families — historically at odds — to cooperate with each other. She understands that this cooperation is necessary not just to find her father, but to protect the very essence of magic itself, which is under threat. | *Wednesday* |
| **Curriculum** | |  |
| **Foundation** | Our Tudor Project…  Over this half term, we would like you to complete a project on what you have learnt in our topic lessons. Be as creative as possible. Think about the layout, whether you want to do it on your iPad, as a piece of art work or as a fact file. We look forward to seeing them before we break up for October half term. | On going |