# **Year 2 Retrieval Challenges**

We have given you 10 activities to choose from and would like you to complete any 7 of these over the Autumn 2. All the activities are designed to help children recap on their learning from Summer term 2 (Year 1). This will help children to retain the knowledge in long-term memory. We are sure that you will put in a lot of effort for each piece and you will enjoy presenting your homework to the rest of the class, sharing all your hard work. Each activity is worth a different amount of dojo points. As you complete the activities please bring your homework into school – one per week (Please bring your homework in on a Thursday)

#### Compulsory tasks:

Reading 15-20 minutes everyday

Spellings based on the test which will take place every FRIDAY

#### **English**



Choose one of your favourite stories. Can you be an author and write it again it again to tell it in your own words? Remember to use your Fred Talk to help you sound out and spell the words. Maybe you could draw pictures to help you remember the story.

15 dojos

#### Maths Fractions picnic

- 1. Choose your picnic food, you can draw it. use real food or cut out pictures from magazines. Ideas, sandwiches, cake. fruit, pizza, biscuits
- 2. Share it out. Share some food into halves Share some food into quarters.
- 3. Can you take photographs and share on class dojo of your halves and quarters picnic? Or maybe you can draw your halves and quarter picnic. You can share with

### **History (Styal Mill- Cotton History)** (Research)

### My Day at Styal Mill- Comic Strip

Pretend you are a child working or visiting Styal Mill a long time ago. What might happen in your day? What can you see? Hear? Smell? How you feel?

Draw 6 boxes on a piece of paper-big enough for you to draw/ write in. In each box on your comic strip, draw a picture of what happens throughout your day. Write a short sentence or speech bubble to go with your picture. (It's still dark, time to get up!, The machine is so loud) Include details in your comic strip- see below for some ideas.

(Things to think about: working on noisy machinery, waking up very early, walking to the mill, carrying heavy cotton, eating lunch in the mill yard, the smell of cotton, clanging and whirring of

## RE (What makes a sacred place)



Draw or make a model of your own special place (e.g. a bedroom, a garden, Extra challenge: Can you a place of worship). Label write about why they are it and write why it is special to you. 5 dojos.

### Science (materials)

Go on a material hunt around your home. Find 5 different objects made of different materials and list what they're made from.

made from that material?

10 dojos

	having a teddy bears picnic and share with your teddies.  (10 dojos)	machinery, big spinning wheels, being very tired at the end of the day) <b>15 dojos</b>		
Create your own Clarice Cliff style plate design using bright colours	as a baby and write or draw	Music(use your imagination)  Use your imagination to create a sound story. Think of a story: Imagine an adventure for example: going to the	PE (Net and Wall and Ball Skills)  Can you make up your own target throwing game?  Practise using your under	Computing(Lego Builders)  Following a set of instructions in the correct order.
you have any!	changed about you since you were a baby. <b>5 dojos</b>	jungle, flying to the moon or exploring under the sea. Decide what sounds you will need in your story e.g. drum for animal footsteps, shakers for leaves rustling, tapping a pot for a spaceship, swishing with scarves for waves, tapping for raindrops (use your voice and what you have in your house if you don't have instruments) Your Grown up could read the story and you play the sounds at the right time or you could be the story teller	arm throw to aim at different targets.  Remember to put your opposite foot forward when aiming if you can.  Maybe you could keep score of how many points you get. You could have	Step 1) Paint the head red Step 3) Paint the tummy dark green Step 4) Paint the tummy dark green Step 4) Paint the wing dark blue Step 5) Paint the wing dark blue Step 5) Paint the legs yellow Step 7) Paint the middle of the body pink Step 8) Paint the back light blue Step 9) Add an eye (instructions at the bottom of the page).  On your purple mash account, I have set you a 'to do' your grown up needs to read you the instructions
			different targets for different amounts of points. Who will get the most points?  5 dojos	above and you need to colour the bird the correct colours to follow an algorithm.  5 dojos