

Year 5 Optional Homework Summer 2 2026

**Tasks should be completed by 24<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

Task 1	<p>Write your own adventure story, using a highwayman as the main character.</p> <p>This could be written as if it is from a story book or a comic strip...but remember to add some dialogue to advance the action!</p>
Task 2	<p>Write a newspaper report about one of the Wimbledon or World Cup matches this year.</p> <p>Think carefully about the style of writing, vocabulary and layout that would be used in a report. Take a look at the coverage on the BBC Newsround and BBC Sport websites for some inspiration.</p>
Task 3	<p>Plan a Manchester Day!</p> <p>Using Google Maps, research at least four Manchester landmarks that are exciting to visit. Calculate how long it would take to travel between them on public transport. Record the length of journeys and the durations.</p> <p><i>Remember to leave time for visiting each venue!</i></p> <p><i>Include some form of a timetable of your day.</i></p>
Task 4	<p>Create a PowerPoint to test your classmates' arithmetic skills. Include calculations involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.</p> <p>Make sure you have the answers!</p>