

## HOMEWORK ARRANGEMENTS:

Mon - Science  
Tues - English  
Wed - Maths  
Thurs - Humanities  
Fri - Reading

## HOMEWORK GUIDELINES:

The precise amount of time spent on homework is much less important than the quality of tasks set and the way they are planned to support learning. However, the following is given as a guide when completing homework tasks.

<b>Reception</b>	10 mins per day Sharing and reading books with an adult
<b>Years 1 &amp; 2</b>	10 mins per day Literacy work to include reading & spelling Numeracy to include number based activities
<b>Years 3 &amp; 4</b>	10 – 15 mins per day Literacy & numeracy with assignments in other subjects
<b>Years 5 &amp; 6</b>	20 - 30 mins per day Weekly schedule with emphasis on literacy & numeracy

**Literacy** – reading practice and listening to others forms an essential part of learning throughout the Primary years. Reading should form the basis of all homework time and should range between 10 mins in Pre Prep and extending to 20mins per day in Prep. Other literacy work will include practising spellings and punctuation.

**Numeracy** – number games & tasks, learning times tables alongside more challenging activities set for Prep pupils.

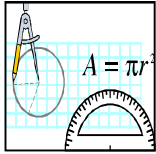


# Topics for the Spring Term 2011

### Websites to support learning:

[www.parentcentre.gov.uk](http://www.parentcentre.gov.uk)  
[www.bbc.co.uk/schools/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/)  
[www.homeworkelephant.co.uk/](http://www.homeworkelephant.co.uk/)  
[www.ngfl.gov.uk](http://www.ngfl.gov.uk)  
[www.rif.org.uk](http://www.rif.org.uk)  
[www.parentsonline.gov.uk](http://www.parentsonline.gov.uk)  
[www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk)  
[www.channel4.com/homework/](http://www.channel4.com/homework/)  
[www.booktrust.org.uk](http://www.booktrust.org.uk)

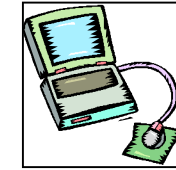
Prep Dept:  
**Form 2**



Ordering and rounding numbers  
 Addition and subtraction (mental and written)  
 Measures (time, mass and area)  
 Problem solving  
 Direction and angle  
 Properties of numbers  
 Multiplication and division  
 Fractions and decimals  
 Handling data



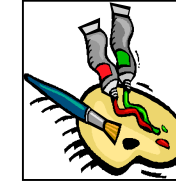
Improvisation  
 Scriptwork



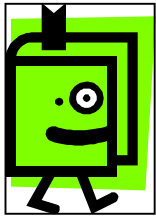
Control project  
 Flashing lamps



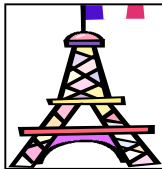
Introducing composition/African music  
 Easter Service  
 Buchan Music Festival & additional keyboard skills  
 Guild



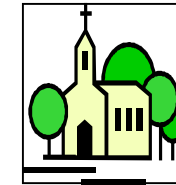
Surrealism  
 Surrealism Painting



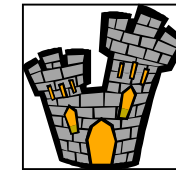
Stories from other cultures and poetry form.  
 Information texts  
 Grammar practice, spelling tests, comprehension passages.



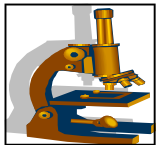
F2 French concentrates on developing reading, speaking and listening skills with songs, rhymes and Stories.



Epiphany, early years of Jesus Christ and his ministry leading up to Easter



Tudors - town & country life. The great plague of London



Circuits and conductors  
 Habitats  
 Friction



Plastics - design and make salad servers  
 Cut, shape and glue polystyrene  
 Plastic



Weather and weather forecasting  
 Met link ICT project



PE - swimming, Short tennis, indoor hockey and gymnastics  
 Games - hockey, netball, football and rugby



Road Safety  
 Life Education