

## Year 2 Topic Homework

This term we are looking at Space.

We are setting the children an extended piece of homework to be **completed in their topic homework book** and handed in **no later than Wednesday 11 November**. During this time there will be no Maths or English homework set however **children are still expected to read their reading book five times a week and complete spellings**.

We do ask that this homework is no more than 4 pages and children must do some recording work in their topic homework books. Please add any photographs available of the children completing their tasks.

Some of the things you can do are listed below. Remember these are just ideas.



<p><u>English</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Find a book or internet site about Space/Astronauts and write down some favourite facts.</li><li>● Write a poem or story about what it would be like to be an astronaut in space.</li></ul>	<p><u>Art/DT</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Make a space rocket (junk model or Lego for instance)</li><li>● Paint a picture of the solar system</li><li>● Design a healthy packed lunch for an astronaut!</li></ul>	<p><u>Computing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Use 'Google' to find out about astronauts and space.</li><li>● Type out a list of instructions for the astronauts to follow.</li><li>● Use a programme like 'Power Point' to make a poster.</li></ul>
<p><u>Geography</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Find out what other planets are made of.</li><li>● What is the weather like on other planets?</li></ul>	<p><u>Maths</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Make up addition/subtraction problems with planets/stars/moons.</li></ul>	<p><u>Science</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Design a new planet for us to live on – what would we need to survive?</li></ul>

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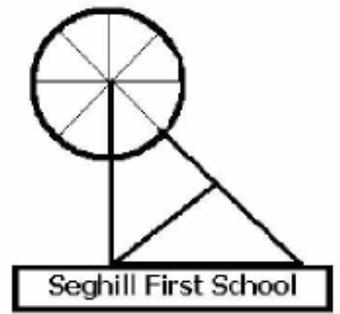
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Dear Parents and Carers

## Autumn half term topic homework for Year 2

Today we are sending home your child's **topic homework**. The purpose of topic homework is for your child to learn and explore more about a topic that we are learning about in school. They can do this through **drawing, making and writing**.

We have given your child a **Topic Homework book** to record their work in. Most children will be working in the same book that they have previously completed their topic homework in. We ask that your child uses a maximum of **4 pages** in their Topic Homework book.

We would also love to see **drawing, paintings, models and sculptures**, as we have a very strong tradition of children making the most amazing pieces to bring into school for their class topic homework display. If your child does make something to bring in for the topic homework display, please send it into school in a **named carrier bag**. All items will be placed in quarantine, and then put on the topic homework display in each classroom. Photographs will be taken and shared on the school website and our Facebook page to

Topic homework is being given out today to all year groups. The deadline for topic homework to be completed and returned to school is **Wednesday 11 November**. This means that your child has 12 school days plus half term week and 3 weekends to do this work.

While children are busy with their topic homework, we will not be sending home any English or maths homework. However, they will still have **spellings** to learn and we still expect them **to read 5 times each week**.

We are looking forward to seeing all of the children's imagination and hard work coming to life when they return their topic homework to school.

Yours sincerely

Miss Chappell  
Headteacher