

Homework in KS2 involves independent learning. Each week the children choose one task centred on the concept block that we are studying as a school. How the children research or present their findings is entirely up to them. They can use computers, books, observation, questioning or experimenting; draw, paint, write or build. The only requests are that the work be carefully and attractively presented and that children don't copy out screens from books or the internet. Each week, classes will set time for sharing the homework. Your support while your child is carrying out their home learning is greatly appreciated but please do not be tempted to do it for them. The important things are that your child enjoys what they are doing, discovers something new and practises learning independently. The Children should also read daily, practise spellings from those sent home and the statutory list for Y3/4 (some may still be working on Y1/2 spellings for this term), and learn multiplication / division tables for Around The World Maths. There may also be a small amount of maths or English to complete. Thank you for your continued support!

These are activities for to choose from over the course of this concept block. Please bring it in on a Thursday and we will share them with the class.

The Romans	Draw a battle scene. Think about the position of the Romans and what methods they used to successfully attack.	Research one of the Roman Emperors and create a fact file about them including a portrait.	Draw or paint yourself as a Roman Emperor. What leadership qualities would you have?	Find out about games Roman children used to play and have a go at playing them.
	Research Roman music and listen to a piece. Record what it was and what you thought of it.	Research a recipe from Roman times and create it. Write a review about what you thought of it.	Create your own chant for the Roman army.	Create a Roman house. What rooms would it have?
English	Form letters using cursive handwriting.	Collect and find homophones such as here/ hear or see/ sea and use them in sentences to show you know what each one means.	Write a newspaper article about a Roman battle.	Write an adventure story with a historical setting.
Maths	Times tables up to 12 x 12 .	Division facts for times tables up to 12 x 12.	Maths challenge sheets (taken from school, if wanted)	Create a maths game that you could play with a friend or group of friends in school.

Make sure you are practising all of your times-tables for Around the world Maths and spellings. Enjoy!