



## Homework expectations for Term 2:

**Maths** - Tasks on MyMaths will be set weekly (Friday) to correspond with the learning in class.

**Spelling** - Weekly spelling lists will be set on a Friday to be tested the following Friday. (A copy of these will be shared on Class Dojo each week).

Homework Menu - Throughout the term, I would like children to complete as many tasks from the 'Homework Menu' as they would like. These tasks relate to our topics in class and give the children the opportunity to develop their learning and understanding further. A minimum of one task should be completed from this menu.

Additional tasks - To support the preparation and transition to secondary school, additional tasks could be set throughout the term. Science: Mixtures and Separation

- Create some different mixtures (e.g. salt and water) and think about how you could separate them again. Is it always possible to completely separate?
- Experiment with different materials/substances. Which dissolve in liquid? (e.g. flour, sand, sugar, rice etc)
- Experiment with the same material/substance. Does the temperature of the water affect how quickly it dissolves? (Safety: make sure an adult supervises you with hot liquids)

## Geography: What is life like in the Alps?

- Write a letter or postcard imagining you are on holiday in the Alps.
- Write an acrostic poem about the Alps/mountains.
- Design your own tourist destination in the Alps.
- Create a leaflet for a tourist destination in the Alps.
- Research different mountains/mountain ranges across the world. What are their similarities? How are they different?

## Creative curriculum

- Create a collage of mountains using magazines/newspapers etc.
- Use mixtures of different colour paints to create patterns. Which colours blend well together?
- Make your own mountain! Think about how the mountain is formed and how you will have to make it (fold, fault-block, volcanic).

## <u>Homework Menu</u>

Choose <u>at least one</u> task from the menu to complete before the end of term. You may have other creative ideas relating to our topic.