Ellison Primary Academy Homework Menu

Year Group: 2 Unit: The Gunpowder Plot Term: Autumn 1

Daily expectations		
Reading should take place daily. Some useful websites to help with this include: https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/, https://www.getepic.com/, https://www.kidsworldfun.com/ebooks/page9.php . TTRockstars and Maths blast including [10 more/less than any number to 100, odd and even numbers, counting in 2s, 5s and 10s to the 12th multiple forwards and back] should take place daily. Weekly overviews with English, maths and spelling/phonics are shared with your child each Friday.		
Added extras		
Please encourage your child to complete activities of their choice from the menu below. These need to be paced to ensure children do not rush their learning or leave it until a last minute panic! Homework can be recorded in their homework books provided or if your child wishes to complete their learning through other means, e.g. use of PowerPoint, Word, drawings or models then they are more than welcome to be creative.		
Draw it / Create it	**Research it**	**E-learn it**
• Design your own functional appealing product. E.g. Look at Puppets to help you with ideas and create your own functional puppet. It could be linked to either Guy Fawkes, or our English text of the Three Billy Goats Gruff. • Create your own art work inspired by Bonfire night. Think carefully about your use of colour and texture.	• Research the events of The Gunpowder Plot. • Think about how you can present your research. You could complete a presentation, make notes, create a fact file or a poster. • Research what makes a healthy lifestyle. Create a healthy menu for yourself for a day.	• Visit https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zyhbwmn to find out about algorithms and computing - Visit Oak Academy to find out - Why Guy Fawkes wanted to blow up the houses of Parliament. - Who was Guy Fawkes? -
Explore it	**Move it**	**Think it**
Music - Listen to some classical music and discuss what instrument you can hear. How does the music make you feel? E.g. https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/ten-pieces/classical-music-early-years/znvhrj6 Science? Design your own science fact file about the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air) Use pictures, drawings and diagrams. Include information about the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food and hygiene.	• Get dancing with Kidz Bop Dance. There are lots of routines to lots of popular songs: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqscMO1YfPB3-7dZZSxKPrQQ • Learn some of the moments from https://www.activekidsdobetter.co.uk/active-classroom and put these movements (and some of your own into a routine. -	• What ingredients would you use to make a good friend? Why? • Who is responsible for your health? Government? Teacher? Parent? You?