



Bowmansgreen Primary School
Year 2 – Home Learning Grid
Summer Term 2



Choose one Home Learning activity to complete each week. You can choose which task to complete and the order in which you do so. Once you have completed an activity, please ask a parent/carer to initial and date in the appropriate space. You may wish to include photographs of larger pieces of work and/or practical activities.

Home learning is to be handed in by **Tuesday** each week.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Task One - Geography</u></p> <p>We have been looking at animals and where they live around the world. One of our lessons looked at pandas, which are native to the continent of Asia. Using the link below (and some of your own research), create a fact file about another animal, which is native to Asia.</p> <p>Think about:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What they look like What they eat Their habitat <p>https://www.worldatlas.com/articles/what-animals-live-in-asia.html</p> <p>Try and include at least five facts in your fact file.</p> <p>Challenge!</p> <p>Can you add a fact to your fact file which explains a difference between your chosen animal and a similar animal that lives in another continent? (For example, a polar bear and a brown bear.)</p> <p>Parent/carer signature and date:</p> <p>.....</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Task Two - Geography</u></p> <p>In school, we have learnt about the African elephant. There are also other types of elephants, such as the Indian elephant. Some scientists and geographers have looked at the very first elephants that roamed the Earth, which are now extinct. These elephants in the past were even larger than ours today! Use pages 8-24 to pick an animal and write a paragraph (five or more sentences) about whether it is endangered and why. Can you include what you would do to help that animal?</p> <p>https://www.colchester-zoo.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/05/Activity-Pack-Endangered-KS1-2-2019.pdf</p> <p>Challenge!</p> <p>Can you write a paragraph about an animal that has already become extinct and give two reasons to explain why it has?</p> <p>https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/animals/general-animals/extinct-animals/</p> <p>Parent/carer signature and date:</p> <p>.....</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Task Three - PSHE</u></p> <p>We would like you to draw a picture of an older relative who is special to you. Then, write a short paragraph about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why you respect this person Why you like/love this person <p>Challenge!</p> <p>Can you find a photograph of an older relative now and as a child? Can you ask them about their childhood and how it is different or similar to yours? You may want to think about changes in technology and different inventions. For example, your older relative might have used a typewriter when they were a child whilst you now use a tablet. (Try and write three examples.)</p> <p>Parent/carer signature and date:</p> <p>.....</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Task Four - Spanish</u></p> <p>In Year 3, you will be learning Spanish! One of the first units you will be looking at is all about the country, its traditions, foods and celebrations. You will also be learning lots of new vocabulary on a variety of topics. We use a fantastic website called Rocakalingua to learn Spanish through song.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">  <small>ROCKALINGUA COLOURS AND NUMBERS</small> </p> <p style="text-align: center;">Go to https://rockalingua.com/videos and choose the video called 'Colorin Colorado.' Can you then write down ten new Spanish words you have learned?</p> <p>Challenge!</p> <p>https://rockalingua.com/games/colors</p> <p>Test your new knowledge here!</p> <p>Parent/carer signature and date:</p> <p>.....</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Task Five - RE</u></p> <p>Our big question this half term is 'What is peace?' Peace can mean to be calm in your heart, to be still, to be quiet or silent. Can you write an acrostic poem using the letters of the word PEACE? Use interesting word choices to really make your poem powerful. This BBC website explains more about how to write an acrostic poem.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z4mmn39/articles/ztdvw6f</p> <p>Challenge!</p> <p>Research symbols of peace around the world; you could even write a shape poem (just like the one we did of a Christmas tree last year), using one of the symbols as your outline!</p> <p>Parent/carer signature and date:</p> <p>.....</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Task Six - Computing</u></p> <p>An important part of our computing project is learning how to use the internet safely. Your task is to use our school rules to design a poster to instruct year 2 children how to BE KIND, BE SAFE, BE RESPECTFUL while using the internet.</p> <p>Challenge!</p> <p>Can you make your poster using a computer or tablet? If you can, please print out a copy, trim it and stick it into your Home Learning book.</p> <p>Parent/carer signature and date:</p> <p>.....</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Task Seven - Art</u></p> <p>We have been looking at animals and where they live around the world, including Emperor penguins. Draw and colour or paint your own picture of an Emperor penguin in its natural habitat.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/science-ks1-ks2-wonders-of-nature-emperor-penguins/zm3ygyw</p> <p>Challenge!</p> <p>Write a short paragraph explaining how Emperor penguins are adapted to survive in Antarctica.</p> <p>Parent/carer signature and date:</p> <p>.....</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Task Eight - RE</u></p> <p>Peace is when there is complete calm. There are lots of different symbols for peace. E.g.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">  <small>the peace sign a dove a poppy an olive branch a rainbow</small> </p> <p>Have a go at designing your own peace symbol. You can use ideas from the symbols above, or create a totally different one.</p> <p>Challenge!</p> <p>Write an explanation about your symbol. You could include: what it is and how it represents peace.</p> <p>Parent/carer signature and date:</p> <p>.....</p>

