Bowmansgreen Primary School Year 6 – Home Learning Grid Summer Term 1



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.

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Task OneApril 23rd is St George's day. St George is the patronsaint of England. Create a non-chronological reportabout St George. Include at least 3 sections (with sub-headings). You could include an introduction, who StGeorge was, the myth about the dragon, why he isthe patron saint, what a patron saint is and how StGeorge's day is celebrated. Use the link below to helpyou research.https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/17816642https://www.theschoolrun.com/what-is-a-non-chronological-reporthttps://www.primaryteaching.co.uk/blog/st-georges-day/Challenge!There are also patron saints of Wales, Scotland andIreland. Find out who one of them is and write abouthow their saint's day is celebrated.Parent/carer signature and date:	Task Two Produce an A4-sized portrait. Refer to the 6-steps below to help get the facial feature in proportion and position correctly. Image: Construction of the factor of t	Task Three Become a palaeontologist and design your own dinosaur! 1. Cut out the pictures of bones from the sheet provided and arrange them to show what the dinosaur might have looked like. Stick this is into your book. 2. Produce a drawing of your dinosaur to show its colour and body covering (e.g. feathers, scales). Challenge! Can you describe the ideal habitat for your creature; giving reasons why it is best suited to that environment? Parent/carer signature and date:	Task Four In Buddhism, the lotus flower is a popular symbol which carries special meaning. Draw a detailed sketch of a lotus flower and annotate your drawing by noting what each stage of the growth process (from a seed on a muddy river bed to full bloom above the water's surface) represents and symbolises. http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/religion/budd hism.htm http://buddhists.org/buddhist-symbols/the-meaning-of-the-lotus-flower-in-buddhism/ Challengel Create a Lotus Flower Paper Cup Lantern using the link provided or create your own artistic 3D Lotus flower! https://www.activityvillage.co.uk/lotus-flower-paper-cup-lantern Parent/carer signature and date:
Task Five April 22 nd is World Earth Day. To celebrate create a piece of art using recyclable materials. This could be used cardboard packaging, plastic bottles, newspapers or magazines. Image: Im	Task Six The National History Museum has 14 virtual exhibitions that can be viewed online. Go to the link below and pick one. You could choose to learn about Mary Anning, Female trailblazers, the architecture of the museum itself, Early life in Britain or dinosaurs. View your chosen exhibition, look carefully at the photos and read all about each one. After make a poster advertising the exhibition. You could include: a catchy title, an interesting fact you learnt, a drawing of one of the photos, what a visitor would learn about, who might enjoy visiting, a rhetorical question, why you should visit. https://artsandculture.google.com/search/exhibit?p=nat ural-history-museum Challenge! Pick 5 words that are used in your chosen virtual exhibition that you did not fully understand. Look up their definitions. Parent/carer signature and date:	Task Seven It's Deaf Awareness Week beginning 6 th May. We would like you to teach yourself one sign each day of the week. Can you draw the sign, explain what the sign means and then write a paragraph explaining why you think it is important to raise awareness this for deaf community. Please make sure you include: fronted adverbials, a pair of brackets, dashes and commas. https://www.british-sign.co.uk/ Challenge! Can you sign your name using the British Sign Language alphabet. Parent/carer signature and date:	Task EightUsing this image, please couldyou write a short story abouthow the shark ended up inthe house. Use yourimagination. Where did theshark come from? Whathappened to the people who live inside the house?Were there witnesses?Write at least two paragraphs including, frontedadverbials, punctuation for parenthesis and impress uswith a colon or semi-colon.ChallengelAdd two pieces of direct speech to your story to conveycharacter. Think about Mister Tom and how he spoke.How will you convey your character?Parent/carer signature and date: