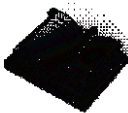







## Year 5 Our Work This Term - Summer 1

Subject	Areas studied	How to help your child at home
<b>English</b> 	<p>Narrative stories inspired by known Nursery Rhymes and the book <i>The Adventures of the Dish and the Spoon</i></p>	<p>Reading at home at least 3 times per week. Reading Diaries are checked on a Friday and should be signed weekly by a parent. Encourage children to discuss what they have read.</p> <p>Encourage children to learn their weekly spellings, tested on a Friday</p>
<b>Maths</b> 	<p>Angles, using a protractor accurately and 3D shape and 2D polygons, nets, problem solving.</p>	<p>Regularly complete Maths Whizz homework as this will help your child with Maths work they are struggling with.</p> <p>Encourage children to demonstrate their working out and explain their mental methods.</p> <p>Discuss some real life problems that include addition, subtraction, multiplication or division. Children can go on to write their own word problems for each operation.</p>
<b>Science</b> 	<p>Forces-, gravity, water resistance, wind resistance, friction.</p>	<p>Encourage your child to recognise forces in action in real life settings.</p>
<b>History/ Geography</b>	<p>The Mayans</p>	<p>Questions to consider:  Who were the Mayans?  Can the children find where the Mayas lived on a globe.  How is their civilisation similar to other Historical periods the children have studied.  Make their own tortillas, or chocolate inspired recipes.</p>
<b>Computing</b> 	<p>Design write and debug programmes  Work with variables Scratch catch game.</p>	<p>Use computing skills at home.</p>

<b>PE</b>	Ball and batting skills, team games- rounders Commando Jo	Encourage children to be active and practice throwing and catching/aiming at targets.
<b>SMSC &amp; SRE</b> 	Teamwork and friendships.	In SMSC we will be exploring ways to improve our skills at working in teams and developing friendships.
<b>RE</b> 	Hinduism	Discuss different faiths with your child, can they tell you where Hindus worship and how?