

Home Learning

... fostering positive Home Learning experiences; highlighting the value of being life-long learners.



Middle School - Term 4 2018
Grades 3 and 4
Handed out: Friday 12th October 2018
Due back to school: Every Thursday



<p>English</p>	<p>Find an enjoyable good fit book and read it for 15 minutes. Collect 15 Wow Words from your reading session.</p> <p>Use these words to create a Word Find (for a friend to solve).</p>	<p>Find a non-fiction book (from the library, home or take home books) and read carefully.</p> <p>Please write a brief piece that would recommend this book to a friend as to why they should read this book. Don't forget to include important parts such as the title, author(s) name, an outstanding fact from this book, and of course your recommendations as to why it should be read.</p>	<p>Pick a main character from the book you are reading (or your favourite book).</p> <p>Now you become the 'Be an Author'. What three things would you like to change about this character, and why?</p> <p>Write down your changes and the reasons behind your changes in full sentences.</p>
<p>Mathematics</p>	<p>The answer is 72. What could the question be? Please provide ten questions.</p> <p>** Questions could be worded problems or numerical equations. For example: Q. Casey cooked twelve dozen cookies. He put them out for his friends to eat. They ate exactly one half of them. How many were left? A. 72 or Q. $10 \times 7 + 2 = ?$ A. 72</p> <p>Please show or explain how you got your answers.</p>	<p>How many ways?</p> <p>Maria was given 4 cards with the numbers 6, 4, 7 and 5 written on them. She was told to find all the different totals that could be made using all of the four cards in a 2-digit addition, e.g. $67 + 24 = 121$.</p> <p>How many different totals can be made? What was the highest and smallest totals that could be made?</p> <p>Please demonstrate how you got your answers.</p>	<p>Zac weighed five \$2 coins and found out the total weight of them was 35 grams. Next, he weighed five \$1 coins and read the weight on the scale as 45 grams (Yes it is a fact that \$1 coins weigh more than \$2 coins).</p> <p>He quickly scooped up some \$1 and \$2 coins combined. Their weight was exactly 88 grams.</p> <p>What is the total of the money that Zac had for his 88 grams of coins? (Hint: there is more than one answer possible).</p>
<p>General</p>	<p>Behind The Scenes</p> <p>Make your own comic (three panels) using a storyboard (this activity should be completed after Week 5).</p> <p>Make sure that you include some speech balloons and thought bubbles.</p>	<p>The word is 'CONCENTRATION'.</p> <p>How many words that have at least 3 letters can you make using its letters? You are allowed to re-arrange the letters.</p> <p>Here are a few to start off with: cent, rain, are...</p>	<p>Create your own original poster (on a page of your home learning book) that could be used to advertise your favourite movie.</p> <p>Don't forget to include a picture and the other important features (for example, the title of the movie, main actors, etc.).</p>

Checking Your Home Learning

Your teacher will be looking at your homework and marking it according to the rubric below.

	1 Point	3 Points	5 Points
Presentation	Careless handwriting, messy or missing decoration.	Reasonably neat handwriting and some decoration.	Very neat handwriting with borders, headings and pictures.
Information	Writing that completes the task but with little detail.	Enough information to complete the task with some detail.	Very detailed and informative. Providing extra information or ideas than the activity asks for.
Effort	The task was rushed and little effort has been made to make it interesting.	A good amount of time was spent completing the task.	A lot of time was spent to make the task the best it could be.

	Rubric Score			
English				
Maths				
General				
Total Score for the Term				

The above Home Learning grid provides nine tasks. Please submit every Thursday. If you have questions, please contact one of the year 3/4 school teachers.

Regular/daily home learning is strongly encouraged:

- reading a variety of text types e.g. fiction, non-fiction, newspapers
- extending mathematical understanding using Mathematics