

YEAR 5'S CLASS HOMEWORK GRID

We feel that at St Thomas' Leesfield School homework should develop the whole child. Homework does not always need to be work sheet based as 'work at home' can come in many guises. All nine areas should be fulfilled each week of the year, at least one activity per area. Tick off/highlight what you have done and have it signed weekly by a parent/adult. Enjoy your homework and thank you parents for your support.

<p><u>PHYSICAL ACTIVITY</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Go swimming ● Play in the park ● Join and train at a sports club ● Bike ride ● Training for fitness ● Play football or any other sport ● Dance classes ● Horse riding, dog walking etc. ● Attend an after school physical activity club ● Other: _____ 	<p><u>READING / LITERACY</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Read your school book- write in planner ● Daily read a book from home/library ● Read magazines and newspapers/comics ● Learn your spellings – use the words in context/definitions – (Friday test). ● Write a short piece of writing related to our topic. ● Read aloud to family/friends to improve fluency- get them to ask you questions. 	<p><u>MATHS WORK</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Practise adding and subtracting fractions whose denominators are common multiples. ● Convert improper fractions to mixed number fractions. ● Learn and practise your times tables up to x12; randomly and out of order too- use TT Rockstars- write in planner. ● Work on Numeracy targets Basic Busters (BBs)- follow the teaching and learning newsletter to what we have been learning.
<p><u>REFLECTION AND RELAXATION</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Have quiet time on your own to reflect ● Reflect on which character traits in the Oldham Pledge you need to work on ● Say your prayers ● Spiritual time ● Think about your personal target and how to achieve it ● Think about our current Christian Value. 	<p><u>TEACH YOUR PARENTS...</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Something you have been learning about this week- Talk about it ● Discuss the Oldham Pledge and talk about which pledges/character traits you need to work on. ● Discuss our topic, can you create something with your parents to bring into school as evidence of this? 	<p><u>HOUSEWORK</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Keep your bedroom clean and tidy ● Help with the dishes ● Help with tea and/or lay/clear the table ● Do a couple of household chores- e.g.- dusting. ● Empty the bins/put out the recycling bins for collection ● Pack your book bag/packed lunch for the next day.
<p><u>MUSIC AND ARTS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Play/practise an instrument ● Draw or paint ● Drama/dance ● Visit a gallery/museum ● Practise a language ● Listen to music - various genres. 	<p><u>LEISURE AND MEDIA</u> (depends on family rules)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Television ● Computer for leisure ● iPad ● Visit school website – in particular the Topic areas for Y5 and photo gallery ● Look at our school website class page (Y5) how can we improve it? 	<p><u>FAMILY TIME</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Find time to talk ● Time to do things together ● Play games/do an activity ● Go and visit friends/relatives – if you can ● Eat meals together ● Share news of the day ● Talk about newspaper articles/TV news/Newsround

This Homework Grid is 'The Homework' in Year 5 and it is vitally important to ensure that your child is a well-rounded, independent and individual learner. However, there may be other more formal homework too.

Signed: _____

Date: _____