

We believe that the basic skills are the ones we should be practising regularly at home so that they become a habit. That way, they are seen as an interest or game, rather than a task or chore. This is very valuable 'work' for home:

Daily Reading	Device Time	Talk Time
Read, read, read - a schoolbook, home book, newspaper, subtitles or comic and jot it in your reading record	Many of us use devices in our 'downtime' – we encourage you to use educational apps to practice reading and maths skills	At home you can continue to improve speaking and listening skills, and help remember and extend our classroom learning by checking on the Class Story on Class Dojo to see what we get up to

Log-on to these apps for educational 'device time' (where applicable, usernames sent separately):







Termly Project Tasks

We believe that learning 'sticks' best when it connects, is rehearsed and is explored based on personal interest and skill set. An element of choice can motivate us too. So in addition to the 'habits' above that we expect you to do every week, the Project Task is specific to the class theme and brought in at the end of term. It gives time to explore possibilities and perhaps do one big thing or a couple of little things that support our learning in school.

Research Skills

Explore your research skills.

- Find out about rationing during WW2.
- Find out about evacuees during the war.

This term's theme is

"Home Front"
HAND-IN:

GALLERY:

Mathematical Skills

Explore your mathematical skills:

- Draw a labelled plan of an air raid shelter.
- Where did evacuees go? Draw a map of the journey travelled by evacuees.

Creativity

Explore your creative skills.

- Make an evacuee costume using old clothes and different materials.
- Cook a wartime rations recipe.
- Make a poppy collage using different materials.
- Make a 3D model of an air raid shelter.



on these ideas or you can add your own ideas too .

Writing Skills

Explore your writing skills.

- Be a history detective. Find out about the role of women during the war and the jobs they did.
- Be a history detective. Find out why November 11th is known as Remembrance Day and how Remembrance Day is celebrated.