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Dear parents and carers of pupils in Year 4

All children have been given a list of suggested homework activities to complete over the summer holiday (please see below). These activities have been discussed with your child during transition meetings and are intended to help prepare them for the year ahead. They should be handed in during the first week of the Autumn Term.

As your child is moving into Year 5 there is an expectation that they will complete a little more homework each week, in addition to reading regularly. In September the class teacher will send out homework booklets which will be full of activities linked to your child's current topic. This approach gives children and parents more flexibility and choice when to complete homework, and there are more opportunities for children to be creative across a range of curriculum subjects. To ensure an appropriate level of challenge, with maths homework, tasks will be set separately each week for this particular subject. The homework booklets will be updated for the next academic year and shared at the curriculum meeting for Year 5 parents on: **Thursday 5**th **September at 2.30pm**.

Additional information is available on the school website including a topic web which provides an overview of your child's learning across the year. These will be updated for September.

Your Year 5 Summer Homework Tasks:

- Read regularly. You could complete the Summer Reading Challenge at the local library.
- We would like you to create a scrapbook that tells us about your summer holiday. This could include photos, diary entries, train tickets, leaflets, drawings etc. Be as creative as you like!
- Practise times tables http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/times-tables
- Gather information about the Tudor Kings and Queens and create a poster or a piece of writing of your choice e.g. a letter, diary or newspaper report.

Thank you for your continued support; we look forward to working with you,

The Year 5 team