

Reading Challenge

I have had several parents asking how they can be supporting their child's progress and learning outside of school. The best way you can be doing this during year 1 is by reading, reading and then reading some more!

To encourage your child in reading at home we are going to begin a new reward for those who read at least 5 times a week. We will check reading records every Monday. If your child has read with you 5 times at home since the previous Monday they will receive a star for the star chart and have their name put into a raffle. At the end of each half term, 3 names will be picked out of the raffle and prizes awarded!



Homework 1 – Due Thursday 8th March

We are going to be learning about the Australia during this term. The first homework task of this term is to create a drawing/painting/collage of the given Australian animal or landmark (see top of sheet). You may need to research to find out what your animal/place looks like and why it is important in Australia. It **must be no bigger than A5** and please don't add a background as they will be cut out so that they can all be displayed on a map in our classroom!



Homework 2 – Due Wednesday 28th March

We are also going to be learning all about how to stay healthy in our Science and DT lessons this term. Your second homework task this term is to design a healthy meal. You could make it and take photographs, draw a labelled picture of your meal on a plate, write a recipe, or record in another way you think of! Grown-ups, you could ask your budding chef to explain why their meal is healthy – does it have foods from all sections of the ‘Eat well plate’?

