

Oak Cottage Primary School

English homework – Year 5

Autumn 1

English homework is set on a Monday and handed in by the Monday.
If you would like to complete some extra homework, choose one activity below each week.
Each task should take approximately 30 minutes to an hour to complete although you are welcome to spend longer if you wish.

Don't forget to record in your reading journal a minimum of 4 times a week.

Write a diary entry in the role of Neil Armstrong about the day you stepped foot on the moon. Think about your use of vocabulary and describing your emotions from the landing to stepping on to the moon through to taking back off again.	You are going on a spaceship and can only take 10 things with you. What will you take and why? Either write or draw them in your suitcase. Be sure to use sentences and punctuate them correctly!	Choose a planet from our solar system and create a fact file about it. Present the fact file how you wish & Write three sentences involving a target spelling used correctly.
So far 24 astronauts have visited the moon. Choose one and record a biography about them – you should include at least 3 fronted adverbials (Do not forget the comma!).	Write a book review on a book you have read. Would you recommend it to someone else? Why? What was good about it? What did you not enjoy in it? Describe the characters and a general overview of what happens.	<u>2 Weeks</u> Imagine....an alien space ship has landed in your garden. Write a story about what happens. (Remember to use powerful vocabulary and varied sentence openers to bring your story to life!)
Create a timeline to show the history of space travel.	Complete the grammar activity linked to noun phrases and fronted adverbials. You will need to create a document to record your answers.	<u>2 Weeks</u> Make a model of our solar system using a variety of materials such as cereal boxes, coloured paper, tin foil and cardboard tubes. Use online images and pictures in non-fiction books to help with your design. Take several pictures and add them to a doc on the Google Classroom

Spelling list can be found on the Class Page on the school website and on the Google Classroom. Remember to practise them weekly.

