

YEAR TWO

At Kings Road, our approach to homework is split into two sections: core homework (recommended) and family homework (optional extras). Family homework invites the children, siblings and parents/carers to spend time together, collaborating and having fun when completing tasks set. Families will have the opportunity to complete a series of tasks sent home at the beginning of each half term. The suggested list of activities is not exhaustive; the children may engage with as little or as many as they wish. Families can choose when they do this homework, allowing for flexibility built in for our differing families and all their needs. We value all additional work children and their families put in outside of school, and while this homework is optional, we will celebrate any homework shared within school. All feedback will be given to children on their homework verbally by their adults and peers.

Family Homework – Autumn 2

Due date: 16th December 2024

Topic: Home and Away!

For our topic, we're looking into the geography of the world. We'll exploring more about the United Kingdom, specifically facts about each of the countries that make it up, we'll be looking at our local area and looking at what makes it unique, we'll be comparing Chelmsford to an area in the Caribbean and we'll be looking at weather patterns across the UK.

Investigate: Research and create a poster about Jamaica. You could find out the population, their culture, anything they're famous for etc.



Travel: Look at a map of your local area using Google Maps. Can you plot a route to walk with your family?

Create: Keep a log of the weather in Chelmsford over 2 weeks. Can you create a tally chart of which weather we had the most?

Make: Research into a Caribbean-style recipe and have a go at recreating one with your family to eat.

Investigate: Research into one of the capital cities of the UK (London, Edinburgh, Cardiff and Belfast). What can you find out about them?

Create: Tie dye is popular in Jamaica. Can you get a plain white t-shirt and some ink dye and create a tie dye inspired tshirt?

