

## Homework

We are expecting children to engage in TT Rockstars/maths.co.uk/Spag.com and to read frequently throughout the week at home with their parents.

Additional to this, each half term we are asking parents to work on a project at home with their child.



### UKS2 Autumn Term 2 2025

Choose from the following exciting cross-curricular projects to complete over the half term. Each project links to a different subject and includes an optional extension activity.

**Projects are due in by Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December, these can either be brought into school or emailed to the home learning addresses found on the class pages.**

<p style="text-align: center;">1. English – Classic Fiction Project: Create a Story Box</p> <p>Choose a classic fiction book (e.g., Alice in Wonderland, The Secret Garden, or Treasure Island). Decorate a shoebox to represent the story. Include 5–7 objects inside that symbolize key characters, settings, or events. Write a short explanation for each item and how it connects to the story.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2. Science – Properties and Changes of Materials Project: Kitchen Chemistry Investigation</p> <p>Investigate reversible and irreversible changes using kitchen ingredients (e.g., melting chocolate, baking bread, dissolving sugar). Record observations with photos or drawings. Create a poster or slideshow explaining the science behind each change.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">3. PE – Dance or Gymnastics Project: Create a Mini Routine</p> <p>Choreograph a short dance or gymnastics routine (1–2 minutes). Choose a theme (e.g., seasons, animals, emotions). Record a video or draw a storyboard showing each movement. Write a short reflection on what inspired your routine and how it makes you feel.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">4. RE – Hindu Dharma Project: Design a Hindu Festival Guide</p> <p>Choose a Hindu festival (e.g., Diwali, Holi, Navratri). Create a colourful guidebook or leaflet explaining: What the festival celebrates Key traditions and rituals Foods, clothing, and decorations Include illustrations or photos if possible.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">5. Art – Portraits in Mixed Media Project: Create a Mixed Media Self-Portrait</p> <p>Use a combination of materials (e.g., magazine cut-outs, fabric, paint, pencil, natural items). Make a self-portrait that reflects your personality or interests. Write a short artist’s statement explaining your choices.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">6. DT – Designing a Pulley/Gear Machine Project: Invent a Useful Machine</p> <p>Design a simple machine using pulleys or gears (e.g., a toy lift, a moving sign, or a rotating display). Draw detailed diagrams and label the parts. If possible, build a model using household items (string, cardboard, wheels). Explain how it works and what problem it solves.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">7. Geography – Leisure Facility &amp; Map Skills Project: Plan a New Local Leisure Centre</p> <p>Design a leisure facility for your area (e.g., skate park, swimming pool, nature trail). Draw a sketch map showing its location and features. Include a key, compass rose, and scale. Write a short proposal explaining why your facility would benefit the community.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8. History – The Suffragettes Project: Create an Information Booklet</p> <p>Research who the Suffragettes were and what they fought for. Include key figures (e.g., Emmeline Pankhurst), events, and slogans. Present your findings in a booklet with sections, illustrations, and timelines. Add a glossary of important terms.</p>