

## Year 4 Home Learning Spring 1

- Children should complete at least 20 points worth of home learning. They can record their activities in their home learning book.
- They must complete at least one activity from 'I enjoy reading, writing and speaking' and 'I enjoy being mathematical and scientific'.
- Photographs of practical projects are welcomed and can be incorporated into their book if you wish to do so.
- Please shade in the projects that you have undertaken this half term.
- Tick the box when you practise your times tables or spellings. Try to practise at least 3 times a week.

**HOMEWORK DUE DATE: Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February**

	6 <sup>th</sup> January			13 <sup>th</sup> January			20 <sup>th</sup> January			27 <sup>th</sup> January			3 <sup>rd</sup> February		
<b>Times table Practice</b>															
<b>Spelling Practice</b>															

	2 POINTS	4 POINTS	6 POINTS	8 POINTS	10 POINTS
<b>I enjoy reading, writing and speaking. YOU MUST COMPLETE AT LEAST ONE ACTIVITY FROM THIS ROW</b>	Take a picture of you reading in an unusual place.	Find a book about the Romans to read at home. Maybe Horrible Histories – Rotten Romans.	Find out some more unusual facts about the Romans.	Create a poster with mosaic borders for your unusual facts.	Write your own 'Just So Story'. If you don't have an idea of your own, write 'How the Leopard Got Its Spots'. It might be helpful to create a story plan. Can you use subordinate clauses and conjunctions?
<b>I enjoy being mathematical and scientific. YOU MUST COMPLETE AT LEAST ONE ACTIVITY FROM THIS ROW</b>	Revise the 3,4,6,7,8 times tables. Teach your family how to use the number boards using paper.	Design and create a maths game that uses adding and subtracting. Use board games you have at home to help you.	Design and make a simple musical instrument out of recycled materials that can make more than one sound. Explain how you made it and write 5 facts about your instrument including how it makes a sound.	Design and create a maths game that uses all 4 operations. It's a challenge!	Create and do your own experiment about the digestive system or the teeth.
<b>I enjoy being creative, painting, drawing and visualising.</b>	Sketch or paint a picture of yourself.	Take photographs of your favourite places or locations outside e.g. the beach, the New Forest and create your own calendar for the year.	Draw and colour your own Roman mosaic. Squared paper may help. You may wish to cut up coloured paper instead.	Compare two different Roman mosaics. Use <a href="http://primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/romans/mosaics.html">http://primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/romans/mosaics.html</a> What colours are used, what patterns and/or pictures are used in each? Explain which you prefer and why. Maybe illustrate a section in your book.	Design and make a Roman house. Include furniture and mosaic floors. Add characters. Take a photo.
<b>I enjoy being active and doing hands-on activities.</b>	Over one week, keep a record of all the animals and birds that visit your garden.	Create a bird feeder for the wild birds. Hang it in your garden and take a photograph.	Choose a cake or biscuit recipe. Make it and write your own set of instructions.	Create a mini assault course in your garden and test it out on your family. Draw a map of your assault course and label each activity.	Plan a new fitness regime for you and your family. Keep a record of your progress. Keep a diary of your experiences and add photographs if you wish.
<b>I enjoy finding out about the world around me.</b>	List as many countries as possible that the Romans invaded.	Create a fact file about modern day Rome. What key places should the tourists visit? Why?	The Romans loved to grow herbs for medicines. Grow a type of herb and keep a diary of its progress. You might like to use a graph, photos or observational notes. E.g. Rosemary.	Select a country anywhere in the world. Find out some interesting facts about the country. Create an information book about this country include flags, landscape and traditions.	Research a Roman invention that is still used today. E.g. Roads, aqueducts, sewage systems, central heating (hypocaust) Use Microsoft Word to produce a fact page about the invention.