

Year 4 Weekly Homework

Spring Term - Week 1

(To be handed in Monday 16th January)

Mandatory Reading

Make sure you read for 10-15 minutes, 5 times per week and write this in your reading log.

Maths	Work out these perimeter word problems:	
	Lizzy has built a pool in her garden. One side is 13m long, the second is 12m and the third is 10m. What is the total perimeter of the pond?	Lizzy decides to double the size of her pool, what would the total perimeter be now? Show your workings out.
	Work out the perimeter of the following shapes:	
	<div><div><div>5cm</div><div></div></div><div><div>7cm</div><div>3cm</div></div><div><div>3cm</div><div>2cm</div><div>3cm</div><div>5cm</div><div>6cm</div></div><div><div>5cm</div><div>1cm</div></div></div>	
English	Use a dictionary to find the definitions for the following words, and write them in your book: <div><div>1. Increase</div><div>2. Experience</div><div>3. Knowledge</div><div>4. Famous</div></div> Challenge: Can you write a sentence for each of the words?	Write down as many words as you can, in your book, using these letters: <div><div><div>T</div><div>W</div><div>S</div></div><div><div>A</div><div>B</div><div>R</div></div><div><div>D</div><div>I</div><div>N</div></div></div> Challenge: Can you find the 9-letter word?
A little Comprehension	<div><div><div><div>The Hunter with a Heart</div><div>I'd been hiding in the undergrowth for what seemed like hours before the beast appeared - my stomach growling with hunger so loudly that I was scared it might give my position away. I'd sharpened the tip of my flint spear and made three extra arrows out of twigs and animal bone. I was ready to become the hero of my village; ready to bring back the biggest catch we'd had in months. It was so big it would feed our families for weeks. I approached - tiptoeing silently behind the trees. Just as I was about to fire, I saw it... a baby mammoth, trundling and stumbling behind its mother, weaving in and out of her legs. I knew I couldn't do it. I couldn't kill them... but what would we do for supper?</div></div><div><div>1. What does "trundling and stumbling" tell you about the baby mammoth's walk?</div><div>2. What do you think the hunter did next? Give a reason for your answer.</div><div>3. How has the author made the character seem unsure at the end of the text?</div><div>4. Explain how the hunter's feelings change throughout the text.</div></div></div></div>	
<div><div>Alternative:</div><div>If you find you do not have time to complete the homework sheet this week, could you please complete 1 Bedrock Vocabulary Lesson and play TT Rockstars.</div><div>You may also choose to complete a creative project from the Topic Task's list instead.</div></div>		

