

# Homework - Year 6 Spring 2 2026

## Every Week

Each half term a list of words from the common exception spellings from Years 5/6 will be sent home for children to learn. At the end of each half term, children will be given a spelling test on the words from the list.

Children will bring home an accelerated reading book at their reading level. They are able to quiz in school and change their book as soon as they have quizzed. Please read for a minimum of 20 minutes each day.

Every Friday, children will be set a homework task for maths and GPS/reading— this should be returned to school by the following Wednesday and should take around 30 minutes per week.

Children will be given a login to TTRS (Times Tables Rock Stars) In Year 6 children are expected to know up to 12x tables. We ask that children complete 20 minutes of games across the week.

A letter will be sent to explain Key Instant Recall Facts (KIRFs) for maths— we ask that you work on these with your child for at least 5 minutes each day.

## Choose a selection each half term

### Make Do and Mend!

Can you create new items from old clothing or scraps? You could transform them into bunting, a rag doll, a shopping bag or a new piece of clothing! Be as creative as you can.

### Diary entry

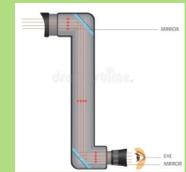
Write a diary entry from the perspective of a child living in Britain during WW2. You could write from the perspective of an evacuee or maybe a child who already lives in the countryside where evacuees have been sent.

### Military Machines

Research and find out about a vehicle or plane used by the British military in WW2. Create an information page about it.

### Periscope Designer Challenge

Design and make a working periscope using mirrors.



### Air Raid Shelter

Find out about the different types of air raid shelters.

Create a poster explaining the differences or have a go at making a model of an Anderson shelter.

### Morse Code

Create a morse code message using a torch. Research morse code and then record a short message to someone.

### Shadow Art Project

Create a piece of shadow art. Use a lamp or torch. Arrange objects to create interesting shadows. Photograph or sketch the result. Write an explanation about how shadows are formed and why shadows change size.

### Instructional writing

Write a set of instructions for one of the following:

1. How to survive an air raid
2. A recipe using WW2 rations
3. How to grow your own food in wartime