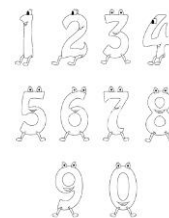


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# Volume

This week we continued to work on calculating the area of composite shapes and then learnt how to calculate the volume of a cuboid or composite 3D shape. We used the formula lengths x width x depth and now understand why we are using the cubed notation when recording our units of measure.

## TASK 1

Homework this week is revision of ...

This week they must complete Geometry, Measure and Statistics page 34 on volume and page 28 on money.

## Literacy and Topic

We have started a new text type this week and are now looking at argument and discussion writing. In line with our topic of inspirational famous people, we are looking at David Attenborough and how he is changing the way our generation look at the environment. Within this we have watched a clip from blue planet about how plastics are polluting our oceans and endangering many animals. Due to this are argument texts are based on the question "should plastics be banned?".

## TASK 2

Read "Born Free" (p24-25) and complete the structure and layout and writers purpose questions

## Spelling and Grammar

### Spelling

In spelling this week we have been looking at the ough letter string and the different sounds it makes. We have also looked at spelling patterns with this sound and practised using dictionaries to support us with our self-correcting and editing skills.

### Grammar

In grammar we have been revising all we have learnt on clauses. We have recapped on main and subordinate clauses and delved deeper into discussing relative and conditional clauses and types of subordinates. Within this we have looked at the use of conjunctions and how they are used to join clauses to determine if they are subordinating or coordinating.

Coordinating - joins two main or independent clauses.

Subordination - joins a main clause with a subordinate clause.

## TASK 3

This term grammar homework will be a combination of revising rules previously learnt to see if they are remembered and consolidating rules learnt in class. Hence please do not be alarmed if the children do not work through their revision books in order.

This week they must complete CGP grammar pages 16-18 which is mixed practise on homework covered so far.

My child's response to the tasks.