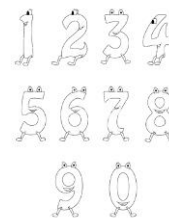


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Measures

This week we have been recapping on converting between units of measures of using these skills to solve problems. For example - A joiner needs 12 lengths of wood measuring 245mm and 6 pieces measuring 582mm. The wood is sold in lengths of 3m. Calculate how many lengths of wood are needed. ($245\text{mm} \times 12 = 2940\text{mm} = 2.94\text{m}$ - so use 1 length and $582\text{mm} \times 6 = 3492\text{mm} = 3.492\text{m}$ so use 2 lengths)

We have also been recapping on how to find percentages of numbers (e.g. 27% of 300 - 25% is $\frac{1}{4}$ so half and half again = 75. Then $1\% = 0.3$ so $2\% = 6$ so 27% is $75 + 6 = 81$)

TASK 1

For maths homework this term the children will be given a combination of consolidation of work completed in class that week and revision of topics taught a few weeks prior to assess if they have remembered it.

This week they must complete **Geometry, Measure and Statistics pages 6-9 on angles**. If they need a protractor they may borrow one from school.

Literacy and Topic

Before Christmas we finished our topic on the refugee crisis, which we based around our class book "A Story Like the Wind". The children faced this topic with such incredible maturity and I was exceptionally proud of their attitudes and their work!

This half term our topic is "Famous People". This week we have read examples of biographies written about famous authors and have identified features used in typical biography writing. We then started researching a famous figure that inspired us so that we can base our work for the next few weeks on their lives and achievements.

TASK 2

This term the children will be completing a section of the reading comprehension texts each week.

This week they must read **CGP poem "Saved" (p3) and complete the inference questions (p4 - 7)**

Spelling and Grammar

Spelling

Due to New Year's Day and our INSET day, we have yet to begin looking at new spelling rules. However this week we have continued to revise some of the Y3/4 and 5/6 statutory spelling words. These can be found on the school website if you wish to revise them with your child.

Grammar

In our grammar lessons we have revised simple, compound and complex sentences and looked at using semi-colons, colons and dashes to join independent clauses in the place of conjunctions. It would be great if you could look out for these when reading with your child.

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. Also the children will be working on book 1 in class and book 2 for homework.

This week they must complete **CGP grammar pages 2-5 on nouns**

My child's response to the tasks.