

<p><b>All Hail the King and Queen</b> King Charles 3rd is our current king, however, there have been lots of kings and queens of England. Research one and create a fact file about them.</p>	<p><b>Guide the Robot</b> Ask a family member or friend to play robots. You need to guide them to a safe place but they can only do as you ask. Use positional and directional language to guide them.</p>	<p><b>Shock Twist!</b> We will be looking at alternative fairy tales. Have you ever read a fairy-tale that doesn't end up like you think it will? Chose you favourite fairy-tale, then include a surprising end. E.g. The Gingerbread man absorbs the water, grows 10m and swallows the fox</p>	<p><b>Fit for the King</b> The King has a sweet tooth. Can you create something delicious for him to enjoy? What type of treat will you create? How will you decorate it for the King?</p>	<p><b>Fashion Designer of the Future</b> If you could design your own clothes, what would you have? Design an outfit for yourself then design an outfit for a king or queen. How are your outfits different? What material would you use? What patterns would you include?</p>
<p><b>How do I Grow?</b> While looking at how plants grow, we will also be looking at how we grow. Can you create a poster showing others how to stay healthy. Make sure the poster is bright and eye catching.</p>	<p><b>Mini Palace</b> Can you make a 3-D model of Buckingham Palace? You can use recycled materials, Lego or anything else you can think of? Can you create parts that move, like a drawbridge or doors?</p>	<p><b>Word problems</b> Can you create some maths word problem. For example, Miss Baxter has 46 pencils. Mrs Hart has 23 pencils; how many do they have all together?</p>	<p><b>Fairy tales in 2025</b> If fairy-tale characters were real and alive now, what do you think their life would be like? Choose a fairy-tale character and decide where they would live, what job they would have, what they would wear and what they would do for fun?</p>	<p><b>Sunny Sunflowers</b> Plant the sunflower seed and keep a plant diary to see how your plant is growing. You might also want to take photos to track the growth. Ensure your plant is in a sunny area and you water it regularly. We will check to see how your sunflower is getting on in Summer 2.</p>

You will receive 5 house points for every piece of optional homework you complete!

Mental Maths Focus this half term:

- Complete simple additions and subtractions in your head to 100, using whatever method works best for you. E.g.  $73+16=70+10+3+6$
- Counting forward and back in 10s, 5s, 3s, and 2s. from any number
- Recall multiplication and division facts for the 10, 5, 3 and 2 times table.

It would be great if you could continue to help your child read the time to the nearest 5 minutes on an analogue clock. It is something that needs to be practised regularly as it is really tricky!