



# Spring Term

## Topic

Here are a selection of homework pieces that the children can choose from. They can be done in any order and will allow them to explore our topic in a little more detail as well as allowing you at home to see what types of learning is being covered this term.

**Homework should be handed in by Wednesday to be marked and returned on a Friday. Weekly arithmetic and spelling will be put on the website each Friday.**

### Priority Homework:

**Daily Reading, Weekly Arithmetic & Weekly Spellings**

**In addition to the above items, please try and complete at least 8 out of the following 10 activities before Easter. If you do, then you will be a Homework Hero, achieve Purleigh Stamps and Hero certificates. Good Luck!**

1. Most of South America speaks Spanish, with Brazil speaking Portuguese. Create a simple vocab sheet to show the same words in English, Spanish & Portuguese. Consider what you would want to say if on holiday.
2. Find the population figures and land area of all the South American Countries. Record this data in a clear table.
3. Imagine travelling up the Amazon River into the depths of the rainforest. Research and record some information of the exclusive animals and plants that can be found in this endangered habitat.
4. List all the states of the USA in alphabetical order.
5. The Americas are full of amazing places – both natural and man-made. Locate such features as Mount Rushmore (South Dakota, USA); Iguazu Falls (border between Brazil and Argentina); and the Great Lakes (USA / Canada). Research them; plot them on a map; add pictures and notes.
6. Research the Chelmsford City Council Brand or Logo. What do each of the elements stand for? Create your own logo based on your local town or village.
7. Consider how London has developed as a city and as the Capital of the United Kingdom. Create a timeline that reflects the milestones in its evolution as a major global centre.
8. Research into the Chelmsford viaduct that crosses Chelmsford through Central Park. Investigate and list where else in the country has a viaduct.
9. Like many cities, Chelmsford has a university – Anglia Ruskin Uni. Use the internet to research into the types of things you can study there. Write a paragraph about whether you would like to go to university, what you would like to study and why.
10. List all the objects you use in one day that uses electricity. Investigate and record information about the different sources of renewable energy.