

Marvellous Me



and

Let's Celebrate!

Year R Homework Autumn Term

Welcome to Year R and Purleigh School! At Purleigh, we set homework tasks that the children can choose from each week over the course of the term. The homework is linked to our learning and topics, Marvellous Me and Let's Celebrate! The tasks do not need to be completed in order. The children may bring in each piece of homework as soon as it is complete, but no later than Wednesday to get the homework marked and the book back by Friday. Please remind your child to work with a writing pencil and to treat the book as he or she does their workbooks at school.

Adults - Please cut out the slips below as you complete the piece of homework and glue it at the top of the page so we know which homework your child has completed.

Marvellous Me (Autumn Term 1 – Sept to Oct)

1. Decorate your homework book to make it unique. You could use wrapping paper, pictures, photos, stickers etc. Make sure you put your name on the front somewhere!
2. Draw a picture of you and your family. See if you can write some labels for who they all are (Mum, Dad, Brother, Sister, Nan, Grandad etc).
3. Practice writing the numbers 1 to 10. See if you can find these numbers in different places around your home and write down where they were. Get an adult to help you write these down (e.g. clock, oven, door).
4. Draw a picture of your pet (or a pet you would like to have) and the things you need to look after them. Write some labels for your pictures (e.g. cat, dog, food, brush, toy).
5. Take some photos of the different places in your town or village. Get an adult to write down what you like about where you live and why (e.g. I like living in Purleigh because we have fun at the park).

Let's Celebrate! (Autumn Term 2 – Nov to Dec)

1. Create a firework picture. You can use anything you like! You might want to use pens, chalks, paint, collage etc. Write down the names of some of the colours you used.

2. Watch this video about the Hindu festival, Diwali...

<http://www.viewpure.com/Niy1XYspVfg?start=0&end=0>

See if you can create your own rangoli pattern using anything you like. Take a photo and stick it in your book.

3. Draw a picture of something you are thankful for. Write a caption or some key words under your picture to explain. Then, get an adult to write down what you discussed and explained.

4. See what you can find out about Remembrance Day. Talk to different members of your family and maybe visit your local war memorial. Draw a picture or stick in a photo of what you found out.

5. Take a photo or draw a picture of a Christmas tradition that you do in your house. Label or write a caption about your chosen tradition.

6. Go on a winter scavenger hunt. Look for different objects such as leaves, conkers, pine cones, Christmas lights, evergreen trees etc. Count how many of each you can find and write them in your book.

e.g. conkers = 5 pine cones = 8 leaves = 13

Please practise name writing every week at the top of the page. To help your child, you may want to write it out for them to copy, or write it in yellow highlighter for them to trace over

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