



Nelson Primary School
Inspiring Ambition, Achieving Success
Weekly Homework Tasks

Key Stage 2 Year 5

1.10.18

Homework books will be collected in on Monday and will be returned on Tuesday.

Reading - Please read aloud to an adult every day. Write a summary of what you have read or discuss the story with an adult. Please record in your reading record book the pages that you have read each day. **Remember to bring your book and reading record to school every day.** Please visit Nelson School Library for your reading wristband books.

Maths - Please practise your **Multiplication facts: 8** ready for your **test on Friday**. This is about knowing all the multiplication facts in the eight times table. It is important that children can also use words other than 'times', e.g. lots of, multiplied by, sets of... You could: Say: What is the answer to 6x8? 5x8? Say: What is 11 lots of 8? Say: What is the number before 56 in the 8x table?

Spelling

- 1) You must **ensure you know the meaning of the word**. -use a dictionary to help you if you are unsure.
- 2) **Write a sentence for some of the words**. You can include more than one word in a sentence as long as it makes sense and shows that you understand the word.
- 3) **Practise and study all of the spelling words ready for the Weekly Spelling Test**. Complete on the table below
- 4) **Use your spelling menu to help you Practise your spellings**. You can pick whatever activities you like to help you learn all the words.

Look Say Cover Write Check

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<i>circle</i>						
<i>complete</i>						
<i>consider</i>						
<i>continue</i>						
<i>decide</i>						
<i>describe</i>						
<i>different</i>						
<i>disappear</i>						
<i>early</i>						
<i>earth</i>						

You can choose to use this table if you like. Please make sure you Write your sentences in your homework books.

Comprehension - **Read your text and complete the comprehension questions in your homework book.**

Remember to write in full sentences and use P.E.E (Point, Evidence, Explanation) when answering the questions, go back and re-read your work to make sure you have answered the questions completely and your work makes sense. Do not write out the questions! **Your Homework book and completed homework/comprehension MUST be in school on MONDAY** so you can go over your work and answers with your teacher.

Pandora's Box

Re-read your text from last week and answers the questions below in full sentences in your homework books.

Questions – Answer these in your books in full sentences

8. What prevented Pandora from opening the box despite her intense curiosity?
9. What do you think Epimetheus would have thought and felt when he realised what his wife had done?
10. Find the simile in this piece of writing, quoting it in a sentence and stating what you think the effect of that description is.
11. What was the last thing to come out of the box? Why do you think Zeus included this thing in the box?
12. If Hope was not let out of the box, how would this change the ending of the story?
13. Do you believe Zeus's actions were entirely evil? Write two to three paragraphs explaining your answer, using some quotations from the text and your own ideas to justify your position (opinion).
14. Underline all the adjectives. Circle all the conjunctions (subordinating and co-ordinating) - **Challenge** Circle subordinating conjunctions in one colour and circle the co-ordinating conjunctions in another colour.