

Home Learning Summer 1 Year 2



CHERRY TREE
PRIMARY SCHOOL

<p>How is a town in Pakistan different to Watford? During this half term, we will be learning about the different climate, landscape, history and towns of Pakistan. We will consider how the weather and seasons are different in these countries compared to the UK and how that helps different types of fruits and vegetables to grow. We will learn about significant people who have lived in Pakistan and how they have helped society. We will look at the Art and Music which are popular in Pakistan and find out about the religion which is followed.</p>	
<p>Welcome back to our new half term. Thank you for all the fabulous Home Learning you did last term. We cannot wait to share your achievements this half term. As last time, choose from the various 'menu' activities and some daily tasks too listed below. Spellings will be sent home weekly to ensure you have the challenges you need to become a super speller. Please bring back all of your menu tasks by Wednesday 21st May ready to share with the class ☺.</p>	
<p>Reading – 10 - 20 mins, every day</p>	<p>Please read at home daily. This could be a shared read with a member of your family, an opportunity for you to read to an adult in your family or a time to quietly read and enjoy a good book on your own. You can read stories, fact books, letters, magazines, newspapers, recipes, instructions or online text on https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk <i>Please remember to sign your child's reading record every time they read.</i></p>
<p>Maths- 20 - 30 mins, every week.</p>	<p>This term we are focussing on fractions and time. Please use these sites to support your learning: https://www.topmarks.co.uk https://play.numbots.com/#/account/school-login-type? https://www.mathletics.co.uk</p>
<p>Times Tables- 10 - 15 mins, every week</p>	<p>Log on to Times Table Rock Stars or a similar Maths website to practise your tables. https://ttrockstars.com/</p>
<p>Phonics/ Spelling- 5 - 10 mins, every week</p>	<p>Look at this week's spelling list and practise writing your spellings neatly. Challenge: Can you put these spellings into sentences? When you read your reading book, look out for words with our spelling pattern and add them to the list. How many can you find? Use your phonics mats to spell out words with Phase 3,4 and 5 phonic sounds: for example, p-l-ay. play.</p>
<p>Handwriting- 5 - 10 mins, every week</p>	<p>Practise writing every letter of the alphabet neatly and on the line. Remember to WOW your family with your fantastic handwriting skills!</p>
<p>Keeping connected</p>	<p>We will be sharing the amazing things we do in school on Twitter - @Emma5Hills @MissRobertsCTS</p>



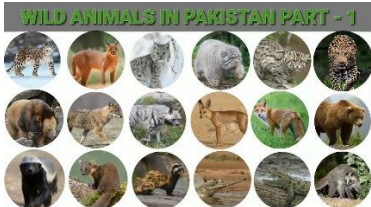
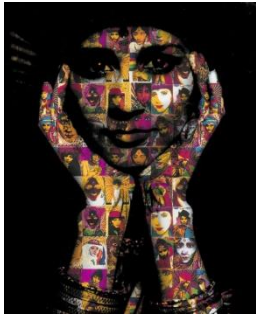

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Theme Menu: Year 2

Choose **2 or 3 creative** activities. The starter and dessert are quicker activities. The main will take longer. You have five weeks to finish your meal...I mean homework! Bring back **by Wednesday 21st May** ready to share ☺.

Starter	Main	Dessert
<p>Science Pick an animal from Pakistan and describe it in as much detail as you can without naming the animal. Your friends or family can have a go at guessing the animal based on all your clues.</p> 	<p>Geography Use a map to find the continent of Asia. How many countries can you name in Asia? Can you find Pakistan? Which countries are neighbours with Pakistan? What is the weather like in Pakistan? Capital city and other cities? Languages? Famous people? Mountains? Rivers? Forests?</p>  <p>Find out 10 interesting facts and turn them into a mini quiz for your friends to answer.</p>	<p>Art Go on the Tate Kids website https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-chila-kumari-singh-burman to find out about an Indian artist like Chila Kumari Singh Burman, whose family come from the Punjab, a region in Northern India. Look at her artwork. Do you like it? What do you like about it? Create a colourful, bright drawing or collage of something around you in your home that makes you happy. Use bright colours that are often found in Indian art.</p> 
<p>RE Islam is the religion of most people living in Pakistan. Find out about this religion and either draw pictures or write a list of key beliefs and practices of Muslim people.</p> 	<p>Geography Use an online map to find Islamabad in the north of Pakistan. Can you find the Himalayan Mountains? Find out about some of the animals that live in this environment and create a poster about them.</p> 	<p>Music Find out about music and songs which come from Pakistan. Have a listen to some songs from Pakistan. Can you find pictures of instruments typically used in Pakistan?</p> 

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Writing Menu: Year 2

Choose any **2 writing** activities. Bring back to school by **Wednesday 21st May** ready to share ☺.

A recipe for good relationships.

In Jigsaw this term we are learning about all the different relationships we have with friends, families and people at school.

Create a recipe for a good friendship or a happy friendship. E.g. kindness, love, caring, saying sorry, games, being able to trust.

Have a think about how you can make up with someone when you fall out. Maybe you could act this out with someone at home, pretending to be assertive explaining the problem and then apologising.



Interview someone taking part in Ramadan

Many Muslim families took part in **Ramadan** this month and celebrated Eid at the end of a month of fasting. If your family are Muslim, try and find out why Ramadan and Eid are so special. What does your family do to prepare for this holy month? Why do Muslim families fast, pray, give to charity and try to become better people over this month? If your family are not Muslim, you could interview a friend, a neighbour or look up information online.



Write an A → Z of words about Pakistan

Can you think of an alphabetical list of things about Pakistan. Don't worry if you can't think of a word for every letter. e.g. **A**rid climate, **A**rabian sea, **B**ollywood dancing, **B**rahman, **B**ay of Bengal, **C**alcutta **D**ohl's Rhythm **E**lephants, **E**astern Ghats **F**estivals, **F**arming **G**handi, **G**anges, **H**imalayan mountains



A biography

Find out about a famous person who lived in Pakistan and write a mini biography about them. E.g. Malala Yousafzai, Imran Khan, Wasim Akram, Kumail Nanjiani

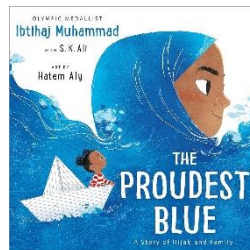
For example

When were they born?
Where did they live?
What made them famous?



A traditional story

Write your own short story set in Pakistan. You can use characters based on a story you know well or make up a story from your own imagination.



You could use our class story 'The Proudest Blue' to give you some ideas.

A poster for visiting a country in South Asia

Create a poster explaining why people would like to visit the country you have chosen.

Include some pictures and facts about the exciting things that you can do and the beautiful places you can visit.

Use your best persuasive language to persuade someone to visit this place.

