Year 6 Homework – Term 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

This term we have developed a set of homework tasks students will need to complete over a fortnight linked to our Inquiry unit; 'The Physical and Natural World'
The students will need to complete our regular tasks (see below) and one task from the rubric on the following page. Students will hand in their Inquiry homework on a Tuesday, every second week.

Thank you for your continued support,

The Senior Teaching Team

These tasks (Reading, Maths, Spelling) need to be completed every week.

Reading

Read every day
Make sure you're reading is recorded in your diary each day. When you finish a book make sure you write it in the reading log at the back of your diary, showing how long you have been reading that book for.
You may receive reading homework from your Reading Group teacher – check Google Classroom or ask your teacher if you are unsure.

Maths

Practise your 'times tables' – you could go online to do this

- http://tinyurl.com/6bvsocr BBC Times Table Grid

Or download one of the sheets from the school network or Weebly (coming soon).

Go online to Mathletics (1000 points each week)

Ask your teacher for any additional Maths activities to help you tick off items on your goal sheet.

Spelling

Each fortnight there will be a spelling investigation related to the EBook – 'On the Brink'

Go online to Spellodrome

You can also download any spelling activities linked to Environmental Awareness from the Weebly.

Inquiry Investigations – The Physical and Natural World

These topics below link to activities we are covering in class this term. You are required to choose one item from the Rubric below to complete each fortnight.

You will need to complete a total of five tasks before the end of the term. Mark them off as you go by shading in the activity completed. Keep a copy of this rubric in the front of your homework folder.

It is really important to take care and be creative with the presentation of your homework. Your work should reflect a fortnight's worth of effort.

Alphabet Key Compile a list of A-Z words related to environmental issues. Use phrases, not just words.	**PMI** Use of recycled water for drinking. P – Plus M – Minus I – Interesting Include facts, thoughts and opinions	**Evaluating** Draw a picture or create a collage that identifies the before and after effects of a natural disaster.
Electrocity Develop a 'How to; Guide to Electrocity'. Include key tips and hints for new players. This could be a video or booklet.	**Question Key** The answer is..... Write five questions for each answer; - Global warming - Pollution - Water - Alternative Energy	**Labelled Diagram** Research an alternative form of energy and create a labelled diagram, explaining its key components.
Model Create a model or digital image of a sustainable home. Label its features.	**Advertising** Create an advertisement (e.g. poster, commercial, brochure) to promote saving energy around the home.	**Newspaper Research** Find newspaper articles about energy use around the world. Summarise their contents; - What's similar/dissimilar? - Do you agree/disagree?