

Date sent out: 5th December

Maths skill of the week:

Next week we will be interpreting information in tables and graphs. Please practise addition and subtraction strategies (e.g. finding totals, finding the difference between two numbers) to prepare for this learning.

Task: (20 mins)

Using your homework from last week, calculate the area of the same 5 household items that you measured.

Remember to use the formula: Area = length x width

Record the area in centimetres (cm²)

Going for Gold:

Have a go at the problem solving activity on:

<https://nrich.maths.org/7280>

Year 5 Homework



Ellingham Essentials! (Daily)

• **Handwriting**

Any writing in your homework book must be correctly formed, sized, joined with clear ascenders and descenders.

• **Times tables**

Year 5 should be practicing ALL the times tables and their division facts.

• **Reading**

15 minutes daily, remember to write your reading entry!

Spelling

All children should learn their spellings set for them in their yellow books.

Date due back: 10th December

Writing skill of the week:

To apply the features of a genre.

Task: (20 mins)

Your teachers have written you an informal letter. Please respond to it using the features of an informal letter. It should include:

- Letter format.
- Paragraphs.
- Descriptive detail.
- Good hand writing.
- Chatty language.
- Answer the questions asked

Going for Gold:

Have a go at identifying features of a formal letter. Have your grown ups got a letter in the post? If so, can you annotate it?

- What do you notice about the layout of the letter?
- What type of language is used?