



The Grove Homework Menu Year 4 — Autumn 1 2019



On the menu this term...

Stone Age

Light

Starters

In History we are learning about the Stone Age period—why not combine art and history and create a showbox diorama (a three-dimensional miniature scene) depicting a scene from Stone Age life—maybe a cave dwelling or possibly a hunting scene.

In Art, we are looking at how graffiti has developed as an art form and investigating the simple use of lines and shapes to create images and make a statement—why not go for a walk around Cambridge and explore what 'wall art' you can spot, perhaps you could photograph your findings.

For PSHE, sit down with a family member and ask them about their experiences at school. Talk about the rules in their classroom and what was expected of their behaviour. Compare it to The Grove's new school rules. Where they the same? Are they similar? What was different?

Main Course

In English, we are reading 'Shackleton's Journey' to get inspiration to write a journal entry, a survival guide and a newspaper report. Why not visit the Scott Polar Research Institute (Lensfield Road Cambridge CB2 1ER) and take some notes on what you might need to survive if you were visiting Antarctica.

In R.E we are finding out about the Christian gospel which means 'good news'.

What do you think would be **good news** for the world today? Write your own ideas try to justify why you think that to your reader. Call your report **Good News for the World**.

In Maths,
Revise and develop your tables knowledge and inverse operations e.g. $6 \times 7 = 42$ the inverse: 42 divided by 7 equals 6. Practise so that your accuracy and speed increases! There will be weekly tests!

In Science,
Create a poster, demonstrating something you have learned about light in science lessons e.g. natural and man-made sources of light, or how shadows are formed and can be changed. You might want to use collage or create your poster using a computer. Be as creative as possible and make sure that it stands out!

Dessert

Computing: Microsoft PowerPoint. If you have access to this at home you could make a PowerPoint about something you are interested in. Ask an adult to email it to the school office as they will send it to your class teacher. The email address is below.
office@grove.cambs.sch.uk

Reading and Research Find an author that you enjoy and read 2 or more books by them. Write a short report, or make a poster about the author and their books to inspire your classmates to enjoy their books too!

Due date

Monday 14th October

Support (websites)

How light works

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ekeMJLgDrrA>