

## P7 Homework Grid – December 2019

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Reading</u></b></p> <p>Challenge yourself – see how many books you can read during the month of December!</p> <p>Describe to someone at home the character <b>Ebenezer Scrooge</b> from “<b>A Christmas Carol</b>” – can you write your own short/story or comic strip including him?</p> <p>This month our reading focus in class is on <b>media studies</b> – explain what different types of media we have been analysing.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Spelling</u></b></p> <p>Each week, write 10 interesting sentences or a paragraph with your spelling words. <i>(Your child will write down their spelling words every Monday for the week ahead, please remind them to bring in their homework jotters to do this.)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>RME</u></b></p> <p>During the month of <b>December</b> we are preparing for the <b>birth of Jesus</b>. Make sure you complete your random act of kindness each day of <b>Advent</b> and try to make more time for <b>reflection</b> and <b>prayer</b>.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Numeracy/Maths</u></b></p> <p>Practise the following <b>times tables</b>: <b>x6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12</b></p> <p>Get a family member to quiz you, or you can find and <b>multiplication</b> game on a tablet or computer.</p> <p>Use your knowledge of multiplication to work out these <b>division</b> problems: 1) 665 divided by 7    3) 254 by 8 2) 822 by 4            4) 734 by 6</p> <p>Come up with <b>prices</b> for our Christmas Fun Day stalls – remember we aim to make a <b>profit</b> 😊</p> <p>Make up your <b>own Maths problems</b> for your family to solve!</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Sumdog</u></b></p> <p>Use your Sumdog log in and challenge yourself to reach the next level. Try to play at least 30 minutes per week, remember the more you play at home the more coins you receive!</p> <p>This month from 29<sup>th</sup> November – 5<sup>th</sup> December P7 are entered into the <b>National Wee Sleep Out Contest</b> so please play Sumdog as much as possible for our chance to win!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Research – “Giving”</u></b></p> <p>Our Advent focus is Giving. Use the internet or the local library to find out about a <b>Christmas charity</b>, for example, charities for helping the <b>homeless</b> this Christmas or the <b>Shoe Box Appeal</b>. Bring info about your chosen charity in to share with the class, and we could pick one of these charities to help.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Physical Activity</u></b></p> <p>Get into the <b>festive spirit</b> and show off your dance moves to your family at home – I’m sure they will remember <b>Scottish Country dancing</b> from school and will join in with you. You might even want to organise or attend a <b>ceilidh</b>!</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Expressive Arts</u></b></p> <p>Can you design a Christmas inspired picture using the <b>visual elements</b>: line, tone, colour, texture to create a <b>cosy Christmas scene</b>.</p> <p>Actors in the Aladdin Christmas show, please <b>practise your lines</b> daily with emphasis and expression!</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Write all about it! - HWB</u></b></p> <p>Find out about after school and out of school clubs and activities within your <b>community</b> that you could become a part of. What hobbies would you like to try?</p> <p>This month we are focusing on “<b>Nurtured</b>” (see our Focus for Learning for more info).</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Pope Francis Faith Award</u></b></p> <p>Make sure you have completed <b>the first four gifts</b> in your journal before we finish up for the Christmas holidays.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Preparing for Christmas</u></b></p> <p>Help <b>write Christmas cards and wrap presents</b> with your family. You could be in charge of the cutting, cello taping, writing cards, and even playing Christmas music to accompany all the fun!</p>		

