

Autumn Term 1 2026 Year 1 Homework Grid

Dear Families, completing homework can help your child consolidate many of the skills learnt in school.

Please can your child complete **ALL** of the activities in the top row during the half term. Activities in the bottom row are optional but will be beneficial for you to complete with your child. Each class will have a 'Homework Hero' chosen by their class teacher for each half term.

Completed activities should be uploaded onto Seesaw by **Wednesday 21st October 2026**.

<u>Reading Books</u> Your child will get a new reading book to read at home when they return their previous ones. They will also choose a library book to share at home. Please ensure books are in school <u>every day</u>. <u>We Are Reading</u> Take a picture of yourself reading a book for our class 'We are reading' display. Can you tell your teacher why you enjoyed the book? What was the best part?	<u>Writing</u> Our topic this half term is 'Hot and Cold'. We will be learning about different animals that live in hot or cold places. Can you draw a picture of your favourite animal and write a sentence to tell your teacher all about the animal you have chosen. Please use your finger spaces and don't forget a full stop. Try to use your phonics to spell the words.	<u>Number</u> Please help your child to work towards achieving this statement: <u>I can read and write numbers 1-30 as a number.</u> Make your own number cards being careful to write all your numbers correctly. Then can you practise your counting and order your cards? Can you sort your cards into odd and even numbers? Challenge: Can you write some of these numbers in words?
<u>Geography</u> This half term we are learning about hot and cold places. Can you draw the clothes you would wear for a hot and cold day?	<u>Creative</u> Draw a picture of something you enjoyed doing during the summer holidays to share with your class. 	<u>RE</u> This half term we are learning about being thankful at Harvest time. Can you think about what you are thankful for in your life? Harvest takes place in the season of Autumn. Can you look for signs of Autumn around Buckshaw Village and bring what you find (eg conkers, acorns, and pinecones) into school?
<u>Our Learning This Half Term:</u>		
<u>English</u> We shall be reading stories written by Oliver Jeffers and thinking about how the characters in these stories are feeling. We shall be writing about our favourite part of a story, remembering to use capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.	<u>Maths</u> We shall be learning about how to use different mathematical equipment, including ten frames, counters and number lines. We shall be recognising numbers to 20 and matching an amount to the number. We will be learning to represent numbers in different ways.	