## East Bridgford, St. Peter's C of E Academy – Homework

Teacher: Mrs Archer Dytch Subject English	n/Art Date: 4.2.22
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## Good afternoon,

This week has been a very creative one. We enjoyed learning all about the Chinese New Year and had a go at writing in Chinese. We made an origami frog to see if we could follow the instructions, and we have learnt how to say our school prayer in sign language. Yesterday we began to make our magnetic games and will continue them next week. They are looking very good indeed!

## Curriculum:

As well as making our magnetic games we have learned that magnets have a North and South pole and that they either attract or repel.

In English we have compiled a list of the features of instructions, unjumbled and ordered them and followed them to complete a task. This has supported our learning to help us write our own instructions next week.

In Maths we have learned efficient ways to work out multiplication and next week we shall look at efficient ways to divide. This will help us work out sums mentally and will help us work out larger and more complicated multiplication and division, such as multiplying and dividing 3-digits by 1-digit, which we are moving on to.

We have nearly finished our text, The Iron Man by Ted Hughes, and the children are enjoying following the story, summarising and predicting the chapters. Their comprehension skills are defiantly improving.

**PE** will be indoors on MONDAY and outdoors on WEDNESDAY. Please send appropriate kit, shorts/leggings and a tee-shirt for indoor and separate warm clothes for outdoors (hat and gloves on very cold days).

## **HOMEWORK:**

This week's homework is to practice reading and following instructions. This will also help us write our own next week. To make this activity fun and to link it to the Chinese New Year, I have sent home instructions on how to make a Chinese lantern, which can be beautifully decorated any way they like. On one sheet, I have deleted the pictures, so if they wish to have a go without the pictures first, they can. The second sheet has instructions and pictures, demonstrating the need for diagrams to help the reader.

Times tables using purple mash and spellings once a week. Read three times a week (to be recorded in work diary)

Other work to be completed in their homework book.

Thank you.

Mrs. Archer Dytch

To be returned by: 4.2.22