



## Home Learning Tasks for Y4

This home learning letter provides your child with learning activities from various areas of the curriculum to complete at home. Each area of learning will have a link which you can use to access the work. Please ensure the maths and English tasks are completed in the morning and the foundation activities (science and topic) in the afternoon, as it would be in school.

One maths and English task should be completed every day. One foundation activity must be completed each day, your child can choose between science and topic. Please ensure your child completes a minimum of 2-3 GPS tasks a week and reads a book every day.

To access [Espresso Education](#) use the following login details -

Username: student11691

Password: ksjuniors

### English

(x 60 minutes each day)

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/angler-fish-non-chronological-report-217f>

Please use the above link to Oak Academy for the daily writing activity. This is a non-fiction unit called 'Angler Fish' focussing on non-chronological reports.. Each daily lesson provides a learning video to follow and an activity to complete. Watch the video in full prior to completing the task. Start at lesson 1 and continue to work your way through the lessons each day.

### Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

(x 20 minutes per day)

Login to your Espresso account and select KS2 English – from here you can select the Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling section – click on this and select one of the activities to play. There are videos, quizzes, and activities to complete.

Alternatively, follow the lessons on oak academy

Spelling :

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-key-stage/key-stage-2/subjects/english-spelling>

Year 4's spelling patterns focus on suffixes. We recommend you look at the following suffixes: -ary/-ery; French derived sounds –sh(ch), g(gue), k(que); -ate,-en; plus –ify, -ise (1 & 2)

Grammar:

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/t3-punctuation-level-objectives-b1b0>

This unit will help to perfect our punctuation.

### Maths

(x 60 minutes)

10-15 min Daily practice of times tables at <https://play.ttrockstars.com/>

In mathematics we would like you to complete daily lessons using Oak Academy. Use the link below to access these lessons. Each unit (sequence of lessons with a given topic) is labelled, select 'Area and perimeter' and click on 'see unit', access each lesson by clicking 'view lesson in classroom.' Complete one lesson per day – each lesson provided has a teaching video and a main activity. If you complete the series of lessons from the first unit select the unit 'Time'. We would like you to begin with the unit on area and perimeter.

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/area-and-perimeter-ea69>

<p><b>Science</b> (x 60 minutes)</p>	<p>This half term in science we learn about habitats and adaptations to habitat. Follow the link to 6 lessons on ecosystems from the Oak Academy:</p> <p><a href="https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/ecosystems-0008">https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/ecosystems-0008</a></p>
<p><b>Geography</b> (x 60 minutes)</p>	<p>We continue with our geography learning where we use maps and develop mapping skills. Learn about how geographers do fieldwork and use maps by completing these Oak Academy lessons:</p> <p><a href="https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/local-fieldwork-6adb">https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/local-fieldwork-6adb</a></p>
<p><b>Reading For Pleasure</b> (x 20mins per day)</p>	<p>Read a book of your choice, discussing it with an adult. If you enjoy guided reading, follow this link <a href="https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/i-was-a-rat-by-phillip-pullman-40cb">https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/i-was-a-rat-by-phillip-pullman-40cb</a> to discover the Phillip Pullman book <i>'I was a rat'</i>.</p> <p>You can also use these activities from Oak Academy: <a href="https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/reading-for-pleasure-2dfe">https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/reading-for-pleasure-2dfe</a> for Year 4 pupils. Also: <a href="https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-key-stage/key-stage-2/subjects/english-reading-for-pleasure">https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-key-stage/key-stage-2/subjects/english-reading-for-pleasure</a></p>
<p><b>Physical Exercise</b> (x 30 minutes)</p>	<p>Use this link for a number of suggested Physical activities to complete at home <a href="https://www.cambslearntogether.co.uk/home-learning/pe">https://www.cambslearntogether.co.uk/home-learning/pe</a></p> <p>This link will take you to a short unit of dance: <a href="https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/dance-activity-making-and-mixing-the-main-elements-of-dance-1f06">https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/dance-activity-making-and-mixing-the-main-elements-of-dance-1f06</a></p>
<p><b>Religious Education</b> (x60 minutes)</p>	<p>This half term we are learning about Hinduism. Complete the lessons on the Oak Academy by following this link: <a href="https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/hinduism-0000">https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/hinduism-0000</a></p>