



**Year 5**

**Homework**

**Autumn 2**

**Our Topic is**

**Earth and Space**

**How it works:**

**This is your homework for the half term. Please read the instructions at the top of each subject.**

**Useful Google searches:**

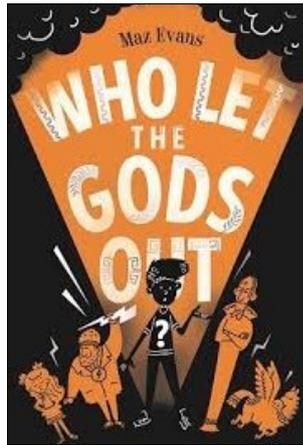
[BBC KS2 Bitesize](#)

[Maths Highlights](#)

## English

**How it works:**

**You will get ten house points for handing in one of the English tasks linked to our class text by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018. This work needs to go in your English homework book.**



- ◆ Make a list of good and bad qualities that one of the main characters has.
- ◆ Split your page into 8 and make a comic book of the story (choose main events in the story).
- ◆ Summarise the book in no more than 100 words.
- ◆ Write a newspaper article about one of the main events in the story.
- ◆ Write a book review.

## Maths

**How it works:**

**Maths homework, which will be sent on a Friday, will be stuck in homework books. It is due back the following Wednesday. Each week you must complete the given task as well as Big Maths Beat That!**

**If you have completed your maths homework, have a go at one of these. You will gain ten house points for each one you try.**

John was 50cm long at birth. At the age of 4 he is 86cm. If he grew an equal number of cm each year, how tall will he be when he is 5?

Fulham F.C. drink 4 bottles of Lucozade at half-time. There are 27 clubs in the league and they all drink the same amount. If there are 1.5L in each bottle, how many bottles are drunk after 13 games?

A boy watches a video that lasts 75mins and another that lasts 80mins. Can he watch them both in 2 hours? How long do the videos last in minutes/hours?

250 children and 16 adults are going on a school journey. Each coach



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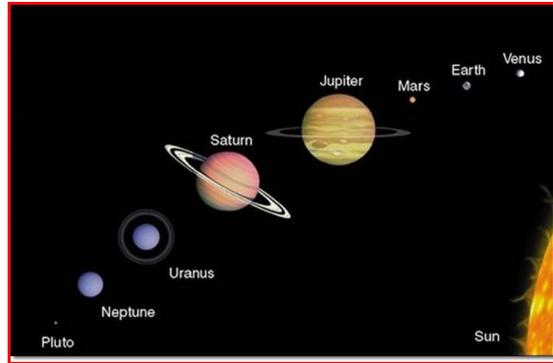
**Earth, Sun & Moon**

## Optional Holiday Homework

**How it works:**

**You will get twenty house points for handing in one of the Topic tasks by Friday 11th January.**

**You can pre-homework in your choice.**



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- ◆ Make a 3D model rocket with a parachute to aid re-entry.
- ◆ Write newspaper report about the first moon landing.
- ◆ Use scrap paper, foil, sweet wrappers and other junk around the house to create your own space collage.
- ◆ Find out facts about the space missions –  
What was the first creature sent into space?  
Who was the first astronaut?  
Who was the first man on the moon?  
What other interesting facts can you find?
- ◆ Create a new mnemonic that will help others in the class remember the names of the planets and their order from the sun.

**Great places to visit:**

The National Space Centre <http://spacecentre.co.uk/home/>

Thinktank Planetarium <http://www.birminghammuseums.org.uk/thinktank/highlights/planetarium>

University of Birmingham Observatory (bookings only) <http://>

# Year 5 Autumn 2 Spellings

## How it works:

Each Friday your child will receive a list of spellings to learn at home. The sheet will be stuck into English homework books and is to be handed in on Wednesdays. A dictation will take place on Wednesday to test how well your child has learned their spellings.

<b>Week 1</b>	<b>Week 2</b>	<b>Week 3</b>	<b>Week 4</b>	<b>Week 5</b>	<b>Week 6</b>
<b>-ancy</b>	<b>-ent</b>	<b>-ence</b>	<b>-ency</b>	<b>-able</b>	<b>-ible</b>
Don't	Father	lady	Garden	Happy	Important
During	First	leave	goes	Head	Inside
Earth	Follow	light	Gone	Heard	jumped
Every	Found	money	great	High	Knew
eyes	friend	morning	half	I'm	know
infancy	employment	absence	currency	sociable	sensible
truancy	content	silence	fluency	vegetable	visible
hesitancy	assessment	violence	agency	valuable	responsible
vacancy	accident	sequence	regency	enable	horrible
fancy	payment	licence	urgency	adorable	terrible

## Accelerated Reading



At Cotteridge Primary School, we want our children to appreciate how valuable and rewarding reading can be. As part of the AR program we will be rewarding pupils for their individual successes during this process. Raffle tickets for successful quizzes as well as certificates for the number of books read can be earned throughout the year. There is also an ultimate goal, to be a "Cotteridge Million Word Reader". This is calculated by the number of words in each completed book being added together.