

Year 1: Summer Term 1 – New Homework Grid

Our homework is changing at Sacred Heart. We will continue to use the grids and will allow you to decide which activities you would like to complete. We suggest at least one a week, but you can do as many as you like! Each activity is directly linked to the Year One curriculum and has been tailored to what your child is learning in class.

*Our topic for this half term is **Commotion in the Ocean**. We will be learning and adapting the story *Tiddler* and doing lots of exciting research about ocean life.*

1) English – can use adjectives to describe. Think of a list of adjectives to describe an underwater scene. Can you put these adjectives into sentences?	2) Maths – counting in 2s, 5s, and 10s. Practice counting confidently in 2s, 5s and 10s times tables.	3) Science – can identify, compare and describe different garden plants. Go to the park or into the garden and see how many different plants you can spot. What is similar/ different to these plants? Can you spot anything all plants need? Draw the plants and take photos – label them.
4) Theme/ Art – develop a range of cutting and shaping techniques using a range of materials. Create an underwater collage using a variety of different materials.	5) Theme/ Geography – name and locate the world's continents and oceans. Research some of the different world's oceans. Where are they? What different animals live in these oceans? Write a fact file using the information you found.	5) English – develop a love for reading a range of different texts. Read an underwater poem or story set underwater. What did you like about it most and why? Write about it in your homework book.
7) Maths – can recognise different coins and notes. Look at the price of different items in the shop. What different coins or notes might be needed? Can you have a go at paying for something using the correct amount?	8) Science – can identify different plants that can be eaten. What are your favourite vegetables? Research where vegetables come from. Could you plant your own or try a vegetable you have never eaten before?	9) RE – values and virtues: Curious and Active. Read a story from the Bible. What can we learn from this story? How can we live out God's plan for us? Write about the story's message in your book.