

Year 5 Home Learning Ideas

Autumn A 2025



These optional Home Learning ideas are linked to the learning areas covered this half term. Children may hand in completed tasks or evidence of home learning completed e.g. photographs, emailed to class teachers via the school office.

Be an Historian...

During the centenary celebrations, we will be finding out about what life was like in Becontree during the 1940s and 1950s.

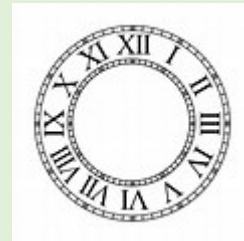
- Find a dance that was popular during this time and try to learn it.
- Research the types of games that children played during this time period.
- Find some rationing recipes online and try creating some dishes.
- Research the different forms of transport and how technology changed in the 1940s and 1950s



Be a Mathematician...

We will be learning about Roman numerals and interpreting line graphs and timetables.

- Find examples of Roman numerals in their environment and on film and television and say/read what the number is in modern numbers.
- Investigate changes in maximum and minimum temperatures over a week and represent the data on a line graph.
- Create a timetable of their weekend and compare amounts of time spent on different activities.



Be a Scientist...

We are learning about materials and their properties and what happens when we mix and separate them.

- Follow a recipe to bake a cake of biscuits and create a diagram to show the changing states of the materials.
- Make a list of how many different types of materials they can find in the home and sort into groups of their choice (or metal, plastic, wood, fabric, other).



Be a Musician...

We are learning how to play the ukulele

- Research the history of the ukulele.
- Find examples of modern musicians who use the ukulele in their music.
- Make a presentation of what they have learned.
- Practise the skills learned in lessons at home.

