

Activities to access every week:			
Reading: 15 minutes every day This half term choose a chapter book and have someone read it to you. Challenge: Can you read a book relating to our new topic of The Stone Age or rocks and soils? Two examples are Cave Baby or Stig of the Dump.	Spelling: Continue to learn the yr 1/2 common exception words. Look/cover/write/check. Find which parts are tricky and look for a way to remember them. If you know them all the first set of year 3 and 4 words are on our home learning page.	Maths: TT Rockstars 3 x per week If you use the 'jamming' tab you can choose which tables to revise. Continue to learn the 2, 5 and 10 times tables in and out of order and the related division facts. Once you know these try to master 3, 4 and 8.	Life skills: Continue to learn to tell the time. Make sure you can tie your own shoelaces. Make your bed each morning.
Topic-based activities to complete over the Half Term: You might choose to complete all four activities at once, or spread them out by doing one every two weeks.			
Please begin with this activity, as it links with Rememberace Sunday on 10 <sup>th</sup> November 2024: Attend a Remembrance Service as a family, either in a Church or at a cenotaph, watch the national one on TV or discuss the service of Remembrance held in school. Write and illustrate a poem or prayer afterwards to describe how the service made you think or feel. We will display your contributions in a special book in our school foyer, so please add your family name.	Create a rock collection: Try to gather a variety of interesting rocks, and, if possible, label each one with its name or any unique features you notice e.g. colour, texture, or where you found it. Bring your collection into school to add to our 'Exploration Station' and use in our Science lessons.	Build a minature volcano and watch it erupt!: Follow along with the video instructions below from the Natural History Museum: <u>https://www.nhm.ac.uk/discover/ho</u> w-to-make-a-volcano.html <i>You will need:</i> a small plastic bottle, paper, scissors, sellotape, water, vinegar, red food colouring, washing-up liquid and bicarbinate soda.	Get creative: Watch The Croods or The Flintstones and create a poster to advertise the film/programme. <i>OR</i> Research 'fascinating facts' about rocks and present your findings in any way you choose!