



**Set Menu: Timetables, spellings, daily reading, phonics practice**

We will be looking for children to be reading at home with their parents. Listening to children read will enable them to grow in confidence as they become fluent readers. Once children are able to read fluently, and with expression, hold discussions around their comprehension of the texts, (we will provide a bank of ideas to support this). If your child is reluctant to read, they could listen to audio books. We want them to foster a love of books, so please don't underestimate the value of reading to your child.

We are all very grateful for your support.

**Added Extras:**

We will encourage your child to complete as many of the activities from the menu as they like at home, but **NO LESS** than 3 over the half term, This can be recorded (if appropriate) in our homework books. If you want to send pictures of homework (instead of printing them off) these can be sent to [homework@reginaldmitchell.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:homework@reginaldmitchell.staffs.sch.uk) We will ask for homework books in during the last week of each half term in order for us to share and celebrate this learning.

**HOMEWORK BOOKS DUE IN MONDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER**

Read it	E-Learn it	Design it / Make it
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read a Harry Potter book</li> <li>• Read books with magicians in.</li> <li>• Read magical poetry.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use spelling shed at least 3 times a week</li> <li>• Use Times Tables rockstars at least 3 times a week</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Design and make a spooktacular meal for your family.</li> <li>• Design and make a spooktacular costume.</li> <li>• Design and make a magical potion. Will it be a sweet potion or a disgusting one?</li> </ul>
Practise it	Write it	Research it
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Practise your poem, ready to recite it to the class</li> <li>• Practise a magic trick ready to show it off to the class.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Write an acrostic poem using a spooky title or the words Hocus Pocus</li> <li>• Write a spooky story.</li> <li>• Write a spooky character description. Don't forget to add in a picture of the character.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Research the local area to find out if there is any history of magic or witchcraft.</li> <li>• Research witchcraft - what is it?</li> <li>• Research where Harry Potter was filmed.</li> </ul>