

Children have a choice and are asked to complete at least ONE task. They will have until the week beginning **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2017**

to complete it. We will be having a 'show and tell' session in class to celebrate the children's homework efforts. If you have any questions please speak to your child's class teacher.

## Thorndown Primary School

## Year Two Homework Choices - Kings and Queens (Autumn B 2017)

I enjoy learning about animals!

I am a reader!

I am a Mathematician!

I am a writer!

I am an artist!

In Science we are going to continue our work on Living things and their habitats.

We are going to learn more about different types of animals (mammals, reptiles, amphibians, birds, fish). We are also going to begin to understand similarities and differences between mammals including humans.

Can you create your own factfile about an animal of your choice? What type of animal is it? How do you know?



One of the best things about reading books is being able to tell your friends all about them.

Can you create a book review to let a friend know about a book you have read? You could include different sections to focus on your favourite and least favourite character or event. If you chose an information book, you could share the most interesting piece of information that you learnt.

You could give your book a star rating and even include illustrations.



In Maths we are going to be learning about length.

Can you measure the length of some objects that you own? You could choose toys or drawings.

Can you use mathematical vocabulary to compare the length of your objects? (longer, shorter, longest, shortest)

Can you use inequality symbols to compare the lengths? ( $>$ ,  $<$  and  $=$ )



In English this half term we are going to write stories linked to a book called 'The Hippopotamouse'.

In this story the author helps the reader to imagine Miss Fluffley (toy shop owner) using lots of expanded noun phrases. To do this, the author uses **adjective**, **adjective noun**. Eg. Miss Fluffley has wild, curly hair and huge, shiny eyes.

Can you write a character description about a character from a book you have read using expanded noun phrases? Can you provide a picture so your teacher and classmates can see who you have described?



This half term we will be creating portraits of monarchs using drawing, paint and collage.

Can you create your own portrait artwork? How can you make the subject of your artwork look special?



### Don't forget- it's so important!

Spelling- Please continue to practise your Year 2 common exception words.

Reading - Please read to a grown up x4 times a week

Skoolbo - Please spend 10 minutes each week completing games on Skoolbo

Date Given: Friday 3rd November 2017

Date Due: Week beg 11th December 2017



30 minutes maximum to spend on a task