

Homework Grid Spring Term 2

🌸 Welcome back for the second half of the Spring term! 🌸
We are looking forward to another busy and exciting few weeks of learning together.

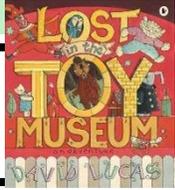
This term, Sparrows Class homework will link closely our exciting
History Unit: Toys past and present

Over the term, children are expected to complete **four tasks** from the grid below. They can bring their work in to show or talk about during the week when there is time.



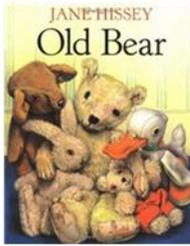
Read...

Lost in the Toy Museum by David Lucas



Read...

Old Bear by Jane Hissey



Write...

Write a short recount about a special day you have had. Try to use capital letters and full stops correctly.

Write a character description of your favourite toy as if it were alive. What does it look like? What is it like?



Spend some time...

Looking at your toys and possibly photos of you playing from the past. What memories do they bring back? Can you talk to someone about your favourite toy? Could you bring in a photo or drawing to share with the class about this?

Calculate...

What materials are toys made from?

Look at 3–5 toys at home. What are they made from? (plastic, metal, fabric, wood)

Can you present the information on a pictograph or bar chart.

Create...

Design and draw your own new toy. Label the materials you would use and explain why.

Make a simple moving toy using paper and split pins (e.g. a moving arm or wheel).

Investigate...

Find out about toys from the past by interviewing a parent, carer or grandparent about the toys they played with. Draw or write about one toy from the past.

Compare a toy from the past with a toy you have today. What is the same? What is different?

Visit

The Story Museum, Oxford city centre – A fun, child-friendly museum celebrating stories and imagination (great for linking books to real places).

Visit

Go on a spring walk. What signs of spring can you spot? (new leaves, blossom, flowers, warmer weather). Draw or list what you find.