

Homework Grid Spring Term 2

This term, Blackbird Class will have their homework tasks based on our exciting **Science Unit: Living things and their Habitats**. Over the next term, it is expected that children will complete a minimum of four tasks from those suggested below. Children are invited to show/talk to the class about these tasks throughout the week when there is time.

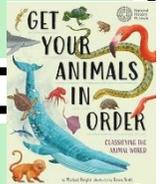
Read...

The Midnight Fox by Betsy Byars. A heartfelt story about a boy called Tom who comes across a fox and her cub and an unlikely friendship is formed.



Read...

Get your Animals in Order. Produced in partnership with the Natural History Museum, this clever and clear explanation of animal classification puts your animals in order and explains why classifying animals is important.



Write

Write instructions about how to create an animal home that could be used in your garden or on the school grounds. Could you make the home too and bring it in to show us (you could share photos if easier)?



Create...

Sketch wildlife that you see in the world around you. Observe the fine details- the colours, texture of their fur, feathers or skin. Could you add some colour with pencil, pastel or water colour.



Spend some time...

Admire the wildlife and plants you can see around you by going on a walk. Lots of new life is beginning to flourish as we enter Spring so enjoy what you can see.



Calculate...

Create a scaled map of your local area and plot onto it where you have seen different animal habitats.



Research...

Research and create a fact file about one of the main vertebrate animal groups. Add illustrations to help the reader understand more about them.



Investigate...

Choose 3 animals from different global biomes and investigate their diet, migration patterns (if applicable), adaptations to their habitat and other interesting facts. Present your findings as a poster for the class.

Visit...

Badbury Park and enjoy looking at the flowers blooming and listening to the birds singing.

<https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/oxfordshire-buckinghamshire->

Visit...

Humpty Hill park and garden near Faringdon and enjoy the views, plants and animals that you can see. We can always share any photos you take in class too 😊