



## Langford Village CP School

### Year 2 Homework Menu

#### Summer Term 2026

**Homework Deadlines: Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May and Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June.** Choose one activity from the grid to complete for each deadline. You have around five weeks to complete a piece of work so take time to complete it as a project. A piece of writing is expected to accompany each piece. The topics below are just suggestions for ideas you could work on but feel free to research any aspect of the subjects we are learning in class.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Convince Me!</b> An ENGLISH based project</p> <p><b>Task:</b> Write a persuasive letter to convince someone to change their mind.</p> <p><b>Some ideas:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Convince your teacher to have a class pet</li> <li>• Convince your parents to let you stay up 30 minutes later</li> <li>• Convince the headteacher to add a new playground activity</li> <li>• Convince the council to build a park</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Habitat Explorer</b> A SCIENCE based Project</p> <p>Go for a walk in nature. How many habitats can you spot? Create something to show the habitats you found.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Exploring Kenya</b> A GEOGRAPHY based Project (We will be looking at Kenya in <b>Term 6</b> in school)</p> <p>Study the country of <b>Kenya</b>.</p> <p><b>Create one of the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A fact poster</li> <li>• A mini fact booklet</li> <li>• A shoebox safari scene</li> <li>• A comparison chart (Kenya vs UK)</li> </ul> <div style="text-align: right;">  </div>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Make it move!</b> A DT based Project</p> <p>Create a moving picture using a simple mechanism.</p> <p><b>Choose one mechanism:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slider</li> <li>• Wheel</li> <li>• Split pin pivot</li> </ul> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p><b>Ideas:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A moving animal</li> <li>• A castle with a drawbridge</li> <li>• A car with turning wheels</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Memory Jar</b> A TRANSITION based Project</p> <p>Create a memory jar full of your memories from Year 2.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Two Queens Timeline – Queen Victoria &amp; Queen Elizabeth II</b> A HISTORY based Project</p> <p><b>Task Options:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a timeline showing when each queen ruled</li> <li>• Make a comparison poster (Similarities &amp; Differences)</li> <li>• Design a royal fact file</li> </ul>

## Project Deadlines:

**Term 5 - Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

**Term 6 - Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

Over the next term, you'll be completing homework projects that you can feel really proud of. It's your chance to explore something fun, stick with it, and show off your amazing ideas and effort. We can't wait to see what you create, and we'd love to show it off in our classrooms!

What to include:

- **Neat presentation** – use your best handwriting or type it if you like.
- **Add something colourful** – a drawing, map, chart or picture to go with your writing.
- **Extra WOW!** – you can make something to go with your project, like a model, mask, cake, diorama, video or jewellery. Be creative!

Suggested weekly steps:

### **Week 1**

Look at the ideas on your homework menu or think of your own. Read or talk about the topic to get inspired. Choose what your project will be about and how you'll show it - maybe a fact sheet, booklet, slideshow, model or even a short play!

### **Week 2**

Start finding out more and write down some notes. You could begin a drawing or poster too.

### **Week 3**

Keep researching and start writing your first draft using your notes.

### **Week 4**

Ask a grown-up or friend to read your work and give you advice. Make it even better by checking your spelling, punctuation and sentences. Then write it up neatly.

### **Week 5**

Add your final touches! Finish any pictures or models. Ask someone to check it one last time - then hand it in knowing it's your very best!

We're so excited to celebrate your hard work. Keep going, take pride, and enjoy the journey - your ideas are amazing and your learning matters!