



CLASS: Year 5

Talking Homework

Date: Friday 4th March

	QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR CHILD (this is to stimulate talk with your child – there is no need for you to write anything down or return the sheet to school)
MATHS This week, we have continued our work on volume, moving into how we can use known times tables to multiply. EG $24 \times 5 = 12 \times 2 \times 5 = 12 \times 10 = 60$	Can you explain another example of this decomposition?
ENGLISH Reading We have continued reading our new text, 'The Eye of the Wolf'. Writing We are writing a descriptive narrative from the perspective of Toa the Trader, who has been asked to take care of a baby after the destruction of their African village.	What might Toa feel/think? What similes have you come up with?
TOPIC We have continued our topic on Fairtrade by looking at the growing, harvesting and trading of coffee.	What did you discover? What surprised you? Was it fair?
WORLD BOOK DAY We saw an array of amazing costumes! We also had a visit from a published author!	What was the name of the author we met? What books has he written? What else did you find out?

We hope you enjoy talking at home about your child's learning this week.

In addition to the usual weekly homework, every child will be set 3 pieces of Mathematics homework each Monday, to be completed by the following Monday. We will also be testing the spellings each Friday. Thank you.

Don't forget about **Times Tables Rock Stars too!**

Wonder words: overlook, muzzle

Link to Vocal Project music: