



**CLASS:** Year 6

**DATE:** 25.02.22

## Talking Homework

	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR CHILD</b> (this is to stimulate talk with your child – there is no need for you to write anything down or return the sheet to school)</p>
<p><b>MATHS</b> We have continued our work on Statistics this week, learning about how to calculate Mean average and reading and interpreting various kinds of graphs and charts. We have also practiced reading co-ordinates to locate and to construct our own charts and shapes.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Explain how you would calculate the Mean average of a set of numbers.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">What is the rule when you read co-ordinates?</p>
<p><b>ENGLISH</b> <b>Reading</b> We have started to read ‘Kensuke’s Kingdom’ by Michael Morpurgo. We are getting to know the characters and discussing how a sense of adventure is created in writing. <b>Writing</b> Our writing text this term is Tennyson’s ‘The Lady of Shallot’. We have used drama and our knowledge of traditional tales to start to explore this classical poem. We have been carefully working through the language and understanding the images that are created.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tell the story so far. What is your first impression of Michael?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Can you explain where Camelot is? What kind of place was it?</p>
<p><b>SCIENCE</b> This week, we have begun our new topic – ‘Electricity’ by completing a vocabulary assessment and raising questions about what we would like to explore within this unit.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Can you name 3 unfamiliar terms from the vocabulary list? How could you find the definitions?</p>
<p><b>TOPIC</b> Continuing our work on Biomes, we looked at specific areas of the world where they occur and then linked work on Latitude and Longitude to locate different countries around the world.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">What is the difference between a line of Longitude and one of latitude? Do you remember the co-ordinates of the UK?</p>

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

***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.***

**Wonder words:** introspection, lovelorn