# Year 1– English Homework

## Homework is due 21st February.

**SPELLING**

We would like you to have a go at spelling these words, try to write it out four times, and correct yourself if you make a mistake, practice makes perfect!

Example

Square

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| Spelling words | X1 | X2 | X3 | X4 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rain | | | | |
| coin | | | | |
| Point | | | | |
| Soil | | | | |
| play | | | | |

**This week we have introduced our new word of the week, please practice spelling out the word a few times and writing down the definition.**

**Our word of the week this week is:  innovative – which means creative or inventive.**

# Get the Loot!

5   Can we get the loot?

14  Yes we can but we will need the map.

25  We need to look for the red X on the map

29  and go to it.

36  We then need to dig down deep

45  until we hit a wooden box with a padlock.

53  We will need to pull the box up

58  and get the lid off.

69  We will soon see if it is full of silver coins.

76  If it is, we will be rich!

# Read Together Quick Questions

1. What do they need to find the loot?

2. Find and copy the adjective that describes the coins.

3. Number the words from 1-3 to show the order that they appear in the text.

  ☐ rich

  ☐ loot

  ☐ red

4. How do you think they will get the lid off the wooden box?

**For your English homework over the half-term break, you need to write a creative story based on what we have been learning this term. Here is a story planning box to help you organise your ideas. Once you have filled it in, you can start writing your own story. Good luck!**

# Story Mapping Boxes

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| **Beginning**<br><br>What happens at the beginning?<br><br>Who are the main characters?<br><br>Where is it set?<br><br>How are the characters feeling? | |
| **Build up**<br><br>What happens next?<br><br>How does the story hint at a problem?<br><br>How are the characters feeling? | |
| **Problem**<br><br>What is the problem within the story?<br><br>How are the characters feeling? | |
| **Resolution**<br><br>How is this problem resolved/ sorted out?<br><br>How are the characters feeling? | |
| **Ending**<br><br>How does the story end?<br><br>Does it end happily? Is there a twist to the plot?<br><br>How are the characters feeling? | |