



Class Five/Six

Friday 29th January 2016.

Project

The 500 words competition has been launched for 2016 on Radio 2. Lots of you have been asking us about it and are clearly already very excited! We will look at the competition in more detail in an English lesson next week so don't worry if you haven't entered before.

Normally our homework projects don't run over the holidays but as the **online deadline for the competition is 25th February** you may want to continue to work on it over the holidays.

In previous years we have found that entering the competition works best if you ask an adult at home to enter your story and either Gmail or print off a copy of your story to share in class. However, if you would like your teacher to enter your story into the competition for you please let them know. If you don't have access to a computer at home but would still like to enter the competition, let your teachers know and they will arrange time over lunch when you can use a laptop.

There is no set deadline to complete this homework so please bring in your stories to share when they are ready. We will launch a new homework project the first week back after the holidays.

English

Next week in English we will be writing an explanation text about a Victorian invention.

Please remember to fill in your reading records as we will be choosing our next Bookworm of the Month soon!

Spellings

This week we have looked at spellings with the *-ation* suffix. You have been given ten spellings to learn for your test next week. Please practise them in your homework book by completing the activity on your spelling sheet.

Maths

In maths next week we will be working on 3D shape and fractions including tenths and hundredths.

Remember to practise your 8 times table for the second week of the Times Table Challenge.

We have set you a time task on My Maths. You have your individual homework log-ins but to access the website the school username is: *parkgrove* and the password is: *multiply*.

Other Notes

If you haven't already, please return your Parents' Evening slips as soon as possible.

Have an enjoyable weekend,
Miss Clayton and Miss Land