

# YEAR 4 HOMEWORK- SUMMER 2

## TOPIC – Record Breakers

**Topic Project:** Next half term's homework theme will be all about Record Breakers. Choose from the selection of activities suggested below. The aim is to complete at least one task (you can do more if you wish. There is a mixture of practical and recorded tasks from which to choose. Be as creative as possible; these are just a few ideas. You could think of your own activities to do. For example you could keep a scrap book, write diary entries, complete drawings or do art work.

This project can cover a wide range of areas and is not necessarily related just to the area of sport.

Activities may include:

- Finding information on the biggest cities/countries in the world (top 5)
- Researching the longest rivers, highest mountains, largest and smallest dinosaurs, animals- fastest, heaviest, slowest, smallest (also mini beasts).
- A focus on RE: longest / shortest book in the bible, longest verse, shortest verse, oldest church, country with the most churches, country with the largest Christian population
- Choosing a significant person who has broken records, or is a current world record holder (e.g. singer, actor, sports or person) and present information about them. This could be in the form of pictures, a fact file, a poster, poetry or even a story.
- Presenting information on the longest serving monarchs
- Create a timeline of events relating to record breaking within a particular area e.g. 100 meter sprint
- Think about a record that you could break. Could you break any records?

### Homework Celebration Day

At the end of term, you will present your work to the class. A winner will be chosen, and awarded for their efforts.

The deadline date for handing everything in will be confirmed at the start of next term.

### Spellings

Children will continue to receive weekly spelling every Friday, to be tested the following Thursday.

### Maths

They will also be expected to complete a piece of maths and must continue to practice their times-tables at home.

### Reading

Children should continue to read daily for 10 minutes each day. Please sign your child's reading record and encourage your child to return these to school each

### Blogging and ICT

Every week, the Year 4 blog will be updated with examples of some of the learning that has taken place that week.

Pupils are advised to regularly check the blog for further learning opportunities. The blog also has learning links where pupils can access websites which link to the learning that has taken place in the classroom.