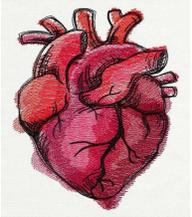


Year 6 - Autumn Term 1 - Homework

Blood Heart



Choose a task to complete as homework once a fortnight. You **MUST** hand a piece in **every other Monday** and one of the pieces you have chosen over the course of the term **MUST** be the Etymology task. We will display them in the classroom at the end of this half term to show the rest of the school and your parents, so make sure they are beautifully presented.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Research/Science</u></p> <p>Be kind to your heart! Research information and plan ideas for a weekly menu of food that your heart would love. Spinach, porridge, blueberries, salmon and soy protein are all heart-healthy.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>History</u></p> <p>Find out about the historical tradition of Valentine's Day. Why are hearts traditionally used as symbols of love?</p> <p>This must be written up and recorded neatly in your homework book</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Science/PE</u></p> <p>Measure your family's resting heart rates before putting them through their paces. Ask them to hop, skip, jump and run, measuring their heart rates after each activity. Fill in a table or spreadsheet with everyone's results. Who has the slowest heart rate? Which exercise caused the biggest increase in heart rate?</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Research/ Science</u></p> <p>Find out about some famous heart surgeons. What do you need to study to become a heart surgeon? How long would it take if you started right now? What skills and personality would make you successful in this role?</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Writing</u></p> <p>Find examples of proverbs or idioms relating to the heart, such as 'wear your heart on your sleeve' or 'eat your heart out'. See how many you can find and explain what they mean. A minimum of 5, displayed and recorded neatly, is expected.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Writing - Etymology</u></p> <p>Complete a poster like those seen in SPAG lessons for 'What's the same & what's different' for these four words: generic, generation, genesis, genuine.</p> <p>The root word is 'gen' - find out its meaning and make sure you record the meaning of the four words mentioned above.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Music</u></p> <p>Songwriters are often inspired by the heart. Search for songs about heartbreak or cheer yourself up by making a playlist of songs to make your heart sing.</p> <p>Record your heart songs as a 10 - 20 song playlist. If you can, and you have managed to download the tracks, bring the actual playlist in.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Art</u></p> <p>Look out for heart shapes around you - in decorative ironwork, embellishments in clothing and jewellery, and even in nature itself. Photograph your findings and make a colourful montage</p>

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