



Year 6 – Autumn 1

These activities are designed to give you ideas of activities to do at home with your families or independently, to support your learning at school. Please choose three to complete this half term. We can't wait to see your creativity!

Science Classification Can you use a classification tree to identify mini beasts and other invertebrates in your back garden? You could even go pond dipping and try and identify pond life which inhabits there. Use this website to help you... What are classification keys? - BBC Bitesize	English In English this half term we are reading My Name is Mina. How would you describe yourself? Can you write a poem in the style of Mina's first chapter which explains your hopes, dreams and passions? My Name Is Mina I belong to the night...	Maths This term in Maths we will be mastering our understanding of Calculation. Look at some facts and figures about The Americas – including population, climate data and statistics. Can you calculate and represent this data using multiplication and division?	D.T. In D.T. we are looking at designing our own menus. Find a country in The Americas which inspires you. Research their cuisine and plan a three-course menu in the style of that cuisine. You can even have a go at cooking it yourself – take some photos and share it with us!
Computing We are learning how to use coding to create programmes for computers. Use code.org to try and create a code to play a game online. Will you make a flashing love heart? Will you try and make a fortune teller? Perhaps you could try making a friendship meter...	Geography In Geography this term we will be learning about The Americas. We will be looking at the Wonders of the World and where they are found in the world. Research one of these wonders and create a non-chronological report about the site.	Music This half term we are studying Jazz and looking at influential Jazz artists. Trumpet player and singer, Louis Armstrong was one of the most influential artists of all time. Take a look at this website and explore his works... Louis Armstrong - Kids Britannica Kids Homework Help	P.E. We are learning how to play netball this half term. Did you know that Netball traces its roots to basketball? Compare the similarities and differences between the two sports – what are the advantages of playing netball compared to basketball? What are the disadvantages?