

Penny Sweets

Complete each Penny Sweet activity at least once a week. **Aim to read every evening for at least 10 minutes.**



Bigger Treats

Choose 2 Bigger Treats to complete this Half Term. Make sure you choose Treats from different sections.

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Reading You can read:

- Your Scheme Reader or Library Book
- Other Fiction books, short stories, poetry collections
- magazines, comics, newspapers
- Non-fiction books, information texts, recipe books



*Make sure that an adult signs your Reading Record every time you read. We will check Reading Records every **Monday**.*

Practise your times tables

- Write, cover, check
- Forwards, backwards, mixed up
- Ask someone to test you
- Roll a dice and multiply the numbers



Learn spellings

- Look, say, cover, write, check
- Ask someone to test you
- Is there a spelling rule that helps?
- Identify the tricky part & a way to remember it



*Don't forget spelling tests are every **Thursday***

*New spelling lists are given out every **Friday***

Maths Games

- Practise your times tables and compete against others on Times Tables Rockstars: <https://trockstars.com/login>
- Try the games on ictgames.com or use your Purple Mash log-in to play Maths games on Purple Mash.



You have a Reading Record book and a Spelling Practise Book. Miss Buczynski will collect these books in regularly this term to check that you are completing your Penny Sweets homework.

Bigger Treats Term 4

Wonderful Writing (choose 1)

- 1) Write a short story (no more than 2 pages) with the title 'Lost'. Your character could be lost anywhere – in a desert, in a jungle, even in space! What happens to your character? How are they rescued?
- 2) Write your own 'Rainforest Survival Guide'. Include details of what to wear, what you would need in your backpack, how to build a den and what dangers to look out for.

Magnificent Maths (choose 1)

- 1) Make a 'Matching Fractions' game! You could make a game of Snap where you have to match a picture to the correct fraction or where you have to match equivalent fractions (i.e. $\frac{1}{2}$ matches to $\frac{4}{8}$).

Super Science (choose 1)

- 1) What does cress need to grow? Where does it grow best? Plan and carry out an experiment to find out. You could even grow your own 'cress heads' by growing cress in an empty eggshell!
- 2) Go on a nature hunt – what plants and animals can you find? You could look in your own garden or go to a local park. Draw pictures or take photographs to show your findings.

Poster Perfect (choose 1)

Design a poster for any of these topics:

- 1) Encouraging people to buy Fair Trade products – for example Fair Trade chocolate or bananas.
 - 2) Suggesting 2 or more small, practical ways people can save the planet from climate change, e.g. use re-useable bags and water bottles, eat seasonally, avoid products with palm oil, walk when you can.
- Make sure that your poster is colourful and eye-catching!

Amazing Arts and Crafts (choose 1)

- 1) Create art using materials you can find outside. Think about the textures and colours of the natural materials you use – for example you could use moss, twigs and leaves.
- 2) Make your own rainforest diorama (a 3D rainforest in a shoe box!) You could make toilet roll trees for the canopy and add lots of interesting animals and birds.

Your 2 Bigger Treats must be completed and in school by **Monday 20th May** ready for our Class Exhibition. You can complete Bigger Treats on larger pieces of paper or using ICT if this is easier. If you need help or are stuck in any way, tell Miss Buczynski in plenty of time!

Remember:

Homework will be awarded House Points for: effort, presentation & creativity.

