Homework Expectations – Year 4 Term 6
Every week: Children are expected to read 7 times a week at home and this needs to be recorded by an adult in the reading record. Reading every day will really impact positively on your child's progress. Additional resources can be found at www.activelearnprimary.co.uk. Furthermore, children have weekly spellings to learn, and are expected to regularly complete Mathletics tasks set by the teacher as well as practising their times tables for regular testing. Thank you for supporting your child's learning.

Maths	English	Topic
Times Tables Create a fun way to remind you of the 4 & 8 times tables. Ideas may include: • Writing a song about the multiples. • Creating a poster about different multiples. • Making a board game, which includes recalling multiples.	**Letter** Write a letter about a subject of your choice. Remember to focus on the correct layout of a letter: • Inviting a friend to your seaside town. • Telling a friend your experience as a survivor of a ship wreck • Informing the council to about the issue of littering on beaches.	**Why do the oceans matter?** Research, using the internet or books, why the oceans and seas matter. Think about the many reasons why they are so important and create your own fact file/information page
Angles Design a poster to explain the following angles: • Acute • Obtuse • Right angles • Reflex ❑	**Beach Design** Draw a design of your own beach. What will it look like? How would you describe it? Write a description of your beach. Remember to: • Appeal to the senses • Include figurative language (alliteration, simile, metaphor, personification, hyperbole) • Use fronted adverbials (how, where, when) ❑	**My Plastic Diary** Create and complete your own plastic diary. See example below: ❑
Shapes Draw 5 different regular or irregular 2D shapes. Label the properties of each one. Remember: • Name • Edges or sides • Vertices • Angles • Parallel lines ❑	**Poetry** Write a poem about an unclean beach. Try to include exciting, challenging and emotive language: You could write an acrostic, rhyming, narrative, haiku etc… ❑	**Beach Habitat** Choose one animal that has the habitat of a beach. Think about the threats that litter could have on this animal. Research, through the use of the internet or a library book, other facts about animals and how litter on beaches can harm them. **Choose how to present your findings (comic strips, poster, drawing, fact file, diary from animals' viewpoint…)** ❑

Instructions
1. By the end of term **6** you must make sure that you have completed **6** items and at least one item from each column (<u>Maths</u>, <u>English</u> and <u>Topic</u>). 2. Homework is due each Wednesday and will be marked and returned to you on Friday. 3. Tick the item(s) you choose.