

Hemington Primary School – Class 1

Dear parents/ guardians,

This letter will give you all the information you need about our new ‘Challenge at Home’ homework. Our topic this term is ‘Memory Box’; therefore all of the activities are related to this topic. The idea behind this homework is that you and your child will have a go at things together and record what you have done in the book provided. You can choose any way that you would like to record your experiences, for example, you can use pictures, photographs, writing, cartoons or you could stick any souvenirs in your book. You can also choose the order in which you complete the challenges. **Please don’t worry if you do not get chance to complete all of the challenges, they are designed for you to pick and choose which activities you would like to do with your child and that fit around your family life.** We do hope that you can complete as many challenges as possible so that your child can share their successes. The children will have chance to share their work during the topic. The first presentation of work will take place on **15th April 2024**. We hope that you enjoy helping your child with this exciting project.

Find out	Write	Sort	Fact File
Interview grandparents or an older relative about toys they played with when they were younger. <u>Reception Challenge</u> Draw and label the toys. <u>Year 1/ 2 Challenge</u> Record your findings and explain how they are different to the toys that you play with.	Write a diary entry about a memorable day in your life. <u>Reception Challenge</u> Draw a picture <u>Year 1 / 2 Challenge</u> Write sentences and illustrate.	Collect your toys and sort them into categories according to the materials that they are made from. What do you notice?	Write a Toy Fact File about your favourite toy. Draw a picture of it, think about what it is made from and why. Write about why it is your favourite.
Design	Money	Build	Make
Design a poster for a toy. Make it eye catching and include information about the toy. Write a description of the toy, what it does and why people should buy it.	Create your own Toy Shop with all your toys. Put prices on each toy. (e.g 15p). Buy and sell items in your shops with amounts up to £2. Take turns to be the shop keeper and customer.	Design and build a 3D model of a toy. You could use junk modelling or construction to make your toy. Can you include a moving part? You can bring in your model or take a photograph to share with everyone.	Look at a range of board games. Design your own, thinking carefully of the rule of the game. Have a go at making it and creating your own set of instructions.

