

English —Our next piece of writing is a narrative piece. Look at this description of the beach below.

The beach was gentle beneath my bare feet. Tips of shells peeked from holes, made by little creatures, seeking safety in the soft sand. Mini dunes of beige dust soon to be soaked by the sea were gradually creeping their way further onto shore. The sun's rays peacefully floated, resting on the warm waters. Timid clouds were rarely exposed, leaving the sky to beam blue. A white ribbon of cliffs and rocks surrounded me and the bay, guarding us from what lies beyond. My ears invite in the quiet whisper of waves, sharing the ocean's secrets. A graceful song, when the birds' calm calls break the silence in the settled scene.

Can you create a description but of a cold winter's day and maybe an oil polluted beach.

Think of similes, powerful adjectives and power of 3.

Maths – Converting Units

This week in Maths and over the next week we will convert different units of measurement in maths. We will explore metric and imperial units of work.

Please complete the questions on the following two pages.

Try to think where you have seen different units of measurement whether imperial or metric.

Spelling

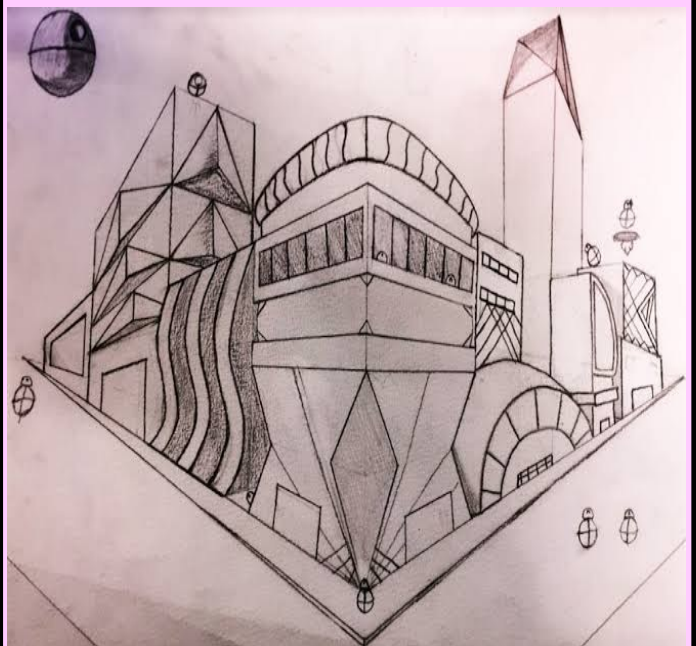
This week, we would like children to practice these spellings from the Year 5/6 list:

queue,
recognise,
recommend,
relevant,
restaurant,

Look at the next page for possible spelling activities to help you practice.

Art

Can you try to create a 2 point perspective piece of work. We have looked at this style over the last week in class. Here is an example to remind you.



Task 1- put the units in the correct place in the table

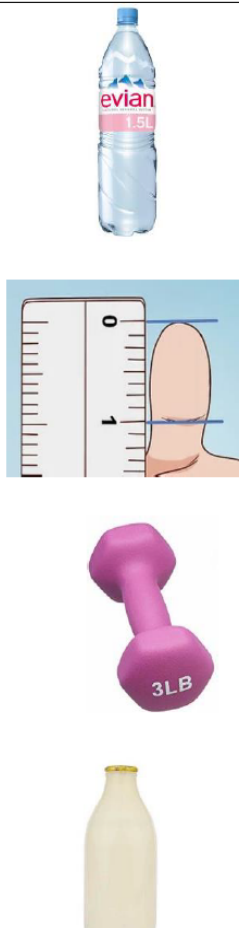
	Metric units	Imperial units
Mass		
Capacity		
Length		

Km cm tonnes gallons pints
 mm ounces stone feet miles
 inches litres ml grams

Here are some facts about different units of measurement. Use the website to help you learn about units of measurement—imperial and metric.

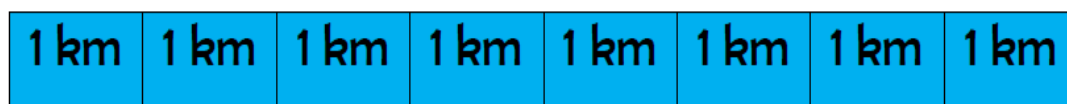
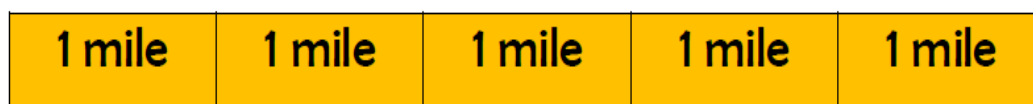
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Imperial measure	Metric measure	Imperial measure	Imperial measure
5 miles	8km	1 foot	12 inches
1 inch	2 ½ cm	1 lb	16 ounces
1 lb	454g	1 stone	14 lbs
1 pint	570 millilitres	1 gallon	8 pints
0.4 inch	1cm		
2.2lbs	1kg		
1¾ pints	1 litre		

Metric and imperial			Imperial to imperial	
cm	5 inches		15 feet	inches
g	3lbs		3.5 feet	inches
ml	2 pints		0.2 feet	inches
7 ½ cm	inches		0.8 pints	gallons
3 litres	pints		14 lbs	ounces
15 miles	km		0.8lbs	ounces

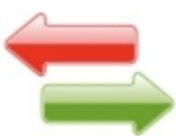
Complete the conversions above using the information from the previous page.

1) Which statements are true? Use the bar model to help you.

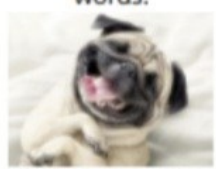


- a) 1 mile is longer than 1 km.
- b) 5 miles is approximately equal to 8 kilometres.
- c) 3 miles are shorter than 4km.
- d) 2 kilometres is longer than 2 miles.

SPELLING MENU

21. Question/Answers Write questions with half of your spelling words. Then use the other half to answer the questions. Underline the words you used. 	22. Riddles Write a riddle for each of your words. Don't forget to answer them. e.g. I am grey. I have a trunk and big ears. Answer: elephant. 	23. Crossword Puzzle Make a crossword puzzle with your spelling. Show the answers to your puzzle. 	24. Rhyming Words Write your spelling words out with a rhyming word next to them. Remember that words do not need to have the same spelling pattern to rhyme. e.g. men and again
25. Homophones Can you find any homophones which go with your spelling words? What do they mean? e.g. wear and where, to, too and two their, there and they're	26. Writing Race Set a timer for 2 minutes. See how many times you can write each word perfectly during that time. 	27. Code Words Come up with a code for each letter of the alphabet and then write each word in code. e.g. a = □ b = ◆ c = ▲	28 Word Classes Sort your spelling words into word classes - nouns, verbs, adjectives etc. Be careful - some words can be used in more than one category e.g. swimming.
29. Synonyms Find at least 2 synonyms for each of your spelling words. 	30. Antonyms Find an antonym (opposite) for each of your spelling words. 	31. Joker Write jokes containing each of your spelling words. 	32. Backwards Words Write your spelling words forwards and then backwards. Remember to write neatly! ƆƆAƆƆAƆƆ
33. X Words Write 2 words with one letter in common so that they cross over each other. e.g. b r cheese a d	34. Acrostic Poem Write an acrostic poem for your spelling words. See if you can stick to a theme when writing. e.g. sun Sun shines brightly Up in the sky Nice and warm on my face	35. Scrabble In a game of Scrabble, each letter is worth a certain number of points. Write your words and then add the total of the letters. Which of your spelling words has the highest total value? 	

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1. ABC Order  Write all of your spelling words in alphabetical (ABC) order.	2. Word Parts Write your words. Then use a coloured pencil to divide the words into syllables. e.g. <u>jump</u>ing cater<u>pill</u>ar	3. Other Handed Write each word 5 times, switching the hand you write it with each time. Say the word as you spell it.	4. Vowel Spotlight Write your words using one colour for the vowels and another colour for the consonants. (vowels: a, e, i, o, u)
5. Use Technology Type out your spelling words on the computer. Try to use at least 4 different fonts. 	6. Pyramid Words s sp spe spel spell spelli spellin spelling (or make them boat shaped, star, smiley face, etc.)	7. "Ransom" Words "Write" your words by cutting letters out of a newspaper or magazine and gluing the letters on a piece of paper to spell your words. 	8. Rainbow Words Write your spelling words with coloured pencils. Make each letter a different colour. 
9. Scrambled Words Write your words. Then write them again with the letters mixed up. Can you unscramble them again the next day? e.g. watch - cwhta	10. Silly Sentences Write 3 or more sentences that use all your spelling words. 	11. Prefixes and Suffixes Underline the prefixes and suffixes in the words you are learning. Make sure you know what they mean. e.g. <u>im</u>portant happi<u>ness</u>	12. Word Search Create your own word search with your spellings. Show the answers to your puzzle in a different colour. 
13. Flashcards Make and practice with flashcards. Put the word on one side and definition (meaning) on the other. 	14. Picture & a Story Draw a picture defining each word. Write a sentence about your picture using the word.	15. Words without Vowels Write all of your words replacing vowels with a line. Go back and see if you can fill in the vowels. e.g. q--st--n = question	16. Train Words Write the entire list end-to-end as one long word. Write each new word in a different colour. e.g. <u>train</u><u>back</u><u>stop</u>
17. Write a Story, Poem or Song with Words Write a story using all your spelling words. Underline the words you used.	18. Bubble Letters Write your spelling words out in bubble writing. 	19. Words Within Words Write each spelling word and then write at least 2 words made from that word. e.g. catch - cat, hat	20. Picture words Draw a picture and hide your spelling words in the picture.