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### Summer Holiday Homework

Dear Families,

We enjoyed a successful transfer morning in Griffin Class last week (with the current Year 4's and 5's) and are very much looking forward to working with the children from September. We have already begun planning for next term which will be action-packed and full of surprises! We will write to you again in September to remind you of our routines and expectations including mathematics and spelling homework, but in the meantime, we would like to set some topic homework to be completed during the summer holiday.

Our first topic is 'Dynamic Dynasties' where we will explore China and the Shang Dynasty. More details are available on the Topic Map.

There will be **no spelling or maths homework** set for the summer holiday. However, we expect each child to complete a piece of good quality **topic homework**. We would like each child to use a range of sources to find out about an ancient Chinese achievement, invention or innovation that is of interest, such as traditional Chinese medicine, metalworking, the Great Wall of China or Chinese writing. Findings should be recorded as a list of facts and include a picture or drawing. Children can make a 3D model if they wish.

Please also encourage your child to continue reading every day as this really helps with their language and literacy development. Also, don't forget the importance of looking for opportunities to consolidate maths knowledge – whether it be negotiating pocket money or screen time!

Topic homework is due in the first day back to school – Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>. September. We will then use this as part of our topic display in the classroom.

We hope you have an enjoyable summer holiday.

Best wishes,

The Griffin Team.

