



## Homework Challenge Grid - Year 3 Spring Term 2023

<p><b>Reading</b></p> <p>Read aloud to your parents for 10 minutes each evening. Remember to summarise what has happened so far and talk about features of the book that you may have had experience of, or that interested you.</p>	<p><b>Challenge 1</b> <b>The Iron Man</b></p> <p>Use craft materials to make your own robot model... or could you make a life-sized robot?</p>	<p><b>Times tables</b></p> <p>You need to be able to recall Times table facts quickly 2,3,4 5, 8 &amp; 10. Try them backwards as well</p> <p>Use websites <a href="#">Hit the Button</a> and <a href="#">TimesTables Rockstars</a> to help you practice</p>
<p><b>Challenge 2</b> <b>The Iron Man</b></p> <p>Think about the properties of different materials. What might have happened if the 'Iron Man' was made of wood, plastic, fabric or jelly? Plan an experiment to test the strength of different materials.</p>	<p><b>Spellings</b></p> <p>Practise the words on your spelling zapper grid. When you feel you are ready, you (or grandparents, older siblings...) can check you can spell the words correctly. Each time a word is spelt correctly a small 'z' is put in the corner of that rectangle.</p>	<p><b>Challenge 3</b></p> <p>Create your own version of 'The Iron Man' and write a detailed character description. Ideas to include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• What is their name?</li><li>• What material are they made from?</li><li>• How tall are they?</li><li>• What do they like to eat? What are their strengths and weaknesses?</li><li>• How could you describe their... Face -&gt; eyes, nose, mouth and ears. Body -&gt; arms, legs, hands, feet, clothes, etc</li></ul>
<p><b>Handwriting</b></p> <p>Copy out a paragraph of your book in cursive script. Why not cover two tasks at the same time and write your spellings in cursive script?</p>	<p><b>Challenge 4</b></p> <p>What do the virtues 'Faith' and 'Simplicity' mean to you? Draw what comes into your mind when you think about these virtues.</p>	<p><b>Animation Challenge</b></p> <p>Make a stop motion animation or trailer based on the story or about another robot. With an adults help, have a look on YouTube for ideas. I found some examples by searching, "The Iron Man by Ted Hughes Stop Motion".</p> 