Cubs Homework Menu
'Let's Play

Maths Focus:

Practise counting as you climb up and down steps or stairs.

Roll a dice – what number do you land on? Try and remember the dot pattern rather than counting.

Play with a partner, each roll the dice, say the number you each land on. Who has rolled the number that is more/less?

Look around your home or when you are out and about – can you find any circles, triangles, squares and oblongs? How many of each shape do you find?

Phonics, Reading and Writing Focus:

Play I spy

Using a bedtime story book or one from our sharing library snuggle up and enjoy the book together.

Draw a picture of your favourite character or the story setting.

Write your letter to Santa – remember say the word, segment it and write the sounds you hear.

Design and Technology Focus:

Make gingerbread people. Remember to add some eyes, a nose, mouth and at least 5 buttons.

Share them with your family, friends and teachers!

Take a photograph and stick it in your book.

Homework Expectations in Foundation Stage:

- Read your phonics book at least three times to an adult
- Phoneme recognition using all phonics cards sent home
- Use phoneme cards to make three letter words for sound talking and blending
- Reading the words in your word wallet by sight, not sounding out
- Weekly letter formation
- Choose and complete at least two activities from this Homework Menu during the half term. You can do more if you would like to.

All recorded homework should be completed neatly in your homework book. Feel free to add any photographs of artwork or outdoor activities as evidence.

Homework books will be sent home on Fridays and should be returned on **Wednesdays** with completed homework for that week.

Passwords and usernames can be found in the back of your homework book.

Science Focus:

Go on an Autumn walk, take notice of how the weather is changing as the season and weeks pass by. Collect pieces of nature such as leaves, sticks, acorns and feathers – what words can you use to describe what you find?

Complete the 'Autumn sensory walk' activity sheet.

History Focus:

Ask your parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles what toys and games they played when they were the same age as you. Look at photographs of these if they have any. Talk about what materials they were made from and rules for the games. Perhaps they could teach you.

PSHCE – Wellbeing Focus

The 5 steps to wellbeing are to take notice, connect, be active, give and keep learning. To support your wellbeing how many of the '50 Things to Do Before you're 5' can you complete this half term? Take photos and add them to your homework diary so we can see what you have been upto.