

# Kingfisher Class News and Homework

To be handed in on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December



**Maths:** This week we have been using our skills at multiplication to solve word problems. To do this we **partitioned the number into tens and units**, **then** multiplied these. Finally we **added the answers together**.

Eg:  $25 \times 7 =$

$20 \times 7 = 140$  ( $2 \times 7 = 14 \times 10 = 140$ )

$5 \times 7 = 35$

$140 + 35 = 175$



Problem Solving

**English:** In English we have been exploring the structure of persuasive texts and have done some research into deforestation of the rainforests. We have also written up a set of instructions on how to bake our snowmen Christmas biscuits. It was actually more intricate than we remembered. Interestingly, most of us remembered exactly how we did the fun part, the decoration, perhaps because it involved using marshmallows, match makers and smarties!!



**Bazaar:** We have been beavering away this week making our crafts to sell at the bazaar. We were amazed how long it took us to make our pom-pom snowmen and how much wool. We used 8 balls of 295m of wool, making it 2360m of wool, this worked out to about 1.5 miles of wool!



We also made, baked and decorated Christmas Snowmen Biscuits.

## Homework Task:

**Year 3** -GPS book p10-11 (adverbs) **and** Maths book p23 (using times tables)

**Year 4** - GPS book p 8-9 (pronouns) **and** Maths book p25 (written multiplication)

This week's times tables will be **x5.**

Pupil feedback	Parent feedback