

## Resilience



Find out about Greta Thunberg and think about how she has shown our character behaviours, particularly resilience. What challenges has she faced?



**KESTREL MEAD**  
PRIMARY ACADEMY

## Homework Heroes



At Kestrel Mead we value our character behaviours and would love to see you promote these at home! We look forward to seeing what you have done on **Monday 11th December**. Children will share their homework with their class and it will be celebrated by their teacher. You can present this in any way you like and needs to be posted on Class Dojo so that it can be shared with the class. For the foreseeable future, we will not be giving out homework books.

This half term our **BIG QUESTION** is:

### Why is climate change such big news?

**Little Question: Is climate change a challenge to our future?**

The Big question will be your child's current topic. The Little questions will help to develop a moral understanding of the big question and will be focussed on during school. We have included 1 little question for you to think about and discuss at home. Other questions can be found on the knowledge organiser

## Curiosity



Research climate change and decide how you could present your research in an interesting way. You could do this as a poem, a video presentation, a leaflet, a quiz, using art or D&T a physical model...the choice is yours.

## Compassion



Can you create an invention that would help reduce climate change? It could be something for the garden, something for the kitchen...anything you can think of. It may be something to help reduce, reuse, recycle or even an invention on a larger scale for communities.



## Respect



Think about what could happen to the world if we do not start to respect it- if you could change one thing to help the world, what would it be and why?



## How can I support my child's learning in English and Maths?

### Weekly Spellings

These are taught on a **Monday** and tested on a **Friday** a complete list of your child's spellings can be found on the school website.

Daily reading: Reading for Pleasure has the biggest impact on reading attainment! Please sign your child's reading diary to show you have enjoyed reading with them. Daily reading will be rewarded with dojos and rewards over the year!