# <u>Autumn 2 Home Learning Menu – Year 5 and 6</u>

# English - Reading

(You must complete this activity)

- Read your schoolbook every day.
- Read another book by Roald Dahl and write a book review.

## English - Writing

- You will be sent spellings home every WThursday/Friday and you will have a spelling test. Practice your words!
- Write a diary entry as a day in the life of Oliver Twist.
- Play your favourite board game and write a set of how to instructions for how to play it.
- Look up the ingredients for gruel the staple Victorian prisoner's meal – and make it. Write instructions for how to make it. Describe what it tastes like.

### Maths

- Make sure you know all your multiplication tables up to 12  $\times$  12.
- Create a set of flash cards for one of the times tables above that you struggle with.
- Help with cooking or baking and focus on the maths involved (e.g., measuring ingredients, doubling or halving recipes, converting units).

# Food, Glorious, Food





From tiny acorns, mighty oaks grow

### You must:

- Complete all the core activities above (Maths, Reading and Writing).
- Complete at least one Science activity.
- Select a minimum of two topic activities to complete.

You can choose which activities you find the most interesting or be creative and generate your own!

Hand- in date: 10th February

#### Science

- Collect different objects from around the house and sort them into solids and liquids can you find any objects that contain a gas?
- Measure how long it takes for different liquids (e.g., water, syrup, oil) to flow down a tilted surface. Record results and compare.
- Freeze different liquids to make ice cubes and then let them melt. Observe and record the time it takes for each liquid to melt. Are thy the same/different? Why do you think this happens?
- Test reversible changes, like melting butter or chocolate and letting it solidify again.

## Topic

- Try some different breads form around the world, such as naan, baba, pretzel, pan de muertos. Can you write different adjectives to describe the appearance, taste, smell and texture of the bread?
- Bake your own bread!
- Pretend you want to start your own new brand of bread. What would be the name of the brand? What would be the slogan?
- Write a letter to Queen Victoria to persuade her to pass a law to stop hangings.
- Create a fact file about different Tudor punishments, such as the scold's bridle, ducking stool, etc.
- Create a 'wanted' poster of the real Dick Turpin
  detailing his appearance and the crimes he committed.