## Badgers' Homework Matrix for Spring 2025

Select **two** of the tasks from the table below, one before half-term and the other after. Don't forget we expect the same high-quality research, thought and care with presentation, as we do in school.

<b>Creative Writing</b> Write a short story from the perspective of a young explorer visiting the Galápagos Islands for the first time. Include descriptions of the landscapes and encounters with wildlife.	<b>Cultural Study</b> Research the culture and history of the people living in the Galápagos Islands. Create a report or presentation about their traditions, food, and daily life.	<b>Biodiversity Bingo</b> : Create a bingo card with different animals and plants from the Galápagos Islands. As you learn about each one, mark it off on your card. Record what you discover in your home learning journal.
<b>Model Making</b> Build a 3D model of one of the Galápagos Islands using clay, paper mâché, or other craft materials. Include key features like volcanoes, beaches, and habitats.	Music and Dance Learn about traditional music and dance from Ecuador, the country to which the Galápagos Islands belong. Try to learn a dance or create your own music inspired by the islands.	<b>Population Graphs</b> Create graphs showing the population changes of different species on the islands over time. Discuss the factors that might influence these changes, such as food availability and human impact.
<b>Poetry Writing</b> Write a poem about the beauty and uniqueness of the Galápagos Islands. Use descriptive language to capture the sights, sounds, and feelings of the islands.	<b>Creative</b> Choose one of the animals which can be found on one of the Galapagos Islands. Either paint a picture or create a sculpture of your chosen animal.	Holiday Time Plan a holiday to the Galapagos Islands. How would you get there? How long would it take? Where would you stay? What would you do while you were there?

You will need to bring your work back into school on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February and Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025 when you will share it with our class and the rest of the school in our home learning exhibition. Parents are welcome to join us between 2:30pm and 3pm