

## Class A

### Brain Builder Book

**Friday 15th February to be handed in by Friday 1st March 2019**

Basics: reading, spellings and times tables – these must be done throughout the week. Children will be tested on their spellings on Mondays.

**Then choose from the list of activities below. Complete as many as you like. If you want to do something different that still links to what we have been learning in school, then you can do that instead! The choice is yours.**

**Rules: You should complete 2 pages (no more!) of your Brain Builder Book each week and your work should be well presented.**

- News: Fairtrade Fortnight begins on 25<sup>th</sup> February. What does Fairtrade mean? Design a poster to advertise Fairtrade Fortnight or maybe you could try out a Fairtrade recipe (See ones provided). Don't forget to take photos!
- Topic: The Peak District is famous for its Blue John. What is Blue John? Write a report to inform people about it.
- English: Write a short newspaper report based upon a nursery rhyme of your choice. Remember to include the features you have covered in class. Don't forget: a headline, an introduction including the 5Ws, lots of detail, quotes and a conclusion.

#### Example

**Little Miss Muffet sat on a tuffet  
Eating her curds and whey,  
Along came a spider,  
Who sat down beside her  
And frightened Miss Muffet away.**

*Early yesterday afternoon Miss Margaret Tuffet was almost assaulted by a deadly spider and left in a state of shock.*

*At approximately 1.30 yesterday afternoon, Miss Tuffet, 8, was sitting down to her regular afternoon snack of curds and whey. Reports suggest that out of a nearby tree a large black spider, going by the name of 'Fluffy', approached without warning. Upon seeing the arachnid, Miss Tuffet, also known as Maggie, became extremely frightened and flustered.*

*"It was such a shock seeing a horrible, ugly, black spider smiling at me like that. When he walked towards me and sat down, I just freaked out and ran away!"*

*Miss Tuffet was being comforted by friends last night while the location of the spider is unknown.*