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### **Home Learning Project for Autumn 1: Design and create a model of Stonehenge.**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Each half term the children will complete a home learning project that encompasses many aspects of our varied curriculum through the chosen topic for that half term. This half term the children will be exploring the difference between life in the Stone Age and life as we know it today. The home learning project will support the learning that happens during school time and allow it to continue at home.

The project for this half term is to design and make a model of Stonehenge. I would encourage the children to be creative with their use of materials when constructing their model. I have seen edible models in the past!!

The following must be included in the project:

- Research and a fact file about Stonehenge.
- Design and draw an annotated plan for the model of Stonehenge.
- Create a 3D model of Stonehenge (from their choice of material).
- A seasonal poem (perhaps consider the Winter Solstice).

These are the basics that must be included in the project, however, it is not limited to this and I would actively encourage the children to be creative in adding to the brief, for example, they may choose to create a stone age weapon or item of clothing. Throughout the half term the children will be learning about different things that will support them in completing their project. Please encourage them to use their learning in the classroom to inform their home learning project.

The finished project will need to be handed in to me **by the 12<sup>th</sup> October**. I am looking forward to seeing some amazing projects!

We would also like to invite you in on the **Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup> October at 3:00.pm** to join in the celebrations of the children's projects and to give them a chance to share their hard work and efforts.

Thank you for your continued support with this, and if you have any further questions about the project, please do come and speak to me.

Yours faithfully,  
*Miss H. Chalmers*  
Cedar Class Teacher