Tin Mining Quiz

The questions on this sheet count as one homework (answers on a separate piece of paper. Please write in full sentences):

- How old were boys when they first started work underground?
- 2. What was the name of young boys and girls who worked at the top of the mine breaking rock?
- 3. What is the earliest date mining in Cornwall has been recorded?
- 4. What minerals have been mined in Cornwall?
- 5. Name 4 Cornish tin mines.
- 6. What was the life expectancy of a Cornish miner in the 1800s?



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Choose any 2 from the list below plus *My Maths*. It is a good idea to complete the *My Maths* later in the term, once we have had the teaching in class. Please return homework, in any order, by Thursday 11th January, Thursday 25th January and Thursday 8th February.

Times Tables: this is not part of your homework, but they still need to be learnt. Year 2 are focusing on 2, 5, 10 and 4 times tables this term. We are looking for speedy recall.

Spellings: please practise regularly!

My Maths: some activities have been set for you.

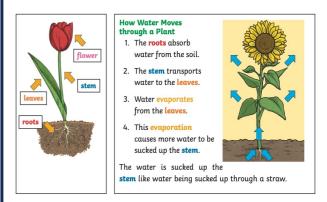
Literacy: Extreme Reading Challenge! To celebrate World Book Day on the 7th March- we are running an Extreme Reading Competition. Please ask an adult to take a picture of you reading a favourite book in an unusual or extreme (but safe!) place. Please post your photos on Class Dojo, there will be prizes for the most unusual! Winners will be announced on World Book day.

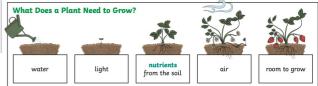
Science: Planting and Growing- draw and label a diagram of a plant or seedling. Grow some cress or a sunflower, take a picture and put it on Dojo.

Art: Design your own flower- give it a name and think about colour choices and styling.

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Key Vocabul	ury
roots	These anchor the plant into the ground and absorb water and nutrients from the soil.
stem	This holds the plant up and carries water and nutrients from the soil to the leaves. A trunk is the stem of a tree.
leaves	These make food for the plant using sunlight and carbon dioxide from the air.
flowers	These make seeds to grow into new plants. Their petals attract pollinators to the plant.
nutrients	These substances are needed by living things to grow and survive. Plants get nutrients from the soil and also make their own food in their leaves.
evaporation	When a liquid turns into a gas.





Different plants vary in how much of these things they need. For example, cacti can survive in areas with little water, whereas water lilies need to live in water.