

## Kestrel Class

### Homework Project – Term 1

# WONDERFUL WILTSHIRE!

### Your Mission

As geographers this term, we will learn all about our local area of Wiltshire. From rolling chalk downs to prehistoric monuments and charming market towns, Wiltshire is truly a wonderful county. Did you know that 40% of the county is classed as an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty? Your project this term will give you a chance to explore Wiltshire by choosing a writing and creative idea from the table below to develop further.

Writing Ideas	Write a tourist guide about the key prehistoric site in Wiltshire aimed at families. Use persuasive language to encourage families to visit.	Write a story using Wiltshire's chalk white horses for inspiration. How did they get there? What do they represent? Use your imagination!	Should they build a tunnel for road traffic under Stonehenge? Write a balanced argument giving reasons for and against the plan.	Write a series of poems to capture the beauty of the Wiltshire landscape.	Your choice
Creative Ideas	Create an illustrated map of Wiltshire—2D or 3D, your decide!	Go out and explore key points of interest in Wiltshire and create a photo diary.	Build a model of one of Wiltshire's chocolate box cottages.	Paint/draw/collage/print a series of artwork to capture the beauty of the Wiltshire landscape. You choose!	Your choice

1. Choose one blue and one green idea from above to investigate further over the term.
2. Please produce the equivalent of two A4 sides of writing (handwritten or typed).
3. This is five week's work so I expect the finished project to reflect this.
4. To support your writing, you can be as creative as you want! We will be displaying your finished work in class (please limit the size of your project to no bigger than a shoebox).
5. I will ask you about the progress of your project on Monday 20th September.
6. The completed project must be handed in on **Monday 11th October**.
7. I will be awarding up to 10 merits for each of the following categories:
  - quality of writing (grammar, punctuation, spelling)
  - creativity
7. I will award a certificate to all those who achieve over 15 merits.

I hope that there is something here to get your creative juices flowing, however, if you are stuck, come and see me as soon as possible!