Year 1—English Homework

Homework is due 22nd May



We would like you to have a go at spelling these words, try to write it out four times, and correct yourself if you make a mistake, practice makes perfect!

Example	
Square	
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Spelling words	X1		X3	X4
		X2		
dry				
Cry				
Try				
Reply				
Shy				

This week we have introduced our new word of the week, please practice spelling out the word a few times and writing down the definition.

Our word of the week this week is: Vacant - empty or without emotion



Today was a good day in my life as a cat! Harry McNish is my owner. He took me on a ship called the Endurance. This was led by a man called Ernest Shackleton. We left London and sailed towards the Antarctic.

13th September 1914

Dear Diary,

Everyone has been calling me Mrs Chippy. They have only just found out that I am a male cat! I have been chasing mice.

I jumped through a window tonight. I landed in the sea. I was there for around ten minutes. Someone saved me.

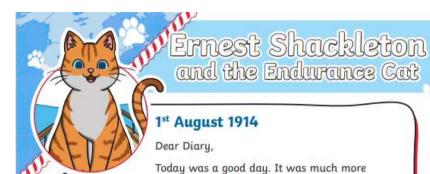
I think I should stick to eating fish!



Questions

1.	Where did the ship sail from? Tick one.				
	000	the Antarctic Paris London			
2.	Harry McNish is my Tick one.				
	000	owner brother cook			
3.	Who	it does Mrs Chippy chase? Tick one. bir <mark>d</mark> s frogs mice			
4.	Õ	re did Mrs Chippy jump? Tick one. under a flag through a window through a door			
5.	_	long was Mrs Chippy in the water for? Tick one. around ten seconds around ten minutes around ten hours			

Phase 5 + Write the answers in your homework book.



fun than a normal day in my life as a cat!

We set sail on a ship called the Endurance which was led by a man called Ernest Shackleton. We left London and sailed towards the Antarctic. Harry

McNish is my owner and the ship's carpenter. A carpenter makes things out of wood. Harry found me sat on his toolbox before he went on the

ship. He thought that he shouldn't leave me behind.

13th September 1914



We are over a month into our trip. Everyone has been calling me Mrs Chippy. They have only just found out that I am a male cat!

I have spent most of my time on the ship chasing mice and climbing. Lots of people on the ship like spending time with me.

I jumped through one of the small windows on the ship tonight. I landed in the sea. Someone heard me and the ship turned around to rescue me. I was in the cold sea for around ten minutes but they were able to save me with a net. I think I should do less climbing and stick to eating fish!

Questions

1. Who was Mrs Chippy's owner? Tick or	ne.
Ernest Shackleton	
Harry McNish	
O Paula Thomas	
2. Draw three lines and match each que	stion to its answer.
What was the name of the ship?	• the Antarctic
Where did the ship sail towards?	• a carpenter
What was Harry McNish's job?	• Endurance
Number the events from 1-3 to show the text.	ne order that they happened
Ernest Shackleton led the ship.	
Someone saved Mrs Chippy with	a net.
Lots of people liked spending tin	ne with Mrs Chippy.
4. Look at the diary entry from 1st Augus	t 1914
Find and copy one word which shows	
5. Fill in the missing word.	
I have spent most of my time on the s	hip mice and climbing