



Homework Challenge – Blue

	Challenges	Stars	Parent	Teacher
Relating to Others	R1. Give to your family: Prepare 3 formal three course meals, including the menu, cooking and presenting, photographs of the meal and feedback from your guests	3		
	R2. Give to families in need (food/goods collection for Salvation Army, SPCA, Food Bank etc)	1		
	R3. Give of your time: Visit an elderly person at least five times over a term	2		
	R4. Give your time to someone at work. Help them with their job at least 5 times in one term	2		
	R5. Create a bumper sticker to create awareness of a of an animal native to NZ	1		
	R6. Communicate with someone by writing two letters, postcards or emails	1		
Thinking	T1. Care for the younger children: Organise a series of ten lunchtime games or activities for senior pupils or teach them dance or an instrument	2		
	T2. Join a community group for a term	3		
	T3. Help someone in your community 3 times in 1 term. (e.g. do someones gardening, help mow their lawn, feed someones pet, do some baking for someone.)	3		
	T4. Work at a fundraiser for a school activity	3		
Managing Self	M1. Undertake and complete an endurance event: Participate in a triathlon, duathlon, Marafun, cycle race etc.	3		
	M2. Compete in a sport for an entire season.	3		
	M3. Plan, prepare and pack for and complete an overnight camping experience	3		
	M4. Discuss with your family and undertake a household chore for a complete term.	3		
	M5. Complete KiwiKids news booklet for one term	3		
Participating and Contributing	P1. Improve your fitness: Over a term complete a cumulative run or walk of at least 50km or cycle 100km	3		
	P2. Improve your swimming skills: Swim a total of 100m non-stop	3		
	P3. Explore the outdoors: With a family member or family friend complete a day tramp.	3		
	P4. Walk or run up Sharplin Falls on two separate occasions with a family member.	2		
	P5. Plan a picnic for your family. Organise what you will need, and where you will go. Pack the picnic yourself and take photos of the picnic.	2		
	P6. Find out about at least 1 native plant and educate your class about it	1		

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Using Language, Symbols and Text	Challenges	Stars	Parent	Teacher
	L1. Be a reporter: Report an event in writing and submit it to Extra or KiwiKids News	1		
	L2. Decide on one or more ways to save energy or recycle at home: Show an action plan	1		
	L3. Improve your science skills: Complete a series of 3 experiments from www.sciencekids.co.nz/experiments	2		
	L4. Improve your study skills: Research Waka- what is it? Why is it important to Māori? What uses does it have?	1		
	L5. Improve your writing skills: Complete a piece of writing and submit it for publishing in a Writing competition	3		
	L6. Complete a Science Fair project	3		
	L7. Complete 1 of the BP Challenges (http://www.royalsociety.org.nz/teaching-learning/bp-challenge/challenges/)	1		
	L8. Design a tutorial showing someone how to use a computer programme or operate a device. (e.g how to play a game on PSP, how to use iTunes, how to use Microsoft Word)	2		
	L9. Create an original artwork	1		
	L10. Join a drama group for at least a term	3		
	L11. Create a poster about bullying	1		
	L12. Use a sewing machine to complete a project	1		
	L13. Learn an instrument for at least a term	3		