



# THE BUILDING BLOCKS OF LITERACY

Name: ..... Form: .....

Complete a line of tasks on the **CUBIO** card.

Your line can be horizontal, vertical or diagonal but must include a minimum of five tasks.

Awards will be given to all who complete a **CUBIO** line – and special prizes will be awarded to students who complete the most tasks. Your parent and guardian must sign the sheet for your **CUBIO** card to be validated.

Parent/guardian signature: .....

Read a review for a film you have watched recently.	Write a diary entry from the point of view of your favourite book character.	Go to the library and choose five books. Read the first page of each book and borrow the one you find most enjoyable.	Write a piece of descriptive writing about your favourite season or day of the week.	Make a treasure hunt for your family. Each clue should be a poem leading them to the next location!
Read two books by the same author and tell someone which story you preferred and why.	Write and practise your own tongue-twister.	Write out the lyrics of your favourite summer song and illustrate it with different pictures.	Create an alternative book cover for your favourite book. Label the book cover with your reasons behind certain choices.	Write a letter to your new form tutor, introducing yourself and sharing information about some of your favourite things!
Take a photo of you reading in an interesting or cool place. Add a caption, three sentences long, which explains why reading in a cool place is fun!	Watch one of the recent news stories on Newsround. Tell someone about it, trying to remember at least five facts.	Write a diary entry from the perspective of an animal you might find in your garden, backyard or the park.	Write a book review for a story you have read over the summer.	You wake up with a superpower: the ability to read people's minds! Write down what one person says to you and what's actually going through their mind.
Read half of a story and write your own ending.	Write out the recipe for your favourite summer treat or meal and make the treat with a parent or relative!	Go to a bookshop and write a list of five books you have never heard of before but that sound exciting.	Find a poem that you like from a book or on the internet and read it to a family member.	Write a letter or an email to your favourite author.
Come up with a creative name for a new ice cream flavour and describe it for the counter display.	Write a 200 word story about a holiday disaster!	Read an article in a magazine or online about a hobby you enjoy or would like to start.	Recommend a book that you have read to a friend or a family member.	Find as many synonyms (alternative words) for 'happy' and use them throughout the day.