



Homework

Reading

Children should aim to read a minimum of four times a week and their reading should be recorded in their reading diaries. We will collect reading diaries on a Tuesday. All children will take part in the 100 reads challenge and the children receive certificates along the way.

Reading has a direct impact on your child's vocabulary base and their imagination. We see a direct correlation between successful writers and those who read widely. We will also compete with the other classes in our unit to win class points.

We would like the children to read their Little Wandle book for at least two of the sessions and then read a chosen book for their other reads.

Maths

Your child has been given a login for Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS). It is expected that your children will log in to TT as their maths homework task. Our expectation is that all children complete 10 minutes of practice per week. All children are expected to know their times tables up to 12 x 12 by the end of Year 4 in preparation for the multiplication check and readiness for year 5.

If you wish to support your children further with maths, online games from websites like this work very well. <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/times-tables>

Spellings

In the first half term we will assess the children on their spelling of the key stage 1 common exception words and we will send your child home to learn the spellings that they are not secure with. Children will then be retested on these at the end of the half term. If your child has not been given the Key stage 1 spellings to learn please practice the year 3 / 4 statutory spellings on SpellingFrame.

From the second half-term onwards, your child will receive a weekly spelling homework task on SpellingFrame. Your child has been given a login for SpellingFrame. Each Tuesday, teachers will upload the new spelling pattern, and children will then have a full week to complete the practice activities and the test.

Project Homework

Each term the children will be set a piece of homework based on one of the topics that they are learning about in school. The children will be given ample time to complete the required task and it is our expectation that every child participates, as this will either provide a foundation for topics or consolidate the children's learning.

