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Dear Parents/Carers.

Home Learning 2025-2026

Following feedback from parents and reflecting our school priorities, we have made some changes to the frequency and the content of some of the tasks of home learning. Please look carefully below at the table to understand the expectation for your child's year group.

As parents, you can play an important role in your child's education by encouraging a healthy attitude to home learning right from the start of their school years.

All year groups, Year 1 to Year 6, will be set their home learning on their Google Classroom class page. Please make sure you have accepted the invitation to your child's new year group class page.

For **years 2-6**, each class teacher will set a home learning task on a **Friday** and it is expected that home learning is 'turned in' no later than the subsequent Friday, allowing 2 weeks for it to be completed. Year 1 have weekly phonic activities.

It is important that children submit evidence of their home learning when they 'turn in' their work, meaning they add an attachment or upload their work for example. Please ensure complete <u>all</u> pieces and upload them at the same time. Children will be awarded a merit if they complete and upload all tasks set.

Frequency of Home Learning

The table below outlines our home learning expectations and progression across the school:

Year 1	Daily reading	<u>Weekly</u>
		Sent home Friday– Due on the following Friday (1 week)
Year 2		Sent home Friday– Due on the subsequent Friday
	Spelling activity	(2 weeks)
	Maths activities	

Year 3	Daily reading Spelling activity Grammar or Maths activity (alternate weeks) Times tables Rockstars practice (as often as possible)	Sent home Friday– Due on the subsequent Friday (2 weeks)
Year 4	Daily reading Spelling activity Grammar or Maths activity (alternate weeks) Times tables Rockstars practice (as often as possible)	Sent home Friday– Due on the subsequent Friday (2 weeks)
Year 5	Daily reading Spelling activity Grammar Maths activity Times tables Rockstars practice (as often as possible)	Sent home Friday– Due on the subsequent Friday (2 weeks)
Year 6	Daily reading Spelling activity Grammar Maths activity Times tables Rockstars practice (as often as possible)	Sent home Friday– Due on the subsequent Friday (2 weeks)

We will continue to enjoy 'whole-school' home learning challenges throughout the year. These often happen over half term breaks or in line with special events and occasions.

If you have any questions regarding home learning, then please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher. We very much look forward to continuing to support your child's learning at home over the coming academic year.

Yours faithfully

Mrs L Smith

Deputy Headteacher