

Friday 11th September 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: Homework Expectations

We are pleased to share our whole-school homework expectations for Years 1–6.

Homework helps children practise key skills, reinforce learning and develop independence.

Maths

- Children will have a Maths homework book.
- **Monday:** Teachers will set the required pages.
- **Friday:** Homework should be completed and returned to school.
- Children should complete work carefully and independently.

Reading

- Children should read at home at least 3 times a week.
- An adult should sign the reading log after each session.
- Please talk about the book, ask questions and discuss new vocabulary.

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPAG)

- Children will have a SPAG homework book.
- **Friday:** Teachers will set the required pages.
- **Monday:** Homework should be completed and returned to school.
- Children should complete work carefully and independently.

TTRS – Years 3–6

- We encourage children to practise Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS) every week.
- Just a few minutes of regular practice can make a big difference.
- TTRS is also available at school during Wednesday lunchtime.
- The winning class will be celebrated in assembly.

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Numbots – All Years

- Numbots is available for all year groups, with a particular focus on Years 1 and 2.
- Regular practice helps children develop number fluency and confidence.
- Thank you for your continued support. Your encouragement at home makes a real difference to your child's learning and progress.

We appreciate your support in helping your child develop good homework routines and positive attitudes towards learning. Your encouragement at home plays an important role in helping your child make progress.

Thank you for your continued support.

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