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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to inform you about an important update to homework in Year 6, which will be implemented to enhance our students' learning experience.

Homework will be set on a Friday and is due in the following Friday. This will be sent home with the children on Friday 5th September to be due in for Friday 12th September and then will be due every Friday from then onwards .

The homework is always explained to the children. If you or your child have any questions, we will be happy to run through the work with you.

In Year 6, homework is extremely important to consolidate learning but also to help prepare them for the next step to Year 7. Independence and taking ownership of this will be promoted greatly and I appreciate the same message being delivered at home in regards to meeting deadlines and planning their time accordingly.

The children will be given some online tasks to complete and a paper portion of homework alongside their Spellings and Reading expectations. They will be given something to cover learning that is being completed in the classroom. This is more in line with what they may receive at Secondary School and Year 6 is a great time to get them into good homework habits!

Spellings are set every Friday alongside the homework and the weekly spelling quiz will be the Friday after. The children will write their spelling scores in their spelling journals and these will then be sent home for parents to look at.

In Year 6 it is also important that the children can spell the words on the Statutory Spelling List for Years 5/6. All children will have a copy of the list of words and know that they should be practising them on a regular basis at home. The weekly spellings will be set every week on Spelling Shed so the children can access this as part of their homework to practise their spellings. The statutory word list will also be set on there every week too.

Yours sincerely,

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