



Learning to Succeed

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Dear Parent/carer(s) of children in Y5 and Y6

It seems such a long time ago since we last wrote to you with regards to homework and it now seems like the right time to give you an update so that you can support your children at home. In the past, each child has brought a homework book to and from school; however, as we are trying to reduce the amount of things that are transferred between home and school we are going to continue to use Purple Mash to set homework tasks. This isn't possible with every activity but every little helps! If you do not have access to Purple Mash at home, a paper copy will be sent with your children.

Please find below information with regards to the homework expectations we have shared with your children.

Year 5 and 6 homework:

Homework set on:	Homework completed by:
Friday	Following Wednesday

Tasks:

Activity	Where to find the activity	Recommended time spent on the activity
Maths activities linked to current learning	<i>Purple Mash</i>	20 minutes per week
English activities linked to current learning	<i>Purple Mash</i>	20 minutes per week
Recall of multiplication and division facts	<i>TTRockstars</i>	5 minutes daily where possible
Reading Reading diaries will be checked by a member of school staff on a Monday and Friday.	<i>Reading books and diaries must be brought to school and taken home every day.</i>	Daily and recorded in reading diaries.
Spellings	<i>Spelling lists sent home</i> https://spellingframe.co.uk/	10 minutes 3x per week This ten minutes can be spent looking at the spelling word list sent home or using the words to play some games. See attached sheet.

Mrs M Livingstone
Y5/Y6 Phase Leader

