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Harrier Class Homework – Spring Term 2022

I have decided to introduce some additional homework for the year 5s and 6s in Harrier Class. This is to encourage them to take responsibility for their learning, to ensure their learning transfers from their working memory to their long-term memory and as preparation for managing homework at secondary school.

To keep things as simple as possible, I will be issuing homework every Friday and it should be handed in the following Friday. The following will be set every Friday:

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| Spellings | 10 words from the Year 3/4 and 5/6 Word Lists |
| Reading Comprehension or Grammar | A fiction or non-fiction text with questions to check their understanding of what they’re readingorQuestions on an area of grammar |
| Maths | Either practice of the week’s topic or times table practice |
| Reading | At least 4 reads a week recorded in their Planner |

Please be assured that the homework will be a follow-up activity to learning they have completed in the class or will be accompanied by concise instructions, therefore they should have a clear understanding of what is required. However, I know from experience this is not always the case. Please remind your child that the homework is their responsibility (not yours!) and if they have any questions, they should come and speak to me as soon as possible. I will also have spare copies of homework sheets and, again, they need to ask me as soon as possible if they lose a piece of homework.

If homework is not handed in, I will provide time during their morning break to complete any missing pieces of work.

Thank you in advance for your support. Best wishes, Mrs Janas