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Dear Parent/Carer

## Homework

Termly Homework allows children to take more responsibility for their learning by incorporating personalisation and choice and will also allow siblings to work together. We are hoping this will provide enjoyment for the children and help your child to take an active role in how and what it is they learn. If teachers feel that children require specific homework, then they will give this out to them as and when needed. Termly Homework has been designed to fit into your own lifestyle so please only do what you can.

The termly grid is split into 3 months e.g., September, October and November, and these months have a separate grid each.

The homework grid can be accessed on Teams, in the Homework channel under the Files section. The spelling words will be assigned to your children in the assignments section. Please use your Glow details that have been issued with this letter to sign in. SUMDOG details have also been issued with this letter.

The homework provided is there if you and your child wish to do it, if you would rather not do the homework then you do not have too, so please don't let homework become a stressful task. If it is causing upset in families, then our advice would be just to leave it. We are aware clubs are restarting and know how much value clubs bring to enhancing life skills of children so if you are also busy getting your child back and forward to clubs then don't feel pressured, just leave the homework.

Reading books will not be going home straight away for P2 – P7 children as we do a six-week modelling block for Literacy, but when you do get reading books home can we ask that you read your child's reading book with them, (if possible) for enjoyment.

SUMDOG/GLOW logins have been issued with this letter also for your child. Please **DO NOT** change SUMDOG login details.

## INFORMATION ABOUT HOMEWORK FOR PRIMARY 1 PARENTS/CARERS ONLY

Mrs Polatajko will go over the homework with Primary 1 parents/carers, e.g., GLOW etc and answer any questions you may have. So, instead of picking your child up please just come into the school at









**2.45pm on Wednesday 6 September** and head to the Primary 1 class (1 adult only please). This will be no longer than 10 minutes.

Kind Regards

Mrs Reid

**Head Teacher (Acting)**