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Learning in partnership

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Year 3 Homework

Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of the children's homework this year, the expectation is for the children to ideally read every night for ten minutes, complete a Mathletics activity and to learn weekly spellings.

Each term, you will be given a termly overview stating the spellings for each week. You will also be able to access these spellings on the class web page.

The children are expected to learn the spellings and then write each word independently into a sentence. They can complete this on any paper, computer, chalkboard or anyway they would enjoy. Your child is welcome to send into school any examples of their spelling work for display but we will also keep a record of the children's ability in school. The weekly spellings will be displayed each morning, during Early Birds, so that your child has time to practise them daily.

These words are taken from the National Curriculum with the aim to correctly spell them all consistently within their work.

Here are some examples of ways to learn the words:

- Discuss where they have seen or heard the word before.
- Find them in books, magazines, dictionaries or when 'out and about'.
- Making up rhymes or ways of remembering the spelling rules.
- Use magnetic letters, play dough, pipe cleaners, paint or felt tips to practice.
- Make up a silly sentence using each letter
- Count the syllables
- Say it silly
- Word detective- can you spot any other words within the word?

There will be 7 spellings each week, which will be tested on a Friday morning.

If you have any questions, please see your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your support,

Year 3 Team

Term 4 Spellings:

Week 1 Friday 6 th March	Circle Enough Occasionally Group Busy Important Position
Week 2 Friday 13 th March	Popular Different Library Disappear Arrive Potatoes Though
Week 3 Friday 20 th March	Straight Interest Thought Woman Caught Favourite February
Week 4 Friday 27 th March	Increase Actual Naughty Earth Knowledge Accident Consider
Week 5 Friday 3 rd April	Therefore Guard Quarter Possible Height Recent Pressure