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Dear Parents/Carers,

Just a note to let you know the children are being sent home with a copy of their spellings on Mondays to practise. They also have Edshed login details where they can log on at home to practise their spellings online too, in their homework books they also have some spelling activities. In addition to daily practise at school. They have a test every Friday, so extra practise is strongly encouraged.

Although, times tables are officially assessed at the end of Year 4, the preparation starts in year 3. In school the children practise fast maths grids three times a week, as well as two sessions of TT Rockstars. The children also have login details for their account and are advised to practise these at home too whenever possible.

As part of our guided reading, children also have access to Oxford Owl and ihub. These can also be accessed at home.

Ihub is recommended for children who are on higher book bands (white/lime) or who are free readers. It comprises of various comprehension activities (<https://ihub.firstnews.co.uk/pupils>). Children have their own login details and passwords. Those children on book bands who are not yet free readers are advised to use Oxford Owl Reading (<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/login?active-tab=students>). The children can then go to 'Levels' and select the appropriate book band. It then provides books which they can read and listen to the audio of at home. Login details are as follows...passwords are the same for all classes.

Please ensure that the yellow homework books are in school on a Monday, for new homework to be added. Homework is marked in class on a **Thursday**.

We alternate the homework between a maths sheet and mymaths.

Week starting 11<sup>th</sup> October will be on the mymaths.

Week starting 18<sup>th</sup> October will be a maths sheet.

Week starting 1<sup>st</sup> November will be a maths sheet.

Week starting 8<sup>th</sup> November will be mymaths

It will then alternate, until the end of term

Please remember the project homework is due on 1<sup>st</sup> November. We have already had some lovely work brought into school.

Thank you ,

From the Year 3 team.

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