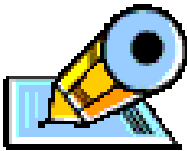


Spellings: Each child now has spellings to learn every week. Children have been grouped into either Ruby, Amber or Diamond groups. It is expected that they will learn all spellings in their group, but can have a go at more challenging ones if they want to.



Reading:

We have an expectation that children will read **five** times a week, usually with an adult. Adults need to initial or sign the reading record each time this happens.

Class 9 and 10 Homework

Date Due: 13/10/17

Times tables:

This term we are concentrating on the 3, 4 and 8 times tables. They should be known off by heart, including division facts and in any order. Please practise these facts with your children regularly.



Task 1:

We are trying a new style of Maths homework, as described in the newsletter. The children will practise pairs of numbers that make 100 (for some children, they will practise pairs to make 40). Children might show a poster, show some jottings in their homework book or learn them in a way that doesn't get recorded in their book. All children will be tested on ten questions on the due date to check their understanding.

Task 2:

We would like children to choose a Deadly Animals themed question to investigate and answer in their homework book. This needs to be more than just a one-word answer! E.g. "What is the most venomous snake in the world?" - children might draw a picture of the snake, explain what animals it eats and how toxic the venom is as well as any other interesting facts.