West Leigh Junior School

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25th September 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

As part of our homework policy, we ask the Year 6 children to complete weekly homework which needs to be submitted to their class teacher. This is an important part of how we help the children to get ready for secondary school education where they will need to regularly complete homework and return to school by a deadline.

This year, we are introducing a maths book in which they will complete their homework. Every week, your child will answer the questions as set by the teachers:

Miss Fletcher's and Miss Street's/Mrs Flower's group – aim to complete sections A, B and C.
Mr Dunn's, Miss Playfair's and Mrs Bemister's group – aim to complete at least sections A and B.

We ask that your child works for no longer than 30 minutes on their homework, though we do recommend encouraging them to find a quiet and calm time and space to work so they can consolidate their skills covered in maths' lessons.

Homework will be set on Friday and needs to be returned to class teachers by the following Wednesday. If your child would find it easier to complete this at school, I will be offering a Homework Club in 6B every Monday, from 12.00 – 12.30pm. Children from any class are welcome. Children who have not completed their homework by Wednesday will stay in to complete it at lunchtime. This is an important part of promoting independence and responsibility ahead of their move to secondary school in September.

We ask that the children look after their homework books. Replacements will require a £3.50 contribution.

Thank you for your support as we aim to prepare your child for their next challenge.

Yours faithfully

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