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Y34 newsletter

Dear Parents / Carers,

The children have made a great start to the school year and are enjoying our learning. I've recently had a few questions regarding homework and reading. Please see the details below:

Reading books

Children take their reading book and reading record home every day and bring back to the school the following day. We encourage children to read every day at home. If children don't read at home or have less than three reads a week they will attend a reading club once a week at play time. Children receive a certificate and a prize in a special assembly every 50 reads they have in their reading record. Some children have already achieved this and will receive their certificates soon.

Home work

Children take home a piece of maths homework every week which links to their maths lessons. Children complete either mild, spicy or hot. Hot is the most difficult and mild is the easiest. Children must return this homework to school the following week. If they bring it in on Monday they get 10 dojos!

Times tables

Learning times tables is a fundamental part of maths learning. Please practise every day. Each week children bring home the times tables that we are practising. It is also helpful to revisit the other times tables we have already done. Children don't need to return the timestable sheet; they can keep at home to practice. Children are tested every Friday in class.

Spellings

Children bring home weekly spellings each week. There are two levels and your child should know which level they are doing. If you're not sure, ask the teacher.
Keep the spelling sheet at home so that you can practice all week.

Outdoor shoes

At Anns Grove we are fortunate enough to have a school field. To help keep our school building and classrooms tidy we would like all KS2 children to have an outdoor pair of shoes in school that they change into for playtimes and PE lessons. Children keep these shoes in school.

Thank you for your ongoing support to ensure to ensure the best education for your children.

Please feel to ask me if you have any questions.

Kind regards,

Mr Hayden
Deputy Headteacher

