



Cupernham
Junior School

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Dear Year 6 Parents and Carers,

Having made such a brilliant start to Y6, I wanted to take the opportunity to clarify our home learning expectations can support your child at home. Please keep this email for reference, as it contains all the key details and login information for our home learning platforms.

Maths Homework

- **When:** Sent home every Monday, stuck into homework books. Please ensure homework books are brought to school every Monday for collection.
- **Format:** Each maths sheet has three columns (A, B, C) of increasing difficulty. Your child should complete **one column** based on their confidence around the questions. They will always mirror what we have done in class that week.
- **This should take no longer than 30 minutes to complete.**

Spellings

- **When:** Weekly spelling words are stuck into homework books. Spelling tests take place every Monday.
- **How to help:** Please encourage your child to practise their spellings at home throughout the week.

Reading

Library Visits:

- Year 6 visit the library every Wednesday afternoon and can borrow two books:
 1. **Grapple Book** (Accelerated Reader): These are colour-banded books matched to your child's reading level, determined by a STAR Reader assessment. **Reading for Pleasure Book:** Chosen from the wider school library, these books are for enjoyment and exploration.



Accelerated Reader:

- **Quizzes:** Grapple books have associated quizzes on the Accelerated Reader website. Your child is expected to complete a quiz every time they finish reading their Accelerated Reader book. Each book also has points associated with it which count towards them achieving either their bronze, silver or gold reading badge.
- **How to access:** Go to the Cupernham Junior School website → Year Pages → 'Quiz and Home' for the correct link (Googling may lead to the wrong site).
- **At home:** We encourage children to complete quizzes at home after finishing a book. They should aim to complete a quiz every 1–2 weeks and must score at least 80% to pass.
- **Other books:** Children can also quiz on books read at home if they are available on Accelerated Reader.
- **Reading Millionaire:** Accelerated Reader tracks the total number of words read. Children who reach one million words become 'Reading Millionaires'—a celebrated achievement in our assemblies!

Book Care: Please help your child look after their library books and return them each Monday. New books cannot be borrowed until previous ones are returned.

Boom Reader (Online Reading Record)

- **What is it?** Boom Reader is our online reading record, accessible via website or app.
- **Login:** Your child's login code will be sent home or stuck into their homework book. If you need a replacement, please contact your child's class teacher.
- **How to use:** Log every time you read with your child. For every 10 reads logged, your child receives a golden ticket for a chance to win a book from our vending machine!
- **Guide:** Watch this short video guide for parents: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y6xw56S8yr4>
- **Extra fun:** Children can customise their avatar in the app by earning gems for reading.

Please aim to read with your child every day.

Thank you for your ongoing support. If you have any questions or need help with logins or home learning, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Many thanks,
Mrs Reilly

Year 6 Lead