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Dear Year 1 & 2 Parents/Carers

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Re: Sapphire Learning Zone Homework

With effect from this Friday 7th November 2025 the children in Sapphire will have their homework set as follows:

	English	Maths
Year 1	Ed Shed Year 1 spellings	Numbots
Year 2	Ed Shed Year 2 spellings	TTRS

Year 1 Maths: Numbots is an additional application within TTRS (Times Tables Rock Stars) which will concentrate on addition and subtraction.

Your child will bring a log in code home with them on Friday to access this application.

Year 2 Maths: TTRS challenges will focus on X 2, X5 and X10 multiplication facts which Year 2 children are required to be fluent in by the end of Year 2.

Again, log in codes will be sent home by Miss Excell.

Year 1 & Year 2 children will have Ed Shed Spellings set each week in line with the National Curriculum Word Lists for their year group.

Year 1 & Year 2 children should also be reading at home as often as possible in addition to the above set homework.

Some children with SEND School Support Plans may have different homework set to meet their specific needs and this will be detailed in their SSP and issued by Miss Excell.

If you have any queries regarding homework in Year 1 & 2 please speak to Miss Excell in the first instance.

Yours sincerely

Mrs D Cross

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