<u>Year 1 Homework</u>

We set homework each half term to be completed over the course of the half term and to be returned on the final week of each half term. Our homework is varied and should be completed and presented to the best of your child's ability. Most homework pieces should not take more than half an hour, however with some tasks it is best to repeat little and often to help secure your child's knowledge.

<u>**Must box**</u> – these activities must be completed on a weekly basis; they will help to support your child's development within class. These include reading, maths 'learn its' and spellings, and are often more practical based learning which therefore do not need to be logged in the homework books unless wanted to.

<u>Choose Box</u> – a range of activities that will tie into our learning within class.

Please complete all homework in pencil.

Please visit our class page on our website to see what we've been up to.

Handwriting:

We teach the children to form all their letters correctly and to follow round the correct direction. We use the RWI letter rhymes to help the children to form the letters correctly (please see prompt sheet in the homework book).

We encourage children to form their letters of a consistent size, with descending letters (f, g, j, p, q and y) hanging down below the line and ascending (b, d, f, h, k, l and t) letters reaching up. We also learn how to form capital letters correctly and bigger than other letters.

Thank you for your support. Please get in touch if you have any questions.

Y1 Team