

HOMEWORK

English

Please find enclosed, your child's spellings to be tested on Friday 10th November.

Please continue to practise reading and spelling a few of your Year 1 and 2 Common Exception Words every week.

Maths

This week we have been starting to add 3 one-digit numbers together. For example: $6 + 2 + 4 =$ or $2 + 7 + 5 =$

When we work out these calculations, we try to find the easiest method. We know that addition is commutative – which means it can be done in any order and this helps us when adding 3 numbers together. We can do this in 2 different ways:

1. We can see if we can find a hidden number bond and do that part first. For example: when working out $6 + 2 + 4$ we can swap the order around and do $6 + 4 + 2$ - we know 6 and 4 make 10 then we add the 2 to the 10 to make 12.
2. We can swap the parts around so that the biggest numbers are first, meaning we add the smaller numbers. For example: $2 + 7 + 5$ could be changed to $7 + 5 + 2$.

Please go to the Hit the Button website and practise adding 3 numbers together by the u + u + u game, this is found in number bonds section.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

Don't forget, if you want to keep improving your maths skills, log on to Numbots <https://numbots.com/>

Have a lovely weekend 😊