

# Just to let you know...

Dear Parents,

It was great to see so many of you at the meeting on Tuesday. We hope you found the information useful. If you were not able to make the meeting and would like any extra information please do not hesitate to get in touch with your class teacher. We were really excited to launch the new reading records this week and look forward to using them in conjunction with you. Please discuss the weekly task with your children. The task should be completed in this book and handed in on a Thursday.



## Homework and reading in Year 5

Please make sure your child has chosen one of the tasks from their reading record and that you have read with them at least 3 times.

### Maths Homework

We have been learning about efficient methods to add in maths this week. The children have talked about rounding and partitioning to make questions easier and have practised the formal column method. Using old receipts (or prices found online) ask your child to come up with a food shopping list and to find a final value. If you want to make it trickier you can give them a £50 budget which they must reach exactly! Can this be completed on a plain paper. We will be getting homework books but there has been a delay with the order. They should be with us by next week.

## Dates for your diary:

- Thursday 6th October - Hampton Court
- Tuesday 8th November - Late parent's Evening 6-8.30 pm
- Thursday 10th November - Parent's Evening 4-6.30 pm
- Monday 28 November - 5N RGS visit
- Monday 5th December - 5HB RGS visit
- Monday 12th December - 5L RGS visit

This week in topic work we have been taking a closer look at a few Kings and Queens. The children have been researching and developing ideas for a fact file on their chosen monarch. Ask your child for some interesting facts!

## Spellings

Apologies - Last week we said that spelling tests would be on a Thursday, they are in fact on a Wednesday.

vicious, delicious, ambitious, cautious,  
infectious, gracious, contentious, audacious