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Parent's curriculum information slips

Either today or tomorrow (usually by Monday lunchtime in any given week) you will receive the first of the slips intended to provide you with information that will help you support your child's learning at home. The information is brief and provides broad guidance on the main areas of learning during the week ahead. It is important to bear in mind the following;

- Good teaching is responsive to dynamic assessment; therefore teachers may vary their plan as the week progresses. This usually means that they cover more than planned, but it may also transpire that a named area of learning is postponed or significantly altered.
- The area outlined may not be on your 'end of year expectations' leaflets (coming out soon). This is because they are the basic expectations; teachers may be covering an aspect of the curriculum that goes beyond the content of the basics leaflets.
- Good quality education is about joined-up learning. Ask your child to work in real-life contexts so they can make connections.
- **'We remember 10% of what we read, 20% of what we hear, 30% of what we see, 50% of what we see and hear, 70% of what we discuss with others, 80% of what we personally experience and 95% of what we teach others' - Edgar Dale.** Act as a pupil and ask your child to teach you what they know. In this way you find out what's happening at school and they reinforce their learning!
- This method of communication is under trial – please let us know what you think to aid our evaluation of the strategy.

We hope you find the weekly slips useful.

Yours sincerely

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HEADTEACHER

