



Friday 29th September

RE: Online homework website/app

Dear parents/carers,

We are delighted to inform you that, as indicated on our Autumn curriculum newsletter, that our new online homework resource will be going live today. Your child will be bringing home their username and password for 'Learn with Emile'. Here's what you need to know:

IT'S FREE. The app, 'Learn with Emile', can be downloaded for nearly all devices (including mobiles) from here: <https://emile-education.com/app-downloads/learn-with-emile-app-download/> or from the Microsoft, Google Play or Apple Stores. A web version can also be accessed using a browser: <https://web.emile-education.com>.

IT'S SUITED FOR YOUR CHILD. As well as completing their tasks set by teachers, children can access a range of games. Before they complete these they will be given a 'Rating' task which will assess the children's ability and pitch the task accordingly. The more they play and the better they get at answering the questions, the more challenging the tasks will become. The resource has been shown to have significant improvements in learning outcomes when used regularly. Please help encourage your child to use it at least 10 minutes a week.

REWARDS AND TAMAGOTCHI. Every student gets a Tamagotchi to look after and customise using points and coins earned by improving their level and playing games.

PARENTAL SUPPORT IS CRITICAL. For children to be fully motivated and for them to get the best out of the practise, they need their adult's support. Without a parent's praise and reminders, practising will not feel important. Teachers will also be checking to see how your child has done with the tasks as well as their engagement across the app.

We look forward to seeing your child's adventures on Emile and how this will benefit their progress.

Any questions, please do not hesitate to ask your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support.

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