



Dear Year 2 Parents,

As you are probably aware, your child now has a subscription to Mangahigh, our online Maths platform. The link to the website is <https://www.mangahigh.com/en-gb/>. I wanted to write to help you understand how this platform works and how to get the best out of it for your child.

We hope that you will find it a motivational tool for your child to complete their Maths homework or revision. The children seem to enjoy using this tool and it encourages them to talk about Maths and motivates their learning. Usually Maths homework will be rotated between a written homework and an online Mangahigh assignment

All children have been given a username and password and the school ID is 374232. They should have been given their login details and the children are responsible for keeping it safe (or best of all learning it), but if you are unsure please do email Mrs Daley-Franks and she will be able to provide the details again.

Children will be set 'assignments' – homework that should be completed by a certain due date. Please ensure your child completes these tasks first and as a priority. Each task can be done as many times as they want (the questions will change each time) and they may receive medals for their work. This should motivate your child to complete the same task a few times to try and improve, which will mean they are consolidating their Maths skills. As teachers we are not putting emphasis on medals or points scored – the most important thing is that your child has completed the task to their best ability. They may not always pass each task, but that will indicate to their teacher that more support in this area is required. A useful part to each assignment is that there is a 'Teach Me' section, which is worth doing as a way of practising the skills before starting the task.

All children have access to the wide range of games and activities and can complete additional tasks separate to their homework assignment. There will also be tasks in a 'recommended' section - these are the most suitable according to the age and ability of your child. However, these are optional and it is up to you as parents to decide on how much screen time your child has. The leader boards and 'top ten' pupils sections are only there to motivate and not as a requirement. As a guide your child should be spending between 20 minutes to half an hour on Maths homework when it is set.

I hope you find this information is useful. If you have any further questions or comments please do not hesitate to contact me.

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