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Dear Parents and Carers,

Re- Catch up Funding

We have received £12,960 Government catch up funding. Last term we assessed our pupils to identify areas that would most benefit from this funding. We have been gathering information and evaluating the needs of our pupils so that the money can be spent in the best way to enable it to have a positive impact on each child's learning.

We will be running daily teacher led sessions during school hours in the afternoons, from Monday 16th November. Mrs Evans will be running these sessions and we are delighted that she is still with us! The sessions are being run for 20 minutes each so our children will not miss too much of their afternoon sessions. All children will have access to this additional learning.

The timetable is set out below:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7.50-8.30		Y6 Maths Group 1			Y6 Maths Group 2
12.30-12.50	Phonics Y1-3	Y2 Reading	Y2 SPAG	Y5 Reading	
1.00-1.20	Phonics Y1-3	Y2 Reading	Y2 SPAG	Y5 Reading	
1.30-1.50	Phonics Y1-3	Y2 Reading	Y3 Phonics	Y5 SPAG	
2.00-2.20	Phonics Y1-3	Y2 Reading	Y4 Phonics	Y6 Reading	
2.30-2.50	Phonics Y1-3	Y2 Reading	Y5 Phonics	Y6 Reading	

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Year 6 maths sessions will run on Tuesdays and Fridays from 7.50am. These will be run by Mr Gibson who currently works in Year 6 alongside Mrs Eccles. The class will be split into 2 groups to ensure that all children's needs are met.

Unfortunately, we will not be able to accept younger siblings at the earlier time. If they have a younger sibling starting after 8.30, we will not be able to supervise them in school.

There will be no sessions during the last week before the Christmas holidays.

Most afternoon sessions will have a phonics focus. Classes will be divided into groups depending on their Phonics Phase. The groups will be organised by the class teachers. All children will be invited to the sessions. There will be no cross over between bubbles.

Finally, we will be providing each pupil in Years 2-6 with workbooks to be used in their teacher led sessions, as well as in class and at home. These will support their learning. .

You will receive a letter next term regarding the groupings for the before school sessions, as well as regular reminders about when they are taking place.

Thank you for your continuing support

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