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Dear Parents

As part of our School Improvement Plan we are focusing on improving spelling in our school. This term we have introduced an exciting new programme in KS1 (Year 1 and 2) called 'No Nonsense Spelling'. For more information about this programme please visit their website at <https://www.babcock-education.co.uk/ldp/v.asp?schoolid=&sname=&all=&uid=&dosearch=&deptid=&level1=17&level2=391&level3=872&depth=3&nextlevel=872&branch=5&rootid=17>.

Each week your child will bring home a spelling activity to share with you. The activity sheet will include the spelling focus of the week, for example words with the 'oo' sound in, as well as the common words that are being taught that week.

These activities are identical to the activities your child would have already learnt in class.

This term the activity is: **Rainbow Words**.

This method of learning words forces you to think of each sound separately.



Note: the **sound** is the same colour.

For more information on our new spelling programme or our spelling activities please visit your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support.

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English Subject Leader