



Headteacher **Mrs Sarah Passey**

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Dear Parents/carers,

K.I.R.F. (Key Instant Recall Facts)



To help develop children's fluency in mathematics, we ask them to learn **Key Instant Recall Facts (KIRF)** each half term. KIRFs align with the curriculum and are intended to help your child access the maths curriculum with ease. Your child will also address their KIRF targets during lessons and will be taught the necessary maths as need be.

We expect children to practise their KIRFs at least 3 times a week at home too and a copy of your child's targets and how you can support your child with their learning will be sent home in the next week. The secret to success is practising **little** and **often**. Use time wisely. Can you practise these KIRFs while walking to school or during a car journey? You don't need to practise them all at once: perhaps you could have a fact family of the day. If you would like more ideas, please speak to your child's teacher.

At the end of the half term, the children will get the opportunity to Challenge their Teacher and win a prize.

Thank you for your support with this. Knowing these facts make a real difference to your child's mathematical learning.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Weston