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Dear parents and carers,

We are very pleased to announce that we are now using Tapestry as our online learning journal provider in Reception and Nursery.

In KS1 we would like to use Tapestry to help support home learning and set homework tasks.

Tapestry allows you to login with a secure username and password so you can view all your children's observations, photographs and videos. You can upload any home learning that your child has been doing for their teacher to see, like, comment and assess.

It is possible for you to be notified via email either immediately, daily or weekly if there are new assignments for your child/ren to complete.

All data that is entered to Tapestry is stored securely on their servers. If you are interested in finding out more information about this, you can go to <u>https://tapestry.info/security</u>.

Once we have set you up with an account you will be able to login using any web browser from <u>tapestryjournal.com</u> or by downloading the **Tapestry app** from the Play or App store, depending on what type of device you are using. Remember, if you are going to use the App version of Tapestry to ensure auto updates are turned on for your device so you always have the most up to date version of the app.

We will set you up using your email address that you have provided to the school and once this has been done, you will receive an activation email from which you can set up your own password to login with. You will also be asked to set up a 4-digit PIN which you can use on the Tapestry app to quickly log back in once you've initially logged in. Do remember to keep an eye out on your spam/junk folders for this email.

If you already have an account because you have another child in Early Years, your older child/ren will be just linked to your account and you do not need to do anything else.

We do hope you enjoy using Tapestry, do let us know if you have any questions about it.

Best wishes,

All KS1 Teachers