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













Live Marking

Dear Parents/Carers,

At Burlington Infant and Nursery School we greatly value verbal feedback as an important element in the teaching and learning cycle. We have recently introduced 'live marking' which has made a significant difference to the progress children make in every lesson. Live marking is a technique whereby teachers will highlight yellow in your child's book to show aspects of performance or understanding. It encourages and motivates children as they receive instant praise for their learning.

The idea of this type of marking is that children receive instant feedback to know how to improve their work instead of having to wait until the next day to view their marking. Feedback is one of the most effective ways to improve learning as it creates a dialogue between teacher and child enabling the teacher to provide immediate feedback that will improve your child's learning. It provides information on correct responses and reduces misconceptions as the teacher can address these within the lesson.

This means that there will not be as much written marking in the books as there has been in the past. It does not mean that work will go unchecked, uncorrected or unvalued. Your child's work is very carefully analysed and assessed by their teachers after every lesson. Teachers give time for your child to act on this feedback.

								
Capital Letters	Full Stops	Finger Spaces	Writing on the line	Sounding out words	Good letter formation	Good word choices	Say your sentence out loud	Read your sentences back
								
	adjective	adverb	Tenses	Sentence openers	Paragraphs	Punctuation	speech marks	Conjunctions

Below are the marking symbols which teachers will use :

If you have any questions about live marking please speak to your child's class teacher.

Kind regards,

Mrs McEvoy

Deputy Headteacher

