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PURPLE MASH

Dear Parents,

Earlier this year we made the decision to invest in some exciting new software called Purple Mash. The software supports lots of areas of the curriculum and the children are already familiar with many aspects. The innovative part of this software is that it is web based and that means it can be accessed from any computer with Internet access. This means that children who have this facility at home may use the wide variety of programmes; which include drawing tools, new programming and coding aspects, online books and fun themed frames for writing, at any time.

The software also includes access to a platform for storage, so school work may be retrieved and completed at home if desired. So the work is secure each child has their own log in and password. We feel it is important that the children understand the importance of e-safety, including password security and safe use of the Internet and so have created a User Agreement for the children and parents to sign. When this is read and returned signed then the children will be given the user agreement and password to bring

home. We hope you will support us in encouraging the children to use this great resource.

The website can be viewed by following the link below.

<http://www.purplemash.com/#/home>

Any questions please feel free to come in and see me, I will be happy to help.

Rachel Wilcox

ICT Subject Leader