



St. Mary's CE Primary School

Homework policy

Aims

To ensure that parents are clear about what their child is expected to do

To ensure consistency of approach throughout school

To use homework as a tool to help continue to raise standards of attainment

To improve the quality of the learning experience offered to pupils & extend it beyond the classroom environment

To provide opportunities for parents, children and the school to work together in partnership

To encourage children to develop the responsibility, confidence and self-discipline needed to study independently

To prepare Y6 pupils for transition to Secondary placement

Homework Tasks

Age Phase	Focus	Frequency	Where to access
Nursery and Reception	Reading book	Daily	Book Bag
	Key Words	Daily	Book Bag
	Phonics & spellings	Weekly	Book Bag
Year 1 & 2	Reading book	Daily	Book Bag
	Key Words	Daily	Book Bag
	Phonics & spellings (RWI)	Weekly	Book Bag
	1 English based homework	Weekly	Book Bag
	1 Maths based homework	Weekly	Book Bag
Years 3 - 6	Reading book	Daily	Book bag

	Reading eggs	Weekly	Online
	Spellodrome	Weekly	Online
	Mathletics	Weekly	Online

N.B.

- Additional topic homework or end of Key stage revision materials may also be sent home by the class teachers
- Class teachers may send home holiday packs for additional reinforcement of key concepts
- Online user details available from class teacher for Years 3-6

At St. Mary's CE Primary School, we are very keen for parents to support and help their children with homework. However, there are times when we will want to see what children can do on their own. It is particularly important, as they get older, for children to become increasingly independent in their learning. If a parent is unsure about what their role should be, they should discuss it with the child's teacher.

If pupils do not have home access to the internet, school will facilitate sessions in the computing suite/ access to ipad

Policy agreed by Staff 9/6/17