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# Homework Policy

## **Definition**

Homework is any activity that pupils undertake outside of school lesson time, either on their own or with the support of family members.

## **Aim**

Our aim for homework is:

1. To have a consistent approach across the school.
2. To work in partnership with parents and pupils for the most successful outcomes for pupils.
3. To provide opportunities for parents and pupils to work in partnership outside of school hours.
4. To prepare pupils for the demands of their secondary school education.
5. To provide homework that consolidates previous learning, tackles misconceptions, builds on skills and strategies taught in class and or extends their knowledge in a given area of learning.
6. To increase independence, individual responsibility and self-reliance as the pupil's age increases.

## **Reading**

1. Reading is an enjoyment, essential and a life skill.
2. Reading can be either,
  - The child reading to an adult and discussing what they have read,
  - The adult reading to the child and discussing what was read or shared reading and discussing what was read.

Discussing with your child can be:

- finding similarities to other texts, discussing characters or events, what might happen next, what punctuation can you see? What words do you know?  
Discussing the meaning of words.

Discussions on a book should vary to give your child a breadth of reading comprehension experiences.

## **Programme of homework across the school**

A given amount of time to do homework has not been set as each individual child will complete their work at their own pace but we have a programme of homework for each age group.

Year Group	Homework Minimum Expectations	Reading Minimum Expectations
R		<p>Reading regularly helps to set a routine and for your children to become a confident reader.</p> <p>RWI red words and speed sounds</p> <p>Reading</p>
<p>1</p> <p><b>Statutory Assessment</b> Phonics Check <b>June</b></p>	<p>Numbots</p>	<p>RWI red words and speed sounds</p> <p>Reading</p>
<p>2</p>	<p>Doodle English Doodle Maths Doodle Spell</p> <p>Numbots</p>	<p>Reading</p>
<p>3</p>	<p>TTRockstars</p> <p>Doodle English Doodle Maths Doodle Spell</p>	<p>Reading</p>
<p>4</p> <p><b>Statutory Assessments</b> Multiplication Test <b>June</b></p>	<p>TTRockstars</p> <p>Doodle Maths Doodle English Doodle Spell</p>	<p>Reading</p>
<p>5</p>	<p>TTRockstars</p> <p>Doodle Maths Doodle English Doodle Spell</p>	<p>Reading</p>

<p>6</p> <p><b>Statutory Assessments</b> KS2 SATS English Grammar, Punctuation and spelling Maths English reading <b>May</b></p>	<p>TTRockstars</p> <p>Doodle Maths Doodle English Doodle Spell</p>	<p>Reading</p>
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