

HOMEWORK POLICY

PURPOSE

Homework will be used to reinforce and extend the curriculum and to give parents the opportunity to work with and help their child.

DEFINITION

This is work undertaken at home with the support of a parent or other caring adult.

<u>AIM</u>

To give the child opportunities to practise newly acquired skills and inform parents of curriculum coverage.

MONITORING

<u>Reception</u> - The parents are invited to put a comment in the Reading Diary.

<u>Year 1</u> - Reading Diaries are signed and a comment made by the parent/adult. Any other homework is put into a half termly red book, the parent/adult to sign and comment.

<u>Year 2</u> - Reading Diaries are signed and a comment made by the parent/adult. Homework goes home weekly. The parent/adult to sign and comment if they wish to do so.

All teachers are to sign and date returned homework. A short comment can be made. Parents are to be encouraged to work with children and comment with them.

PLANNING

Homework will be planned to support the curriculum in school.

SPELLING

Spellings are sent weekly in Year 1 and Year 2 ready for a spelling test which takes place on a Friday morning in class.

CROSS-CURRICULUM

Homework can cover every subject on the curriculum when appropriate.

DIFFERENTIATION

Homework will be differentiated where appropriate.

<u>S.E.N.</u>

Parents are encouraged to support Passport targets.

RESOURCES

Homework Books and Reading Diaries will be provided.

This Policy will be reviewed annually.