

St Saviour's RC Primary School

Pray Together, Learn Together, Stronger Together in Jesus



Homework Policy

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Mission Statement

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Homework Contents

<p>Class 1 Homework is given out on Wednesday and returned on Monday. Homework consists of -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Spellings (<i>Spelling test on Monday</i>)2. A Maths Task3. A Writing Task	<p>Class 2 Homework is given out on Wednesday and returned on Monday. Homework consists of -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Spellings (<i>Spelling test on Monday</i>)2. Handwriting Exercise Task.3. A Maths Task4. A Writing Task or reading task occasionally research for a current topic.
<p>Class 3 Homework is given out on Thursday and returned on Monday. Homework consists of -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Spellings2. Mental Maths (usually tables)3. A Maths Task4. A Writing Task and occasionally research for a current topic. <p>Playing online games on the Education City or Sumdog websites, using the child's school login.</p>	<p>Class 4 Homework is given out on Tuesday and returned on Friday. Homework consists of -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Spellings2. Mental Maths (usually tables)3. A Maths Task4. A Writing Task and occasionally research for a current topic.5. Playing online games on the Education City or Sumdog websites, using the child's school login.6. 20 minutes Reading every day.
<p>Class 5 Homework is given out on Friday and returned on Monday. Homework consists of -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Spellings (<i>Spelling test on Tuesday</i>)2. Mental Maths (<i>Test on Monday</i>)3. A Maths Task4. A Writing Task and occasionally research for a current topic.5. Playing online games on the Education City or Sumdog websites, using the child's school login.6. 20 minutes Reading every day.	<p>Class 6 Homework is given out on Wednesday and returned on Monday. Homework consists of -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Spellings (<i>Spelling test on Tuesday</i>)2. Mental Maths (usually tables)3. A Maths Task4. A Writing Task and occasionally research for a current topic.5. Playing online games on the Education City or Sumdog websites, using the child's school login.6. 20 minutes Reading every day.

Please hear your child read *at least 3* times a week.

Parents will:

- To provide a reasonably peaceful, suitable place in which their child can complete their homework alone or, together with an adult if required.
- To make it clear to pupils that they value homework, and support the school in explaining how it can help their learning.
- To encourage pupils and praise them when they have completed homework.
- To provide pupils with a 'study bag'. If the original is lost or damaged a replacement may be purchased from the school office.
- To inform the school via the 'homework diary/reading record booklet' if a child is unable to complete their homework in a given week and the reasons why.
- To provide feedback by signing/initialling the Homework Diary/Reading Record Booklet on each occasion 'Homework is completed'. A comment also would be welcome as feedback e.g. 'too hard', 'too easy', 'too much' etc.
- To ensure their child brings the Study Bag to school **every** day.
- To replace any Homework material lost/damaged belonging to the school.

Homework Activities

KS1	KS2
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reading and/or sharing a book with an adult every evening (10 minutes) where appropriate• Number tasks/games/facts/ literacy tasks• Spellings / Phonics• Discuss and expand upon school topics <p>Pupils who do not complete homework tasks set on a regular basis e.g. 3 times in a half-term, without a valid reason given by parents will not be issued with further Homework during that half-term. Parents wishing for their child to be opted back in the Homework group will need to contact the Headteacher to discuss new arrangements.</p> <p>Pupils who lose/damage Homework materials and reading books and whose parents fail to replace the items or reimburse the school will no longer be issued with Homework tasks. A letter will be sent home requesting reimbursement and further homework will not be issued until the item is replaced.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reading every evening (20 minutes).• Spellings• Number tasks/games and tables.• Finding out information.• Reading in preparation for lessons.• Preparing oral presentations.• More traditional written assignments.• Preparation for SATs tests. <p>Pupils who do not complete homework tasks set on a regular basis e.g. 3 times in a half-term, without a valid reason given by parents will not be issued with further Homework during that half-term. Parents wishing for their child to be opted back in the Homework group will need to contact the Headteacher to discuss new arrangements.</p> <p>Pupils who lose/damage Homework materials and reading books and whose parents fail to replace the items or reimburse the school will no longer be issued with Homework tasks. A letter will be sent home requesting reimbursement and further homework will not be issued until the item is replaced.</p>

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