



# Homework Statement

## Aims for homework at Lowerplace Primary School:

- To encourage children to develop the confidence, independence, self-discipline and motivation needed to study on their own and prepare them for the next phase of education
- To make set homework relevant and meaningful for the child linked to work done at school
- Provide opportunities for parents and children to work together, thereby, fostering an effective partnership between home and school
- Give pupils the opportunity to extend their learning in areas of personal interest

## What homework is my child expected to complete in EYFS?

EYFS	
Subject	Amount of homework each week
Reading	10 minutes of reading every night
Phonics/writing	One piece of work in the pink homework book.
Maths	One piece of work in the pink homework book.
<b>Homework will be sent out on a Friday and should be returned by Tuesday the following week.</b>	

## What homework is my child expected to complete in Key Stage 1?

Year 1 and Year 2	
Subject	Amount of homework each week
Reading	15 minutes of reading every night with an adult or sibling.
Spelling	Practise weekly spelling in preparation for a spelling test
Writing / Maths	One piece of work in the pink homework book.
Additional learning	Additional websites and resources can be accessed via Google Classroom.
<b>Homework will be sent out on a Friday and should be returned by Wednesday the following week.</b>	

## What homework is my child expected to complete in Key Stage 2?

Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6	
Subject	Amount of homework per week
Reading	15 minutes of reading every night
Spelling	Practise weekly spelling in preparation for a spelling test
Times Tables	Practise using Times Tables Rockstars regularly
Writing	One piece of work to be completed via Google Classroom (Homework book for Year 3).
Maths	One piece of work to be completed via Google Classroom (Homework book for Year 3).
Additional learning	Additional websites and resources can be accessed via Google Classroom.
<b>Homework will be on Google Classroom on a Friday and should be returned via Google Classroom by the following Wednesday.</b>	

## **Overviews of learning**

On Google Classroom, an overview of learning for children in Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 will be provided. This will include information on what the children will be learning in English, mathematics and subjects in the wider curriculum. Parents and carers may want to further support their children to learn more about particular subject topics that they are learning about in class but this is not part of the homework expectations.

## **Access to Google Classroom**

In years 4 - 6, all homework will be available on Google Classroom and so children will need access to a laptop, Chromebook or tablet. If a child is unable to access Google Classroom as they do not have a device, the following options are available:

- Devices can be loaned from school
- Paper copies of the maths and writing homework will be available to collect from your child's class teacher.
- A homework club (Key Stage 2) will run during school time so that children can use the computers in school to complete their homework.

If you have any difficulties accessing Google Classroom then please contact [remotearner@lowerplace.rochdale.sch.uk](mailto:remotearner@lowerplace.rochdale.sch.uk) for further support.

## **Marking and Feedback**

Class teachers will use dedicated time in school to give children feedback on their homework. Homework completed in the pink homework books will be marked in school. Any homework submitted on Google Classroom will receive feedback in school and therefore feedback will not be provided on Google Classroom itself.

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