

## Homework Tasks

Teachers will give pupils a range homework tasks. They may fall into the following categories: completion, practice, preparation and extension.

Here are some examples of tasks that might be given:-

Type	Definition	Intended Outcomes	Examples
<b>Completion</b>	Any work assigned during the school day that was not completed in class	Helps students keep up-to-date with the classroom sequence of learning.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Note-taking and writing up notes taken in lessons.</li> <li>• Completing coursework/worksheets.</li> </ul>
<b>Practice</b>	Any work that reviews and re-enforces skills and concepts taught in class	Helps pupils practise newly acquired skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Writing tasks. This might take the form of composing an essay or an extended piece answer.</li> <li>• Learning –facts, vocabulary, spellings.</li> <li>• Drawing or design work.</li> <li>• Practising a sporting movement or musical instrument.</li> <li>• Answering questions from many of the online learning platforms.</li> <li>•</li> </ul>
<b>Preparation</b>	Any work that prepares students for upcoming lessons or classes	Encourages students to acquire background information or to bring their prior knowledge and experiences to upcoming units of study.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading a document in preparation for the learning in the next lesson.</li> <li>• Research.</li> <li>• Preparing documents for discussions or presentations for learning.</li> <li>• Revising for tests and exam.</li> <li>• Rehearsing for an in-class delivery/performance.</li> </ul>
<b>Extension</b>	Any work that explores and refines learning in new contexts or integrates and expands on classroom learning	Encourages students to problem solve, think creatively and think critically.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An additional task used for those pupils who require additional challenge.</li> </ul>