



Homework at Norwood

Homework is a statutory requirement for schools. We fully appreciate that this can be a stressful time for parents at home, especially if you have more than one child or work long hours.

All children will be given an exercise book and the work to be completed will be shared via Dojo each week.

For ALL children in KS 1 and 2, homework is given out on a **THURSDAY**, to be returned on the **TUESDAY**.

Here are some top tips to make homework an easier experience:

1. Try to create a homework routine. E.g. Same time and place each week.
2. Switch off all distractions.
3. Try to do a little bit each day, so it does not become an overwhelming process.
4. Allow the children to be as independent as possible, even if this is just for short periods of time.
5. It is okay for the children to get things wrong. It is a life skill and it is great that the children learn from making their own mistakes.

Please speak to your child's teacher as soon as possible if you have any questions about the homework set.

YEAR 1	Maths	Reading	Spellings	English	Any other subjects
Intent	<p><i>To develop number recognition and counting fluency</i></p> <p><i>To improve fluency of timetables</i></p>	<p><i>To improve fluency, prosody of reading</i></p> <p><i>To develop a sense of reading enjoyment</i></p>	<p><i>To develop children's independence with spelling patterns and common exception words</i></p>	<p><i>To enhance and develop children's understanding of phonics</i></p>	<p><i>To improve the children's knowledge of the world</i></p>
	<p>Practise counting forwards and backwards from any number between 0 and 100. Practise counting in equal steps of 2, 5 and 10.</p> <p>White Rose 1 Minute Maths App. (Optional)</p> <p>Feedback With the teacher in lessons.</p>	<p>Daily Reading Signed 3 times a week in the Reading Record.</p> <p>This can include sharing a book with your child too. WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO READ DAILY WITH YOUR CHILD FOR AT LEAST 10 MINUTES.</p> <p>Feedback Reading Record Booklet.</p>	<p>Spellings 6 spellings to be given a week. These need to be learnt to be spelt by themselves and written in complete sentences.</p> <p>Feedback Any incorrect spellings will be sent home half termly and revisited in lessons.</p>	<p>Phonics Children will receive flash cards to practice each term.</p> <p>Feedback Phonemes will be revisited in lessons.</p>	<p>Fast Learning for Geography Discuss the answers for one activity every week with a grown up. Teacher will revisit in class.</p> <p>The answers on the slide can be used to help the children memorise learning.</p> <p>Feedback To be completed weekly in class with the teacher.</p>
Time allocated	1 minute x 5	10 minutes daily	10 minutes daily	5 minutes x 3	10 minutes a week

If you would like any extra homework to complete with your child, here are some useful websites.

Maths

<https://whiterosemaths.com/1-minute-maths#download>

<https://nrich.maths.org/primary>

<https://www.ncetm.org.uk/teaching-for-mastery/mastery-materials/primary-mastery-professional-development/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>

English

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/our-recommendations/booklists/> <https://schoolreadinglist.co.uk/category/reading-listsfor-ks1-school-pupils/>

<https://schoolreadinglist.co.uk/category/readinglists-for-ks2-school-pupils/>

<http://www.lovereading4kids.co.uk/>

<http://www.cbcbooks.org/reading-lists/>

<https://www.oxfordreadingbuddy.com/uk>

<https://starspell.app/home>

Science

<https://www.stem.org.uk/teaching-science-through-stories>

<https://www.ase.org.uk/resources>

<https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activities?search>

<https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/teacher-category/primary-resources/>

<https://www.britishscienceweek.org/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/learn>