

**HOME LEARNING GUIDELINES**

“Home Learning” is any learning which takes place outside the school environment and outside of school hours.

1. **Aims**

- i. To develop a partnership between home and school
- ii. For parents and pupils to enjoy learning together
- iii. To extend and support children’s learning experiences through reinforcement and enrichment.

2. **Activities**

<b>Class R</b>	1 hour per week <b>or</b> 10-15 minutes per day	Read to child and share reading books Play reading and number games Learn to read high frequency words kept in word pockets Phonic scrapbook and tracing books Diary of experiences
<b>Class 1</b>	1 hour per week <b>or</b> 10-15 minutes per day	Read to child and share reading books Play reading and number games Learn to read high frequency words Phonic scrapbook autumn and spring term Spellings summer term
<b>Class 2</b>	1 hour per week <b>or</b> 10-15 minutes per day	Share reading books and a variety of fiction and non-fiction books Learn high frequency words Weekly spellings. Regular maths activities. Finding out for topic work (occasionally)
<b>Class 3</b>	1 hour 30 minutes per week <b>or</b> 15-20 minutes per day	Share reading books and a variety of fiction and non-fiction books Weekly spellings and tables to learn Regular maths or English tasks linked to learning in class Ongoing topic research
<b>Class 4</b>	1 hour 40 minutes per week <b>or</b> 20 minutes per day	Share reading books and a variety of fiction and non-fiction books Weekly spellings and tables to learn Regular maths or English task linked to learning in class Ongoing topic research

These activities do not mean sitting down with pencil and paper for 30 minutes each evening. We recognise that if children are working hard at school they need time to pursue other interests at home. There are many reasons why it is impossible to do Home Learning some evenings and therefore the above are intended as guidelines.

3. **Home Learning Diaries** – will be used as a dialogue between teacher, parent and child on any school related matter.

4. **Support for Parents** - Curriculum Workshop – Class R; **Learning Letters**: once per term

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## OUR SCHOOL CHARTER



<b>It is our right to.....</b>		<b>It is our responsibility to.....</b>
Be proud of our school and community		Look after our school and community
Be treated with respect by everyone		Treat everyone in school with the same respect
Be safe in school		Keep others safe in school
Have resources to play and learn with		Treat resources with care and respect
Learn		Make good choices so that others can learn well too
Have our say		Listen to others
Share our successes		Allow others to share their successes too

**If we follow this charter, we can be...**

**...a happy school,  
where children love to learn!**