

**MICKLEY VILLAGE PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL**

**HOMEWORK POLICY**



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At Mickley Village Primary and Nursery School, we believe that a child's progress is greatest when the children, school and parents work together. Homework plays an essential role in consolidating and extending the work covered in the classroom. It fosters independent learning skills and it promotes a sense of responsibility in our pupils. As a school, we recognise that children need time to unwind and relax at the end of a busy and structured day in the classroom, and our 'little and often' approach to homework reflects this.

### Our homework policy aims:

- To promote a positive attitude towards learning outside of school.
- To develop independent learning skills and responsibility within our pupils.
- To ensure consistency of approach to homework throughout the school.
- To provide clarity for parents/ carers about expectations for homework.

### Homework guidelines

As our pupils progress through school, so does the nature and range of homework opportunities. This is outlined below:

	<b>Reading and Spelling</b>	<b>Maths</b>	<b>Other</b>
<b>Reception</b>	Daily reading of Little Wandle phonics book	<b>White Rose 1-Minute-Maths</b> (subitising)  and/or  <b>Numbots</b>  <i>5 minutes daily</i>	
<b>Key Stage 1</b>	Daily reading of Little Wandle phonics book  Little Wandle spellings sent out weekly	<b>White Rose 1-Minute-Maths</b>  and / or  <b>Numbots</b> (Y1 and 2)  <b>Times Table Rock Stars</b> (Y2)  <i>5 minutes daily</i>	-
<b>Key Stage 2</b>	Daily reading  Spelling Seed or Little Wandle spellings sent out weekly	<b>Choose from:</b>  <b>White Rose 1-Minute-Maths</b>  <b>Numbots</b>  <b>Times Table Rock Stars</b>  <i>5 minutes daily</i>	Children are given an additional paper-based Maths or English task each week, sometimes relating to the History or Geography topic. These are kept in the

			children's homework folder.
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### **How parents/carers can support with homework**

- Provide encouragement, praise and support to children when they require it
- Provide a reasonably peaceful space to support homework
- Help children to establish a routine for completing homework
- Support the school in reinforcing the value and explaining the purpose of homework
- Communicate with the class teacher. If your child is struggling to complete homework for any reason, work with the class teacher to find a solution.

### **Pupils are expected to:**

- Approach homework with a positive attitude
- Take responsibility for completing their homework
- Be proud of their achievements outside of school

At Mickley Village Primary and Nursery School, we value feedback from pupils, parents and carers about homework activities to ensure children's learning at home is both enjoyable and beneficial. More information about children's learning and useful links to websites are available on the class pages on the school website. These are updated every half term.