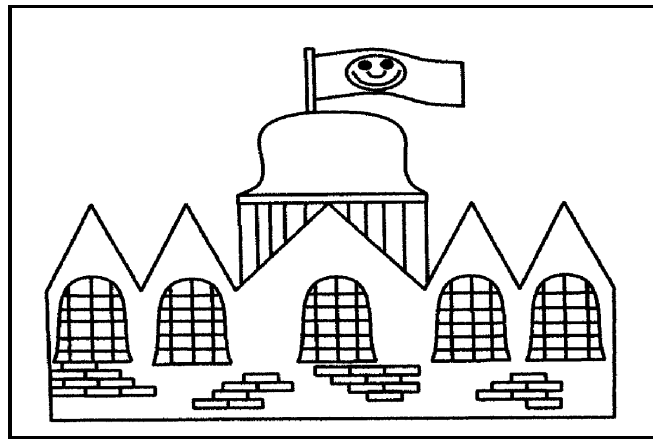


Hillocks Primary and Nursery School



Policy for Homework

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Aims

- To ensure a consistent approach to homework throughout the school
- To provide opportunities for parents and children to work together to enjoy learning experiences
- To develop an effective partnership between school and parents for each child's education, as children achieve more when teachers and parents work together
- To consolidate/reinforce skills and understanding, particularly in Literacy and Numeracy
- To develop confidence, independence and the self-discipline needed for personal study in preparation for secondary school and beyond

Introduction

It is important that children see parents and school working together. We understand that many parents/carers have work and other commitments outside school and that many of our children are involved in extra-curricular activities.

This policy sets out our expectations for homework and we ask that parents/carers try their best to support children with this.

F2

- Reading

Children will bring home a story book and a blending book. Please try to read with your child as often as possible and record in their home/school reading diary.

Key Stage 1

- Reading
- Spellings
- Number bonds
- Mathematics
- Rock star times tables

Children will bring home a story book and a Read Write Inc book. Please try to read with your child as often as possible and record in their home/school reading diary.

KS1 children will have weekly spelling and number bond tests so please ensure your child spends time each week learning these.

Key Stage 2

- Reading
- Spellings
- Times tables
- Mathematics
- Rock star times tables

KS2 children will have weekly spelling and times tables tests so please ensure your child spends time each week learning these.

Teachers will set homework on Mathematics and Rock Star times tables for KS1 and KS2 children each week but there are also other activities and games for the children to access on these sites.

Please note Year 6 children may also bring home revision work in preparation for their tests in May.