



# OAK CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## HOMEWORK EXPECTATIONS 2020/21

### Rationale

Homework is key way that families can support their children with their learning. As a school we encourage all parents / carers to help educate their children by undertaking activities and learning as home. These are beneficial in terms of education, skills and developing relationships between children and their parents / carers.

Learning at home can take many forms

- Sharing a book
- Talking about the day, encouraging use of new words / vocabulary, discussing events in the news
- Life Skills – learning to dress yourself, tying laces, cooking, helping with shopping etc
- Making things
- Activities like the '50 Things To Do Before You're 11'
- Academic learning such as maths, reading, writing and topic projects.

As a school we set what we feel is realistic and achievable, to make the most impact on learning. If you wish to do additional learning with your child using the above list as a guide or the many wonderful online resources available, that is great.

### Homework Set

<b>EYFS</b>	<b>Weekly</b> Literacy and numeracy Challenge activity Word of week	
<b>Years 1 to 6</b>	<b>Every Week</b> <b>Reading</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If still being taught phonics – a phonics levelled book to read and another book to share / enjoy as a family</li> <li>• If not being taught phonics – an accessible book to read, share and enjoy</li> <li>• Book review task once the book is completed</li> </ul> <b>Spellings</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spelling sheet and access to online practice through Spelling Shed</li> </ul> <b>Maths</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Times tables practice using TT Rock Stars or paper based</li> </ul>	<b>Every Half Term</b>
	<b>Year 5&amp;6 extra</b>	Weekly Spelling, grammar and punctuation (SPAG) practice

**Children with an IEP or EHCP** – may receive some different homework that directly relates to their learning and personal targets set.

### Expectations of parents / carers.

As a parent / carers you are expected to do your best to support your child with their homework – read daily, help them practice their tables and spellings and help any way you can. If you need help / advice with this, please ask your child's class teacher. They will be happy to help.