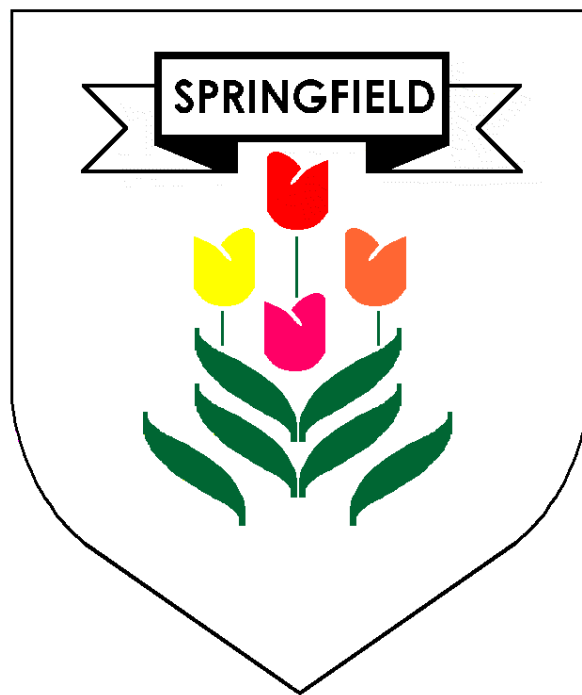


Springfield School

Homework Policy



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RECEPTION

Reading: 5 minutes per night. Children are issued with 1 Guided Reading book and 1 School Library Book. They may also read books on the "Bug Club" website.

Numeracy begins after October half term. This will be work related to the week's learning. Children should also practice their number bonds to 5 and 10 each night.

Phonics homework.

YEAR 1

Reading: 10 minutes per night.

Numeracy: 1 task per week. Could be an online My Maths activity, this begins after October half term.

Spellings: High frequency words and Year 1 spelling lists

Literacy: Phonics homework

Tables: Start to learn $\times 2$, $\times 5$, $\times 10$ and number bonds to 10, 20 and 100 for 5 minutes per night.

YEAR 2

Reading: 10 minutes per night.

Numeracy: 1 task per week. Could be an online My Maths activity.

Spellings: Spelling words given each week and tested.

Literacy: 1 task per week linked to spelling tasks

Tables: Continue to learn $\times 2$, $\times 5$, $\times 10$ moving onto $\times 3$, $\times 4$, as well as number bonds to 10, 20 and 100 for 5 minutes per night.

YEAR 3

Reading: 15 minutes per night. Children have 1 Accelerated Reader book and 1 Guided Reading book.

Numeracy: 1 task per week. Could be an online My Maths activity.

Spellings: Spelling words given each week and tested.

Literacy: 1 task per week linked to spellings

Tables: $\times 2$, $\times 5$, $\times 10$, and learn $\times 4$, $\times 8$ for 10 minutes per night.

YEAR 4

Reading: 15 minutes per night. Children have 1 Accelerated Reader book and 1 Guided Reading book.

Numeracy: 1 task per week. Could be an online My Maths activity.

Spellings: Spelling words given each week and tested.

Literacy: 1 task per week linked to spellings

Tables: Learn all tables up to 12×12 for 10 minutes per night.

YEAR 5

Reading: 20+ minutes per night. Children have 1 Accelerated Reader book and 1 Guided Reading book.

Numeracy: 1 task per week. Could be an online My Maths activity.

Spellings: Spelling words given each week and tested.

Literacy: 1 task per week linked to spellings

Tables: Revise tables up to 12×12 for 10 minutes per night.

YEAR 6

Reading: 25+ minutes per night. Children have 1 Accelerated Reader book and 1 Guided Reading book.

Numeracy: 1 task per week. Could be an online My Maths activity

Spellings: Spelling words given each week and tested.

Literacy: 1 task per week linked to spellings

Tables: Revise tables up to 12×12 for 10 minutes per night

NOTES

1. All homework must be completed and handed in, or a note will be kept on SIMS. More than 3 uncompleted or unacceptable homeworks will result in a letter being sent home, requiring a signature from the parent/carer.
2. Homework not completed on time will be done so during a break or lunch time unless there are extenuating circumstances which would require a letter or a conversation with the Teacher who set the homework.
3. Homework is usually submitted on a Friday, but spelling tests may be undertaken during the week (children will be informed of when their weekly test is). All homework should be marked by the teacher and returned to the pupil by the following Monday.
4. Parents may make comments in their child's homework books if they are unable to speak to the teacher in person, to inform the teacher if a pupil found the work too easy or too hard, or would like more homework.
5. Homework should be presented to a high standard and the content should reflect a positive effort by the individual and the values of Springfield School.
6. Homework should be completed in the designated Homework Books and stored safely in the provided plastic wallets; we take "Care" of our homework materials.
7. Parents should sign and comment in their child's Reading Log.
8. Home reading books and Town Library reading books are encouraged to supplement the reading books issued by school.
9. Reading **with** your child is just as effective as them reading to you.

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