

Cams Lane Primary School



Homework Policy

Policy	Homework
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Our School Vision Statement

‘Together as a Cams Lane family, we will inspire everyone to reach their potential. Guided by our 5 Rs, we will develop independent learners with an awareness of the world around them, ready for the challenges of the future. We will nurture relationships that build confidence and pride within each person.’

Our School Motto

Our motto is the golden thread which permeates our school ethos and drives everything we do in school.

“INSPIRE, BELIEVE, LEARN”

School Values

- Resilience
- Resourcefulness
- Respect
- Reflection
- Responsibility

Aims of Homework

At Cams Lane we want children to have a balance of practising basic skills at home and at the same time enjoying home and family life. When children leave school each day, they are often tired as they work hard in their lessons in school time. To ask children to continue long pieces of school work at home, can often cause friction and upset. There is also conflict between methods of teaching and understanding of tasks.

Through the setting of homework we will hope to:

- Develop the partnership between children, parents/carers and school
- Consolidate and reinforce basic skills in reading and maths

Objectives

At Cams Lane we:

- Ensure that the needs of all pupils are taken into account
- Provides opportunities for parents to share the learning experience

Parents/carers can:

- Provide a reasonably peaceful and suitable place where children can do homework
- Encourage children to find a space and time to read a book

WEEKLY HOMEWORK

Reading – reading daily and discussing text at appropriate level

Times Tables – practise tables for instant recall

Spellings – practice spellings given from class

YEAR 6

Year 6 class have a homework plan to support their preparation and revision for KS2 SATs.

INDIVIDUAL NEEDS

Children with individual needs, after consultation with parents, may be asked to complete a separate homework programme which is targeted and specific for a child, for example, handwriting to support their development.

Further Guidance on Reading:

We are asking children to regularly, for 10 minutes, if possible every day, if not regularly each week.

Sanctions: If children are **repeatedly**, week after week, not reading at home, teachers will firstly speak to parents and then if needed they will be asked to read in school time.

Other Policies

This policy should be read in conjunction with the Health & Safety Policy and the school's policies on Equal Opportunities.

