



Grove Primary Academy

Homework Statement



Park Grove Primary Academy is firmly committed to raising the attainment of all children. We do however recognise how hard the children work while they are in school and how physically and mentally exhausted they often are by the end of the day. We believe the children need time at home to be a calmer, more relaxed environment where they can spend quality time with their families.

As a result, any homework we make available to the children is completely optional. It is there to support you and your child at home if they express an interest in completing further work around a topic or want an opportunity to work on particular skills.

At school we will never ask that homework be completed and there will never be sanctions for any suggested work not being completed.

As a school we know that some children may want to continue their learning at home. We will therefore ensure the following are available to ensure any learning done at home consolidates work done in school:

EARLY YEARS FOUNDATION STAGE & KEY STAGE ONE

1. Reading/library books/flash cards so that children can read with parents
2. We share phonic words/spellings taught each week via Bloomz to consolidate the work done in class.
3. Maths challenges for EYFS
4. Online activities and games available via Reading Eggs/Eggspres and MathSeeds to consolidate learning (children all have an individual log in)

KEY STAGE TWO

1. Reading books and library books can be taken home, or children may read books from home
2. Spelling will be given on a weekly basis, based on Y3/4 or Y5/6 statutory spellings, spelling patterns and topical words.
3. Times tables Rockstars (children have an individual log in)
4. Activities and games are available via Mathletics /Reading Express/Reading Plus (children all have an individual log in)

Each half term, prior to beginning a new topic an information leaflet will be sent out to all parents. This will include details of the learning that will be taking place within school for each subject area around the topic. In addition to this, teachers will include suggestions of tasks the children may wish to complete at home to enrich and extend their understanding of the topic.

There may be occasions when individual year groups are given additional suggestions for work which may help support with specific learning.