

Homework in Key Stage 2

- The children in Years 3 to 6 must bring their homework diary to school **every day**.
- Children will choose a reading book (colour coded red, orange or white dependent upon ability) from the class collection and this must also be brought in to school **every day**. These should be changed once the child has finished the book.
- Children who are still taking part in daily phonics lessons (RWI), or have recently finished the program, will also have a RWI reading book to read independently.
- At home, parents and carers should listen to their child read **for around 15 minutes at least three times a week and a comment should be written into the diary. There should be at least three comments each week.**
- Diaries will be checked every **FRIDAY** morning, any children who do not complete their reading homework and do not have three signed comments, will not be awarded their 'stamp' for their Reward Passport.
- Children also have Times Tables homework (or homework related to learning key maths facts) they should write their work into a separate homework book. Parents and carers should then help their child learn the facts by asking their child to recite and recall facts orally. This book should also be returned every **FRIDAY** morning (again if they do not complete this, they will not be awarded their 'stamp' for their Reward Passport.)
- Spellings to learn will be sent home weekly. Children should learn the rule and any spellings given in preparation for a weekly test.
- At times, extra homework will be given. Class teachers will inform parents of the date it should be returned.
- One of our Golden Rules is "I take responsibility for my own learning", this includes homework, children who do not follow this rule will not be awarded their 'stamp' for their Reward Passport.