

Springfield Primary School



School Policy

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This document explains our approach to home learning at Springfield Primary School.

Home learning is planned and designed to supplement and support the learning that takes place in school and enable children to consolidate and develop their understanding of key concepts. Supporting your child's learning at home will undoubtedly contribute to their progress in school so we strive to make all tasks accessible for all.

ONLINE LEARNING PLATFORMS

We utilise platforms such as Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS), Sumdog Spellzone and Bug Club to deliver home learning.

HOME LEARNING TASKS

Home learning tasks are set each Wednesday and are checked in class on the following Tuesday. In addition to weekly reading at home, we use the following online platforms to set spelling and maths home learning tasks. You will find your children's login details on the inside of their Home Reading Record.

Weekly spellings are set by the teacher based on the current spelling patterns being taught in class each week.



www.spellzone.com

Weekly times tables are set which are based on each child's current times table level. The time spent on 'studio' contributes to your child's 'Rock Status'.



www.trockstars.com

The programme focuses on basic number skills and addition / subtraction rapid recall. There are no set tasks but a weekly time expectation is set by the teacher.



www.numbots.com

Sumdog uses maths games which include problem solving and all four operations. The games automatically adjust to each child's level, providing personalised learning.



<https://play.sumdog.com/>

The home learning platforms and expectations vary, depending on year group. Please see the attached sheet for an outline of your child's home learning expectations and a tick grid to support you in keeping track of their weekly tasks. A paper copy of the homework log will also be given to each child to take home.

Core learning tasks
• TTRS - Times tables practice • Spellzone - Phonics or spelling key word practice. • Reading 4 or more times a week

REWARDS

Children who read four times or more a week and record it in their reading diary will be awarded a bookworm sticker. If a bookworm sticker is earned every week in a half term, the child's name is entered into a raffle to win a brand new book.

MONITORING OF HOME LEARNING

Senior leaders monitor the home learning provision and engagement on a regular basis. The home learning policy and approach is reviewed regularly, supported by the gathering of pupil, parent and staff views.

SUPPORTING THOSE WITHOUT ACCESS TO ONLINE LEARNING

If families are unable to access online learning platforms we are happy to support them in accessing home learning in others ways.