



# HOMEWORK POLICY

## Our home/school learning expectations and procedures

### The purpose of Home learning:

- To develop study habits and routines.
- To encourage independence, responsibility and organisation.
- To learn management skills as there will be increased expectations on children to manage their time effectively as they grow older.
- To support regular, open and constructive communication and partnerships between home and school.
- To foster ongoing feedback opportunities about school learning between parents and children.
- To provide parents with insights into their child's learning and progress.
- To reinforce school learning by practicing skills that they have already been taught at school.

### Home learning

#### Home Learning Activities may include:

- Completing work from school
- Reading a take home reader
- Practicing flash cards of sight words
- Practicing flash cards of quick maths

#### The following are recommended times for Home learning per school week:

- Reception 20 minutes/day
- Year 1 20 minutes/day
- Year 2 30 minutes/day
- Year 3 30 minutes /day
- Year 4 30 minutes/day
- Year 5 40 minutes/day
- Year 6 40 minutes/day

*We also acknowledge that families have commitments and reasons when the home learning cannot be completed. Please communicate with your child's class teacher via Seesaw or make meeting time. .*

*Depending on the learning program home learning may be set nightly or weekly. Teachers will explain their expectations at the beginning of each year.*

