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Policy: Homework Policy

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Amendments / Reviews

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Aim of Policy: To benefit pupil learning, to reinforce work done in class and to strengthen links between home and school.

Aims:

- To benefit pupil learning
- To reinforce work done in class.
- To strengthen links between home and school.

Guidelines:

- All classes will get homework in both Junior and Senior school.
- Homework will be given four nights per week – Monday to Thursday.
- No homework at weekends, birthdays and special occasions.
- Balance between oral, reading and written work.

Pupils may be excused from homework at the request of parents if implementation of homework time causes excessive difficulties at home. This is done in conjunction with the class teacher.