



Emmanuel Middle School

Homework policy

WIMBORNE
Academy Trust

At Emmanuel homework is set that:

1. Revises and reviews prior learning.
2. Reinforces concepts and skills taught.
3. Prepares for new learning through research.
4. Develops ownership and responsibility for learning.
5. Encourages parental involvement and support.

Responsibilities:

Child

1. To have homework diary in school at all times. If not, ask Tutor for a template to use.
2. To listen to homework instructions in class.
3. To copy down instructions for the task and deadline date into their homework diary.
4. To ensure that homework is completed and meets the deadline.
5. To seek support from teachers or parents where necessary.

Subject teacher

1. Set homework according to the timetable.
2. Give full and comprehensive instructions.
3. Set deadlines for the completion of work.
4. Provide help and support where necessary.
5. Inform the tutor if problems arise.

Parent

1. Ensure diary is in school every day.
2. Encourage the completion of homework by the deadline.
3. Sign the homework diary.
4. Seek support from the subject teacher where necessary.

Tutor

1. Sign Homework diary weekly.
2. Ensure reading record is attached to the back of Homework diary.
3. Sign reading records weekly.
4. Investigate problems if they arise.

Emmanuel's homework timetable				
All subject teachers for all year groups will set homework that should take no longer than 20 minutes to complete with the exception of Art*.				
Subjects	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8
English	Grammar or punctuation activity set on Friday to be completed by the following Friday.			
	In addition set spellings should be practised daily. Year 5 set Monday to Monday.			
	In addition reading should be completed at least three times a week. The tutor will monitor and sign reading diaries weekly.			
Maths	My Maths activity set on Friday to be completed by the following Friday.			
	In addition set times tables should be practised daily.			
Science			Set weekly on the day of the lesson with one whole week to complete.	
Humanities			Set weekly on the day of the lesson with one whole week to complete.	
French			Set weekly on the day of the lesson with one whole week to complete.	
Art*	*Once a half term with half a term to complete.		*Fortnightly: set on the day of the lesson with two whole weeks to complete. 40 Minutes	
DT			Set weekly on the day of the lesson with one whole week to complete.	

Homework is not set for: RE, Music, Computing or PE.