HOMEWORK in year 1

At Desford Community Primary School, we understand that family life away from school is very busy and see the other experiences that our children have in their spare time as valuable enrichment to their development. Our approach to homework is therefore focussed on spending a little bit of time every week rehearsing the core skills that will have a positive impact on learning in school. Homework progresses in line with these principles from EYFS to Year 6, with some increases in expectations to help to prepare the children for their transition to high school.



english reading

Please listen to your child read their allocated book:

3-5 TIMES PER WEEK for IO MINS EACH SESSION

Also share a range of other books at home with your child, including their school library book.





ENGLISH phonics & spelling

3 x IO MINUTES PER WEEK PHONICS FOLDER

A selection of previously taught sounds, words and captions/sentences for your child to decode and read independently. Please date and sign the sheet each time you have practised the sounds and leave the sheets in the folder.



PLAY 5 SPELLING SHED GAMES PER WEEK (Summer Term)

A list of approximately 10 new spellings linked to learning in school, are added every week. Common exception (tricky) words are also added as they taught in school.



maths early number

Numbots provides fun ways for children to rehearse their understanding of early number skills, recall and fluency that assists with moving from counting to calculating.



PLEASE PLAY FOR 2 x IO MINS EVERY WEEK

OPTIONAL WIDER CURRICULUM TASKS WILL BE SENT HOME HALF-TERMLY



