

## Homework Year 6

All homework should be completed in the homework book unless otherwise instructed. Homework will be given out on Wednesdays and will need to be returned to the Academy on Monday. A new Homework Club will run after the academy day every Thursday 3.30-4.30 to provide support for children who will need it to complete homework. This will be supervised by a member of the Hub Team.

In **Year 6** children will be given slightly more homework to help them prepare for secondary school. The expectation for Year 6 is indicated in the list below:

- A Mathematics **and** an English task with top tips on how to complete. This will include revision tasks and practice tests as needed.
- Weekly spellings which will be tested every Monday. This is to ensure that by the end of Year 6, children are able to spell any word with confidence
- Maths challenges, focused on times tables and other key number facts

As parents, please ensure that homework is completed in a quiet environment and that it is returned to the academy on time and that it is neat and legible. Children should write in pen, not felt tip. Maths homework should always be completed in pencil.

In addition to homework, your child will also bring a **reading** book home. To make good progress, it is very important for children to read widely and often. Please ensure that your child reads to you **every day** and sign their reading record book indicating which page they have got to or whether they have finished the book. They will then complete a book review in class and present it to their class mates. The best reviews will be displayed on our 'Reading Wall'.

We now have a brand new library where children will be able to select books to bring home to share with you. Help us keep it well stocked by returning books promptly when they have been read. Children will not be able to take new books out until the previous book has been returned.

