



HOMWORK POLICY

The amount of homework set by a teacher for a class is largely a matter of individual choice. When setting homework, the child's age, ability and other relevant circumstances should be considered.

Homework should not interfere with a reasonable amount of outside activity by each child, such as music lessons, sporting commitments, family activities, etc.

There appears to be a need for the Upper Primary children to do homework in preparation for Secondary School, but the amount and type of homework is relaxed for lower grades.

Reasons for setting homework:

1. As a remedial measure
2. To conduct research that cannot be done at school
3. Reinforce a concept taught that day
4. Children have not applied themselves in class for a variety of reasons
5. Practising Reading and Spelling.