HOMEWORK POLICY

HOMEWORK SHOULD BE -
- Determined by individual class teachers according to the needs of their students.
- A task that creates harmony in the home and does not add to family stress.
- Related directly to the skills, knowledge and understanding being explicitly taught in the classroom.
- To practise and consolidate Maths and Reading skills.
- To give parent’s insight to what their child is currently learning at school.
- A manageable amount that allows children to participate in and benefit from a range of out of school activities.
- Voluntary and there cannot be a consequence for non compliance.

HOMEWORK SHOULD NOT -
- Be unrelated to the class programme.
- Be given for homework’s sake.
- Be excessively time consuming.
- Be used to make judgements about individual pupil performance or reporting purposes.
- Be given as a punishment or consequence for classroom behaviour or performance.