Westminster Community Primary School Homework Policy 2022

Why do we set homework?

- to provide pupils with practice in aspects of class work;
- to enable pupils to become independent learners;
- to encourage pupils to manage their time;
- to foster a partnership between home and school;
- to provide parents with an opportunity to share in their child's learning;
- to enable parents to be involved and informed about the type of work being undertaken in class.

What can pupils and parents expect from us as a school?

- regular homework that is monitored and valued;
- clear guidelines for when the homework is due in;
- support from staff available when needed;
- a range of tasks.
- homework grids which allows children to choose from a range of a tasks
- homework challenges which can be accessed via Google Classroom

What do we expect from pupils and parents?

- regular completion of homework;
- completion of homework which is of the same standard as it would be if completed at school
- requests for help and support when needed.

What kind of tasks will children have for homework?

- reading;
- spellings;
- mental maths work;
- tasks relating to the wider curriculum RE, science, history, geography
- A half termly project.

What happens if my child does not return their homework on time?

- a child may be asked to complete the task during a break time or with a member of staff.
- contact will be made with parents to arrange extra support when needed.