



# HOMework

The link  
between home  
and school

Children typically retain only 50% of the information provided in class, and **they need to apply that information in order to truly learn.**



Whilst we do revisit new learning in school, **additional practice at home is extremely beneficial.** Our homework expectations are detailed on the back of this page, and we welcome your support.

Our weekly learning update is emailed home on a Friday afternoon, so that you can see what all classes have been learning about that week.

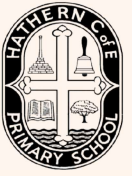
## FINISHING OFF TIME

On Friday afternoons, pupils will be given a small amount of time to finish off any learning projects that they have not managed to complete that week. If they have not had a chance to complete their homework or practise spellings, then they will have the opportunity to do this, and seek help from their teacher if needed, during 'finishing off' time.

# HOMWORK EXPECTATIONS

## IN KEY STAGE 2

Year 4



### READING

We ask that children read **at least 3 x per week** at home. This reading should be logged on **Boom Reader**. If they have logged their three reads, the children will receive a raffle ticket for our **termly reading draw** to win a book.



### SPELLING

Each week, a spelling pattern/rule is taught. Children will practise these words every day in school. They will be set a home task on **Spelling Shed** to practise for **15 minutes**.



### MATHEMATICS

Your child will be set a weekly task on TT Rockstars, to practise their recall of times tables and related division facts. The site will measure their progress and move them on when they are ready.

In year 4, pupils will be set **21 minutes a week**.



Homework is set on a **Friday** and due in the following Friday.

Our aim and expectation is that **all** children complete their homework to reinforce class learning and practise key skills. If your child is struggling to access the homework, please speak to us.