



Homework KS2 St George's

Year 5 and 6 are very important years for a lot of primary school children's lives as it is the start to them preparing to go to secondary school. At St George's we like to ensure our children go as well equipped with both life and knowledge based skills as possible. For this reason, we try to build children's resilience to homework in these key years, and we hope that you will support us in this endeavour.

Your child will receive 15 spellings each week to learn linked to their spelling strategies or their topic but also you will find a copy of their year group high frequency words at the back of their homework book for you to be practising throughout the year – so they are ready for the following year. Children will be tested on their spelling once a week through a test but also through regular use to ensure they are being consolidated.

Apart from learning their spellings for the week we hope that you will continue to support us in teaching your child to read, please ensure you write in their reading journal about what they have read, how they have read and what they have understood, at least 3 times a week. Children will receive one Oxford Reading Tree Book and one book of their choice, this will be changed on a weekly basis.

Please find in their book each week English activities linked to SPAG or extended writing and Maths linked to either a recent, current or upcoming topic, to complete – this may be in the form of a worksheet or a description of an activity. Your child may also receive extra homework through the week, in order to ensure they are ready for something they are doing in class.

Homework is given out Wednesday and due in Monday.