Homework at Mount Nod

A Guide for Parents and Carers

Daily Expectations *Little and often works best!*

FOUNDATION STAGE	Share a story or reading book with your child every day.
KEY STAGE 1	Children should read or share a story for ten minutes each evening. Please note all reading in the diary and bring both diary and book to school every day.
KEY STAGE 2	Children should read for twenty minutes each evening and complete their Reading Diary. Diaries must be in school every day.

Weekly Expectations *Formal homework that will be marked by the class teacher.*

FOUNDATION STAGE	Homework will be given out in the Home/School Book on a Thursday, to be returned the following Tuesday. Children will also be given high frequency words to practise on their reading day.
KEY STAGE1	Homework will be given out on a Friday, to be returned the following Friday.
KEY STAGE 2	Maths and English homework will be given out on a Friday, to be returned in 3/4 the following Wednesday and in 5/6 the following Thursday.

Talk Time – The value of talking should not be underestimated. Children increase their vocabulary, confidence and debating skills through talk at home.

Top Tips for Talking

Turn off the television.

Sit around the dining table.

Have a chat and share opinions and ideas.

Children should talk with family, friends and each other.