



## Steam Mills Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Following consultation with pupils, parents and staff, the school's Homework Policy has been reviewed and redrafted. Once it has been ratified by the Governing Body, it will be available on the school's website. In the interim, following requests from parents, we have created guidance on the amount of time that children should be spending on their homework (see overleaf).

We will be providing every child with a homework book, where the work that they do at home can be recorded. We ask that you support them with this and sign it at the end of each week.

There will be Power Projects available to you by logging onto your child's class page on e-Schools, should you wish to complete some additional activities.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours faithfully,

Marcella Scoles

Head Teacher

Year Group	Homework	Time	Total/week
R	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reading – 5 times a week</li><li>• Tricky Words/Phonics</li><li>• Spellings</li></ul>	5 minutes x 5 10 minutes 10 minutes	45 minutes

1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading – 5 times a week</li> <li>• Tricky Words Practice/Phonics/</li> <li>• Number Bonds/Multiplication Tables</li> <li>• Spellings</li> </ul>	5 minutes x 5 10 minutes 10 minutes 10 minutes	55 minutes
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading – 5 times a week</li> <li>• Phonics/Spellings</li> <li>• Number Bonds/Multiplication Tables</li> </ul>	5 minutes x 5 20 minutes 15 minutes	1 hour
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading – 5 times a week</li> <li>• Spellings</li> <li>• Tables</li> </ul>	5 minutes 25 minutes 20 minutes	1 hour 10 minutes
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading – 5 times a week</li> <li>• Spellings</li> <li>• Tables</li> </ul>	5 minutes 25 minutes 25 minutes	1 hour and 15 mins
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading – 5 times a week</li> <li>• Spellings/Dictionary work</li> <li>• Multiplication Tables</li> <li>• Literacy</li> <li>• Numeracy</li> </ul>	5 minutes 30 minutes 10 minutes 25 minutes 25 minutes	1 hour 55 minutes
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading – 5 times a week</li> <li>• Spellings /Dictionary work</li> <li>• Multiplication Tables</li> <li>• Literacy – 1 piece each week</li> <li>• Numeracy – 1 piece each week</li> </ul>	5 minutes 30 minutes 10 minutes 30 minutes 30 minutes	2 hour 5 minutes