



PURPOSE OF HOMEWORK

- 1 To allow practice and consolidation of work done in class.
- 2 To allow preparation of future class work.
- 3 To encourage independent learning
- 4 To develop good habits and self-discipline.
- 5 To provide information for parents.
- 6 To provide opportunities for parental co-operation and support.

Help your child find a suitable place to work.

offer your support.

Make time to sit with your child.

encourage your child to try.

Wait until your child has tried before you offer suggestions.

ROLE OF PARENTS IN HOMEWORK

To be aware of when homework is being set.

To encourage the child to undertake and complete the task set.

To monitor the child's performance.

To participate in learning tasks where requested.

organise a visit to the library if necessary

record any points that concern you for the teacher.

keep talking to your child about planning future homework.

Corpus Christi Primary School

HOMEWORK GUIDELINES



Dear Parents

Homework is an important part of a child's education and there is clear evidence that children who carry out homework activities with the support and interest of their parents, work towards the achievement of their potential.

Homework helps teachers to check your child's understanding of class work and keep track of their progress. It lets you find out what your child is doing at school and get involved in their learning.

I have enclosed some information regarding the amount and type of homework.

Pupils have been provided with a 'Homework Diary' to ensure good communication between home and school.

AMOUNT OF HOMEWORK

Homework is set **MONDAY to THURSDAY** in Corpus Christi.

Primary 1	15 to 20 minutes per evening
Primary 2	15 to 20 minutes per evening
Primary 3	15 to 20 minutes per evening
Primary 4	30 minutes per evening
Primary 5	30 minutes per evening
Primary 6	30 minutes per evening
Primary 7	30 minutes per evening

TYPE OF HOMEWORK

Primary 1:

Language, ie reading / phonics / words / Play Along Maths..

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

Primary 2 to 7:

Language : Mondays & Wednesdays.

Maths : Tuesdays & Thursdays..

Shared Home Learning

Pupils from Primary 1 to Primary 7 will participate in a four week programme of 'Shared Home Learning' during the session.

Other activities may also be given:

Reading practice.

Set books

Newspapers etc.

Research or Investigation on particular subject.

Finding out more about an item for Science

