



Brabham
PRIMARY SCHOOL
THROUGH COMMUNITY WE GROW

Homework Guidelines

Homework consolidates classroom learning, develops independent organisational habits, and strengthens the partnership between school and home.

Guiding Principles

Homework at Brabham Primary School will:

- Promote independent work habits
- Be achievable without excessive parental assistance or extra resources
- Reinforce classroom learning outcomes
- Be developmentally appropriate and differentiated
- Never be used as punishment or discipline

Expectations

Assessment

Homework is not used for formal assessment.

Purpose

Homework provides opportunities to practise and revise classroom concepts independently. Adjustments are made for students with additional needs.

Duration

Homework is brief, manageable, and age appropriate.

Roles and Responsibilities

Class Teachers

- Provide homework in line with the year group homework expectations that are linked to classroom learning and child development

Parents and Caregivers

- Support their child in a way that suits family routines and student needs

Students

- Complete assigned tasks
- Develop time management and independence

Additional Guidelines Supporting Wellbeing

- In-term vacations: Homework is not assigned during these periods, however we suggest students keep a daily journal that could be shared with the class when they return.
- Student illness: If a student is unwell and absent for a short time, no homework is set. The focus is on rest and recovery



Year Group Homework Expectations

YEAR GROUP	CORE LEARNING PRACTICE	ALTERNATIVE ACTIVITIES
Kindy	1 Picture books read nightly with accompanying comprehension questions each fortnight	Play-based suggestions provided by the classroom teacher to support social, emotional, physical, and early academic development at home
Pre-Primary	Term 1 1 Picture books read nightly with accompanying comprehension questions. Term 2-4 Decodable texts that can be read together and ask comprehension questions	High frequency words Basic maths facts
Year 1-3	Decodable texts that can be read together and ask comprehension questions	High frequency words UFLI practice sheet Basic maths facts
Year 4-6	Nightly independent reading Study Notes	Typing practice Complete unfinished Learning Tasks

Department Guidelines:

https://www.education.wa.edu.au/web/policies/-/homework-guidelines?p_l_back_url=%2Fweb%2Fpolicies%2Fsearch%3Fq%3Dhomework

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