

## Homework Expectations



Homework focuses upon reading for pleasure and times tables practise, as well as theme activities every week.

It is expected that children practise their times tables at least three times a week. Children need to practise the times tables from the diamond band they are currently working on, which includes logging on to Times Tables Rock Stars at least once a week.

Children need to read regularly, at least three times each week, recording this in their reading records.

Times Tables Rock Stars and reading records will be checked every Thursday morning, with children tested on their times tables at the end of every week.

Alongside this, theme homework will be set weekly for the children to complete; they will need to submit their homework every Friday, to share with their peers and staff at CWJS. Feedback will then be provided to the children.

We have the following expectations for how homework is to be presented:

- o Children should take pride in their theme homework, taking time on each piece of work to make it the best that it can be
- o Children can use a range of creative approaches to presenting their theme homework and practising their times tables, to ensure that they are proud of their work and have fun
- O Children should always try to write in their best handwriting, with a sharp pencil, only using a blue pen if they have been given permission to at school, crossing errors out with a ruler and checking they have punctuated their writing correctly
- o If any colouring in is necessary, please ensure that your child uses pencils not felt tips
- o Work can be completed in the homework book, or children can produce their theme work separately to bring into class, such as a 3D model, poster or photos

You may like to add your own comment to let us know how your child managed the task: whether they completed it independently, as a family or with your support.

Thank you for supporting your child with their learning at home.