

Thurlstone Primary School

Homework Policy – September 2025

At Thurlstone Primary School we aim to provide home learning which is purposeful and has a positive impact on a child's learning and progress. It is also our intention that the input required by parents is minimal because all the tasks set are intended to encourage independence.

Homework is set weekly, but the days on which it is set and expected to be returned to school will vary according to teacher's workload and timetables.

Home work for each year group is as follows:

THE ROCKETS RECEPTION	Reading every day (Please sign Reading Record weekly) 'I can blend' sheets (as and when) Sound grid (as and when) Spellings each half term (from second half of the autumn term)
THE BUSY BEES Y1	Reading every day (Please sign Reading Record weekly) 'I can blend' (sheet weekly) Spellings- weekly practice
THE WISE OWLS Y2	Reading every day at home (Please sign Reading Record weekly) 'I can blend sheet' Spellings – weekly practice
THE MONSTARS Y3	Reading every day (Please sign Reading Record weekly) A maths task (weekly) Spellings – weekly practice
THE WIZARDS Y4	Reading every day (Please sign Reading Record weekly). This should include a sentence about their book in Reading Record Book. Sheet of times tables 30 minutes a week of TT Rockstars Spellings (weekly)
THE WILD THINGS Y5	Read 40 pages of their book a week - complete a section from Reading Record. (Please sign Reading Record weekly) 30 minutes a week on TT Rockstars Spellings – 5 spellings weekly to practice 3 times a week Spag.com – one task a week A maths task.
THE MAVERICKS Y6	Read 60 pages a week of their book- complete a section from Reading Record. (Please sign Reading Record weekly) Planner should be in school every day. Spellings - 5 spellings weekly to practice 3 times a week 30 minutes a week on TT Rockstars Spag.com - one task per week Maths test practice tasks in homework book.

Class teachers will provide more information regarding homework on request.