



Moniaive Primary

Home Learning Policy

Learning Lots, Learning Well, Learning Together

At Moniaive Primary, home learning activities are an important part of our home/school partnership and all children are encouraged to take part in a variety of tasks to enhance and support their work in class.

Our Home Learning policy is designed to:

- Provide opportunities for parents and children to work in partnership and to share and enjoy learning experiences.
- Consolidate and reinforce basic skills and knowledge, especially in English and Maths.
- Provide opportunities as children get older to develop skills of independent learning.
- Empower parents to share in, and help with their child's learning
- Ensure consistency of approach throughout the school.

All home learning is optional but we would like to encourage the following as minimum requirement

P1/2

- Ongoing work with sounds and spelling lists (P1 Sounds generally given on Mondays and P2 word lists given on Tuesdays). Please check diaries regularly.
- Ongoing work with spelling of tricky words
- Ongoing work with reading Set reading pages twice per week. Please check diary regularly
- Occasional Topic Task

Home learning should be fun and enjoyable and should not take longer than 10-15 minutes. If it takes longer then STOP!

P3/4 and P5/6/7

- Ongoing work on spelling of high frequency words using school booklet and activity ideas
- Reading AR book or Reading book
- Reinforce Times Tables

Home Learning activities should not take longer than 15-20 minutes.

Optional Activities from School for P3/4 and P5/6/7

- Spelling rules activities (optional)
- Maths topic activities (optional)
- Mental Maths activities (optional)
- IDL Projects(optional)

Teachers in P3/4 and P5/6/7 have started a folder which contains worksheets, word lists, activities and games for pupils to take home. These link to class learning and are optional. Pupils and parents are welcome to take these whenever they like. New items will be added as learning takes place.

Home Learning activities should not take longer than 15-20 minutes.

If parents have any questions or would like advice please talk to the class teachers.

How can I help at home?

- Read books to your child
- Encourage your child to read to you
- Visit the library
- Make up stories/rhymes/play games
- Build counting and numbers into daily life
- Encourage investigation/problem solving
- Develop independence

Useful websites

Doorway online <http://www.doorwayonline.org.uk/>

Cool maths <https://www.coolmathgames.com/>

BBC Bitesize <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>

StudyLadder https://www.studyladder.co.uk/?lc_set=

Ict games

https://www.google.com/search?q=ict+games&rlz=1C1GCEV_enGB827GB827&oq=ict+games&aqs=chrome..69i57.4743j0j4&sourceid=chrome&ie=UTF-8&safe=active&ssui=on

Doorway online

https://www.google.com/search?q=doorway+online&rlz=1C1GCEV_enGB827GB827&oq=doorway+online&aqs=chrome..69i57.5259j0j1&sourceid=chrome&ie=UTF-8&safe=active&ssui=on

