

Kinghorn Primary School

Home Learning 2024



To encourage and make the most of every learning opportunity it is Kinghorn Primary School's policy to encourage active learning challenges wherever possible. We use many processes for sharing school learning with our families and encouraging learning across all curricular areas.

Termly

Each term we will send home our learning targets via Seesaw, these give more specific details about aspects of Literacy, Numeracy, Health and Wellbeing or other curricular areas which will be studied during the term ahead. These give parents and carers a starting point for discussion about what is happening in class and areas you may wish to practise and extend with your child.

We ask pupils to add a personal target that they choose (with your help and support) - something they feel is achievable and meaningful to them that they can work towards over the term and 'post' on Seesaw to share their efforts and achievements.

All information around how to access Seesaw has been shared previously but if you or your child has any issues gaining access, please contact us.

Weekly

Each week teachers will set a Reading home learning task - this may be to read their reading book (all or part of it at home), to practise words, complete comprehension questions, participate in an activity/game/challenge linked to reading - this will be indicated in your child's Reading Record weekly by their teacher.

Occasionally

Tasks across other curricular areas can be sent via Seesaw to meet the needs of our classes, groups or individuals.

Article 29 - A child's education should help them use and develop their talents and abilities. It should also help them to learn to live peacefully, protect the environment and respect other people.





Responsibilities of -

Parents/Carers

UNCRC Article 5 - Your family has the responsibility to help you learn to exercise your rights and to try to ensure that your rights are protected

It is hoped that parents/carers will support Reading Home Learning and participate actively in partnership with school.

Parents/Carers are asked to encourage their child/children to discuss with them their shared learning they can see on Seesaw, please ask your child about their Reading Home Learning and ensure they are supported as fully as possible

Time spent on Home Learning activities will vary from stage to stage and we urge parents and carers to use their discretion. The successful implementation of Home Learning depends on parent/carer support. Home Learning is voluntary, not compulsory - however it is important to remember that your support will help your child to achieve success - 5 minutes a day can have a huge impact on your child's overall learning and development.

Parents/Carers value all Home Learning shared with them.

Pupils

UNCRC Article 28 - children have the right to a good quality education; they should be encouraged to go to school to the highest level they can

Pupils are encouraged to complete activities to a high standard, to share any learning they do at home and speak to their parents/carers about their learning in school.

Pupils value all Home Learning shared with them whether verbally in class or through Seesaw.

Staff

UNCRC Article 3 - All adults should do what is best for you

Staff should be sensitive to the difficulties which may arise for more vulnerable children and their families

Staff should ensure that an expectation of independent learning is set in a context of support and guidance

Staff must be confident that pupils understand the purpose, scale of the activity and the standard of achievement expected

Staff value all Home Learning shared with them whether verbally in class or through Seesaw

Websites to Support Learning

Kinghorn Primary's Home Learning Wakelet - <https://wke.lt/w/s/eOSLd5>

<u>Numeracy</u>	<u>Literacy</u>	<u>General</u>
Sumdog https://pages.sumdog.com/sign-up/	Oxford Owl	Unicef.org.uk
Count On Us	Jolly Phonics	Education City
BBC and BBC Bitesize	Phonics Play	Topmarks
Doorway Online	Doorway Online	The Muddy Puddle
Topmarks	www.ICTgames.com/helpahedgehog	Netmums
Snappy Maths	BBC and BBC Bitesize	Parentzone
Maths-games.org	Topmarks	Supernanny
Cool maths games	Primary homework help	Cosmic Kids Yoga
Math playground	Scottish Book Trust - Bookbugs	Go Noodle
Maths is fun	Teach Your Monster To Read	Spanish-games.net
Little alchemy	Reading Eggs	French-games.net
Daily Rigour www.cdmasterworks.co.uk/the-daily-rigour (Daily Problem-Solving Activities)		GLOW
Multiplication.com		

Children must always be supervised when on the Internet. Some websites may give children the opportunity to purchase additional resources for a game and may also allow your child to play online with others. It is important parents/carers remain vigilant when children are using these websites. We advise you always check websites before a child accesses them. Please note these websites are not monitored by school.



The table below lists suggestions of websites and apps that can be used to support learners with English as an Additional Language with learning at home.

Website Address	Description of Activities	Primary/Secondary & Level of English Guide
https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/	Free online games, activities and stories to practise vocabulary, grammar, speaking, listening, reading and writing. <i>COVID19 support for parents - tips and advice about helping children to practise English at home available on the support page for parents.</i>	Lower/Upper Primary <i>New to English - Early Acquisition - Developing Competence</i>
https://www.starfall.accom/h/	Read along stories, phonics/spelling games and activities.	Lower Primary <i>New to English - Early Acquisition</i>
https://www.kidslearningville.com/	A collection of games to practise vocabulary and grammar. Choose games & activities from top menu.	Primary <i>New to English - Early Acquisition - Developing Confidence</i>
https://elt.oup.com/student/incredibleenglish/?cc=gb&selLanguage=en	An Oxford University Press website offering interactive reading activities, picture dictionary - to develop vocabulary and reading skills.	Primary <i>Early Acquisition - developing confidence</i>
https://worldstories.org.uk/index	Stories from around the world - traditional and new, in English and over 30 other languages.	Primary <i>Suitable for all levels of English</i>
https://www.gamestolearnenglish.com/	Simple vocabulary and grammar games/activities covering different topics/themes.	Primary & Secondary <i>New to English - Early Acquisition - Developing Competence</i>
https://www.mes-games.com/	Games and activities to learn English.	Primary & Secondary <i>New to English - Early Acquisition</i>