



Homework and Growth Through Learning 22-23

We are increasingly aware of the pressures on families and the lack of quality time they can have together, especially when trying to complete homework. The Senior Leadership team have spent a long time reflecting upon what we want for our children and families here at St Chad's with regards to homework and expectations, with this in mind we are providing Growth Through Learning Activities as part of homework (see details below). Below is a table of our 'Homework' and 'Growth Through Learning Activities' that your child will have over the coming academic year.

EYFS (Nursery&Rec)	KS1 (YR1 & YR2)	Lower KS2 (YR3 & YR4)	Upper KS2 (YR5 & YR6)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily shared book reading and sounds as appropriate – as much as possible. Termly Growth Through Learning Activities, which will be sent home via teachers2parents. They can bring in examples of completed activities to share with their key worker. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily practise of reading/sounds/words & Talk about the book – parents to sign home/school diary. Numbots – practising core maths skills –3-4 minutes per day to have the most impact. Half termly project – Children will be set a research project based on one of their learning topics, which will be sent home via teachers2parents. Half termly Growth Through Learning Activities, which will be sent home via teachers2parents. Children can choose if and when they complete them. They can share them with their class teacher at the end of the half term if they wish to. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily practise of reading/sounds/words & talk about the book – parents to sign home/school diary. TTRockstars – practising timetables skills – ideally a minimum of 3-4 minutes per day to have the most impact. Half termly project – Children will be set a research project based on one of their learning topics, which will be sent home via teachers2parents. Half termly tasks maths and English project – Children will be set a project/ investigation/ task for maths and English. This will be sent home via teachers2parents. Half termly Growth Through Learning activities will be sent home via teachers2parents. Children can choose if and when they complete them. They can share them with their class teacher at the end of the half term if they wish to. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily Reading – (5 times a week) – children to sign home/school diary with a comment about what they have read. Undertake Reading Plus. Weekly CGP Maths & English Workbooks – Specific pages will be set by the class teacher on Thursday each week, due in for the following Thursday. These can be completed at school outside during break/lunchtimes or at home, but there will be an expectation for every child to complete the set pieces on a weekly basis. This will begin to prepare them for homework expectations at high school. Children will be asked to complete homework at lunchtime in the classroom if this is not complete on the due date. Half termly project – Children will be set a research project based on one of their learning topics, which will be sent home via teachers2parents. Half termly Growth Through Learning Activities, which will be sent home via teachers2parents. Children can choose if and when they complete them. They can share them with their class teacher at the end of the half term as they use. Y6 only: After SATS, children will be given a range of English and Maths tasks which will be sent home weekly to help them prepare for the transition to secondary school.