

Homework is provided for all pupils. All pupils are encouraged to read at home daily. You can keep in touch with your child's progress by supporting them with homework tasks. Please read and complete your child's homework/link diary.

Homework timetable

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Reading Spellings set	Reading Spelling	Reading Spelling	English/Maths or Science	Reading Spelling

Home/school agreement

<p>The School will aim to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide a caring positive Christian environment where children are happy • Deal with parents' and children's needs quickly and efficiently • Let parents know about any concerns and problems that affect their child's work and or behaviour • Provide parents' evenings where both teachers and parents can discuss pupil's progress. • Write an annual record of achievement report • Set and monitor homework • Keep parents informed about school activities through regular newsletters and notices about school events • Send home at the end of the day items brought into school that are unrelated to the curriculum • Provide a range of extra curricular activities At present these include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sports • Trailblazers • Book Club • Peripatetic instrumental teaching <p>The Parents I/we will aim to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See that my child attends school regularly, on time and properly equipped for every lesson • Let the school know about any concerns or problems that might affect my child's progress 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure my child wears school uniform and sensible footwear. No jewellery is to be worn at school. (If earrings need to be worn, stud earrings are safer and must be removed by the child before any form of physical activity.) No nail varnish, make-up or tattoos to be worn at school. • Ensure absence from school is confirmed and a written note confirms/accompanies absence. • Ensure family holidays are taken during school vacations (no leave will be authorised for Year2 and 6 children during SATs period) • Send curriculum related items only into school (e.g. for topic work). We understand that the school does not take responsibility for lost / broken toys. <p>The Pupil: I shall try to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend school regularly and on time • Bring all the equipment I need every day • Wear the school uniform and be tidy in appearance • Do all my classwork and homework as well as I can • Keep our school's Golden Rules <p>Together we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide and support a high quality and standard of education • Help your child to live peaceably and happily whilst at school
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Brockenhurst
Church of England
Primary School

Curriculum Information
for Parents



**"Enjoy and Excel In the
Presence of God"**

Year: 2

Teacher: Mrs Hinton

Head Teacher: Mrs Trudie Bateman

Date: September 2007 - July 2008

Notes to Parents.

We are offering you this information sheet in order for you to keep in touch with your child's learning so you may support them. We hope you find this useful. Your comments and suggestions are greatly appreciated.

Staff will try to keep to their plans but there might be a need to make slight changes and additions as they endeavour to provide for children's own interests and topical events as they occur.

English and Mathematics

The children will follow the recently revised framework for English and Maths. Details of the curriculum coverage for your child's year group can be found at www.standards.dfes.gov.uk/primaryframeworks

Term	Main focus	Science	Religious Education	Information Technology
Autumn Term 1	Settling in. Maths.	Keeping healthy.	Harvest. Who is God? Christian/Hinduism.	Word processing.
Autumn Term 2	English.	Electricity	Diwali celebration. Christmas.	Creating pictures.
Spring Term 1	Science.	Changing materials.	Christian prayer.	Finding information.
Spring Term 2	SATs preparation.	Forces and movement	The Easter Story.	Programmable toys. Roamer
Summer Term 1	Science.	Plants and animals in the locality.	Christian/Hindu celebrations.	Questions and answers.
Summer Term 2	Design and technology.	Variation.		Data handling.

Abbreviations:

KS1 - Key Stage 1, 5- 7 year olds.

KS2 - Key Stage 2, 7-11 year olds.

IT - Information Technology. D.T.- Design Technology

R.E. - Religious Education.

We aim to make learning exciting, challenging and relevant for each child. In order to achieve this, cross-curricular links are made where possible, at the same time ensuring that the learning objectives from each National Curriculum subject are planned for and achieved.

Art	Music	DT	History/ Geography Trips/visitors	Resources How can you help?
Painting	Singing. Movement.		Geography - An Island home. Visit to Brownsea Island.	Reading support. Helping with visit.
Sewing/ collage	Singing. Pitch.		History - The Gunpowder plot.	Reading support. Sewing.
	Percussion instruments.	Making puppets.	History - Castles. Visit to Porchester Castle.	Reading support. Sewing. Helping with visit.
Dragons - sculpture.	Notation.		Geography - a comparison. Visit to Eastleigh town and school.	Reading support. Helping with visit.
Mother nature designer.	Music appreciation (tempo)	Moving vehicles	History - Florence Nightingale.	Reading support. Helping with visit.
	Music (dynamics)	Winding toys.	Geography - Where in the world...	Reading support. Helping with visit.