## Homework at Great Gaddesden CofE School (VA)



Term:	Summer 1, 2018	Year Group:	1
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At Great Gaddesden CofE School, we provide homework for three reasons:

- i) To reinforce learning that takes place in school.
- ii) To give children further opportunities to develop their love of learning.
- iii) To prepare children for the next stage in their learning, at secondary school, when the volume of homework significantly increases.

**Reading:** Children should spend at least 5-10 minutes a day reading to/with an adult. Please write in your child's reading record whenever you hear them read.

- Homework books should be handed in every Monday (unless specified otherwise) and will be returned on Wednesdays.
- If homework is not completed, children will be expected to stay in, either at break or lunchtime, to complete it.

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Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Focus: Science. WALT: Understand the importance of a healthy diet. Task: You are going to use the food journal to record what you have for breakfast, lunch, dinner, snacks and drinks each day this week. We will then use this to look at healthy eating during our science lesson next week.	
	<b>Spelling:</b> Please see your child's <b>Look</b> , <b>Cover</b> , <b>Write</b> , <b>Check</b> sheet to see their spelling score for this week. Please ensure they spend time <b>each day</b> completing a column of this week's spelling words. This is an opportunity to practice letter formation and handwriting as well as spelling.	
	<b>My Maths:</b> Our Maths topics this half-term include addition and subtraction and measure which includes length, height, mass, weight, capacity and volume. Please encourage your child to access these topics on My Maths.	
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	<ul> <li>Focus: English.</li> <li>WALT: Write and ask questions.</li> <li>Task: Think of a question you would like to ask a parent/grandparent or another adult about when they were young. You are going to ask the adult this question and record their answer. You may want to ask about the toys they used to play with, the games they liked to play or what school was like.</li> </ul>	
	WILF:  ➤ A question written using correct punctuation and an answer.	
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