

Pamphill and Witchampton First Schools

Parent & School

Home Learning Agreement



Nurturing Curiosity, Inspiring Learning

At **Pamphill First School** and **Witchampton First School**, our school community is built on the foundations of **Love, Courage, and Respect**. We believe that home learning is a vital bridge between school and family life. By working together, we ensure every child is **Ready, Respectful, and Engaged** in their journey of learning.

Our Values in Action

We align our home learning approach with our core values to ensure a positive experience for every child:

- **Love:** We approach home learning with kindness and patience, recognising that every family is different and that well-being always comes first.
- **Courage:** We encourage children to take risks in their learning, to try things they find difficult, and to persevere with a "can-do" attitude.
- **Respect:** We value the partnership between home and school, respecting each other's time, efforts, and the learning environment.

1. The School's Commitment

To support our pupils, we will:

- **Love:** Ensure home learning is meaningful and manageable, prioritising the child's emotional well-being.
- **Courage:** Set tasks that challenge pupils and build their confidence to learn independently.
- **Respect:** Provide clear instructions and timely feedback, valuing the effort children put in at home.
- **Engagement:** Provide exciting, high-quality resources that keep children **engaged** and curious about the world.

2. The Parents'/Carers' Commitment

To support your child, we ask that you:

- **Ready:** Help your child be **ready** for learning by establishing a gentle routine and a quiet space to work.
- **Respectful:** Show **respect** for education by prioritising daily reading and ensuring school books/resources are cared for.
- **Love:** Support your child with encouragement, celebrating their effort rather than just the final result.
- **Engaged:** Engage with school communications (e.g., ClassDojo) to stay informed about what your child is learning.

3. The Pupil's Commitment

To be the best I can be, I will:

- **Ready:** Have my reading book and bag **ready** for school each day.
- **Respectful:** Be **respectful** to my parents or carers when they are helping me with my work.
- **Courage:** Show **courage** when I find a task tricky; I will try my best and not be afraid to make mistakes.
- **Engaged:** Stay **engaged** with my tasks and take pride in completing my home learning.

Shared Learning Expectations

Value	How we show it at home
Ready	We have our books, a pencil, and a calm place to work.
Respectful	We listen to each other and look after our school equipment.
Engaged	We dive into our reading, phonics, and maths with enthusiasm.