



# Modbury School Preschool to Year 7 Homework Agreement

## Rationale

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At Modbury School we believe homework provides students with opportunities to practice skills, improve study habits and to share their learning with families to develop a positive disposition to learning. This includes a range of learning activities, specifically in Literacy and Numeracy, which are a continuation of class learning.

## Aims

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- To provide opportunities for students to refine skills
- To support Literacy and Numeracy development
- To engage families in their child's learning

## Roles and responsibilities

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Classroom teacher responsibility:

- Provide literacy and numeracy tasks linked to in class learning
- Provide homework according to suggested time allocations
- Acknowledge outside student commitments that may impact on completion of homework and make appropriate adjustments

Student responsibilities:

- Complete homework in agreed time frame
- Submit completed homework to teachers in identified format
- Communicate outside commitments that may impact on completion of home learning and negotiate time frames to complete task

Parent responsibilities:

- Monitor students working at home
- Provide support when required
- Listen to your child read and associated task (Early Years)
- Read with/to your child for enjoyment

## Time Allocation

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The following is suggested amount of time spent on home learning on any given night:

Reception	5-15 minutes
Year 1	10-20 minutes
Year 2	10-20 minutes
Year 3	15-30 minutes
Year 4	15-30 minutes
Year 5	20-40 minutes

Year 6	20-40 minutes
Year 7	20-40 minutes
Special Class	negotiated for each individual

## **Additional Homework Requests**

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Individual parent requests for additional homework tasks are to be negotiated with classroom teachers. Please note following:

- Additional homework provided is for practice and reflection
- It does not contribute to Assessment and Reporting
- Follow up is to be negotiated with teachers
- Teachers will clearly define maximum time frames for additional work.
- If any extra work is sought outside of these timeframes please refer to resources section for support

## **Resources**

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### **Apps**

Epic

Eggy words Reading Eggs

### **Websites**

<https://www.education.sa.gov.au/our-learning-sa>

<https://www.studyladder.com.au/>