

# **HOMEWORK POLICY**

**ST. MARY MACKILLOP PRIMARY SCHOOL  
KEILOR DOWNS**

**St Mary MacKillop School has a strong commitment to child safety as is  
through positive relationships, we  
aspire to protect all children under our care, prioritising their safety and**

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## **Guidelines:**

### **Grade Prep (10 minutes per day)**

Reading every night which may include independent reading, being read to or a shared reading with and by parents/guardians (*recorded in reading diary*).  
Practise maths skills.

### **Grade One and Two (15 minutes per day)**

Reading every night which may include independent reading, being read to or a shared reading with and by parents/guardians (recorded in reading diary).  
Practise maths skills.

### **Grade Three and Four (equivalent to 20 minutes per day)**

Daily reading (recorded in diaries and signed by parents).  
Practise maths skills

### **Grade Five and Six (equivalent to 30 minutes per day - to a maximum of 120 minutes per week)**

Daily reading (recorded in diaries and signed by parents).  
Practise maths skills

*Additional tasks may be set by the teacher where appropriate. If for any reason your child is unable to complete homework, please let the classroom teacher know.*

### ***Role of Teacher:***

Explain homework structure and expectations.  
Set and clarify homework tasks.  
Monitor homework and provide appropriate feedback.  
Differentiate homework for students where necessary.

### ***Role of Students:***

Take home any materials necessary to complete homework.  
Take responsibility for completing their homework and managing their time (3-6).  
Seek clarification from the teacher where necessary.

### ***Role of Parents/Guardian:***

Sign child's reading diary.  
Assist in providing an environment and routine that supports your child to complete homework tasks.