

Supporting Home Learning



Try to have a routine with times allocated for home learning- a timetable may help.



Try to have a quiet, allocated place for working.



Be positive – ask your child to surprise you, or tell him/her you can't wait to see what s/her does and tell your child you'll let his/her teacher know how well s/he's done.



Give your child the “whole picture” of what is expected in the task before starting.



Break the task into small “chunks” to focus on a step at a time.



Set a challenge; “see how much you get done by



Praise your child for getting started.



Praise effort and independence.



Encourage “brain breaks” –even a few seconds moving across the room to get a book etc. can improve concentration when s/he returns.



Let your child's teacher know about small steps of progress-we'll be so pleased to hear from you!



Share feedback with your child and celebrate even the smallest success.