

# KERR MACKIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

A "Good" school (Ofsted January 2018)

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## Parent Homework Questionnaire

**Please tick all the relevant boxes**

1) Which Key Stage group is your child in?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> EYFS (Nursery/Reception)    | <input type="checkbox"/> Lower Key Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Key Stage 1 (Years 1 and 2) | <input type="checkbox"/> Upper Key Stage 2 (Years 5 and 6) |

2) How important do you think homework is to your child's learning?

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Very important | <input type="checkbox"/> Some importance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Important      | <input type="checkbox"/> No importance   |

3) Do you think the amount of homework given each week is...?

- |                                   |                                      |                                     |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Too much | <input type="checkbox"/> About right | <input type="checkbox"/> Not enough |
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4) My child finds the level of homework

- |                                   |                                      |                                   |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Too hard | <input type="checkbox"/> About right | <input type="checkbox"/> Too easy |
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5) Are you able to support your child with their homework at home?

- |                              |                                    |                             |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
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6)

Homework focuses on Literacy and Mathematics and sometimes other parts of the curriculum. Which part of Literacy homework do you think helps your child's learning the most?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Reading | <input type="checkbox"/> Spelling | <input type="checkbox"/> Writing tasks |
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7) Which part of Mathematics homework do you think helps your child's learning the most?

- Learning number facts and times tables       Carrying out mathematical investigation
- Written calculation and other maths work

8) Overall, do you support homework being given out each week?

- Yes       No

9) If you answered yes to question 8, what do you think are the most important reasons for saying yes? *(Please tick all the relevant boxes)*

- It helps to develop independent working     It reinforces work begun in school
- It is good practice for a primary school     It raises children's attainment
- Parents are informed about school work     It prepares children for the future

10) If you answered no to question 8, what do you think are the most important reasons for saying no? *(Please tick all the relevant boxes)*

- Children have worked long enough       School work is different now
- Homework cuts into family time       Less time for other activities
- It can be a cause of friction/anxiety

'There is no change to the school's current overall effectiveness grade of GOOD, Ofsted January 2018.

The school is very clear about the challenges ahead and is determined to sustain and improve standards to enable all pupils to achieve their potential'

