

# **Policy for Presenting Children's Work**

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# Rationale

To agree a systematic approach for presenting children's work.

# Purpose

To promote consistency in presentation across the school when children record their work, encourage high standards and children's sense of pride in their work.

# Guidelines

- 1. Generally, children in KS1 will start by writing the short date eg 7.9.11. For some children the teacher will write the date or a date stamp will be used. By the end of KS1 most children will be able to write the date on all pieces of work.
- 2. Children in classes Y3 in KS2 will write the short date for all subjects.
- 3. Children in Y4/5/6 in KS2 will write the short date for Mathematics and Science and the long date for all English.
- 4. The date will be written on the left hand side of the page in the margin.
- 5. Below the date, every piece of work should include a learning objective written by the child or pre-printed.
- 6. Children in Y4/5/6 in KS2 will rule off the last piece of work if appropriate.
- 7. Children in Y4/5/6 in KS2 will write the title at the beginning of a piece of work after the date and learning objective and underline (if appropriate)
- 8. Doodling/scribbling inside and on the covers of exercise books is unsatisfactory and is not acceptable.
- 9. Where errors are made, rubbers or pen erasers may be used, or the child should put one line through a mistake.
- 10. Blue ink is used when writing with a pen (not biro).
- 11. In KS2, children with a pen permit should use them for all subjects except maths, sketching and diagrams.

### Conclusion

This policy will ensure consistent high standards of presentation of children's work.

### Review

This document will be subject to review in Autumn 2017 by staff and governors.