



HOME LEARNING GUIDE

Foundation – Year 9

LEARN

RESPECT

RESPONSIBLE

RESILIENT

Home learning is designed to reinforce and consolidate classroom learning through purposeful, manageable practice, supporting students to build confidence while maintaining a healthy balance of school, home, and wellbeing.

DAILY READING

Reading every day is the most powerful way to support your child's learning.

Your child can:

- Read independently
- Read with you (take turns)
- Be read to by you

What this might look like:

- Ask your child questions about what they read
- Talk about characters, events, or new vocabulary

DAILY MATHS

Short, regular maths practice is an effective way to build your child's confidence and fluency.

Your child can:

- Practise number facts (e.g. counting, addition, times tables)
- Play maths games (cards, dice, or board games)
- Complete a short maths task (paper-based or digital)

What this might look like:

- Spend 5–10 minutes practising a focus skill
- Repeat the same skill across the week to build confidence
- Talk about how they worked something out
- Apply maths in real-life situations (e.g. shopping, cooking)

COMPLETING LEARNING

If your child has not finished classwork in any subject, they may be asked to complete it at home.

This helps to:

- Build responsibility
- Reinforces classroom learning
- Supports readiness for future lessons

REVISING LEARNING

Revision for all subjects helps students remember and strengthen what they have already learnt.

What this might look like:

- Review school materials (workbooks & notes)
- Practise times tables or number facts
- Review spelling word lists
- Re-read and improve their writing

LEARNING CONVERSATIONS

Talking about learning is a powerful way to support your child's understanding and build confidence.

What this might look like:

- Ask your child about their day: "What did you learn today?"
- Encourage them to explain their thinking: "How did you work that out?"
- Ask them to teach you something they learned
- Talk through challenges: "What did you find tricky?"
- Celebrate effort and progress

This helps to:

- Strengthen their understanding
- Build confidence in explaining their thinking
- Develop a positive attitude towards learning

SETTING UP A LEARNING SPACE AT HOME

A small, consistent space at home can make a significant difference.

Helpful features:

- A quiet area with minimal distractions
- A table or desk space
- Good lighting
- Basic materials (pencils and paper)

Helpful routines:

- Set a consistent time each day (e.g. after school or after dinner)
- Short, focused sessions (no longer than 30 minutes)

ONLINE EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES: Truganina College offers students access to the following online subscriptions to support home learning: **Mathletics** & **Epic!** These are provided on a user-pays basis. For more information, please contact Truganina College on 9368 9800.

For further information to support your child's home learning, please refer to our Year Level Learning Overviews.



Families of students in Year 7–9 are encouraged to view the additional home learning communication.