***Garrydoolis N.S. Homework Survey for Parents, September 2019***

**Which child is your class in? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

*Please ring/ highlight answers.*

1. **Do you believe that homework is an important part of school life?**

Yes No

1. **Homework is an important part of school life because...**

It reinforces work begun in school.

It raises children’s attainment.

It keeps parents informed about their child’s progress.

It helps develop independence in working.

Other... Please specify. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Homework is not an important part of primary school life because...**

Children spend long enough in school and do not need to work at home.

Homework cuts into family life at home.

Homework can cause friction and anxiety at home.

As a parent, I have difficulty helping my child as homework is now done differently than in my time.

Other... Please specify.

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1. **The amount of time which my child spends on homework is...**

Too little Just right Too much

1. **Which of the following do you do every night?**

Listen to my child’s reading.

Help my child to practice spellings.

Help my child consolidate number facts/ tables.

Support my child’s project work.

Sign my child’s homework sheet/ homework diary.

1. **What is your child’s attitude towards homework?**

Very Positive Positive Neutral Negative Very Negative

1. **What is your attitude as a parent towards homework?**

Very positive Positive Neutral Negative Very Negative

1. **How often does your child need help with homework?**

Never Sometimes Often Always

1. **Does homework cause tension or anxiety at home?**

Never Sometimes Often Always

*Thank you for completing our survey!*