

FOURTH GRADE

HOMework POLICY

Dear Parents,

We believe homework is important because it is a valuable aid in helping students make the most of their experience in school. Homework is given because:

- It is useful in reinforcing what has been learned in class.
- It prepares students for upcoming lessons.
- It extends and generalizes concepts.
- It teaches responsibility.
- It helps students develop positive study habits.

Homework should take children no more than one hour to complete each evening as stated in the policy handbook. In addition, students should also read daily.

The homework policy is as follows:

1. Homework completed and turned in by 8:50 AM will receive a checkmark.
2. Homework that is not completed carefully/neatly or is incomplete will receive a minus.
3. A note in the agenda or a homework notice will be sent home advising the parent of the missed assignment when homework is incomplete or not done carefully.
4. After 3 missed assignments in one subject, a Homework Notice will be sent home.
5. For each incomplete assignment after the 3rd, the student's quarterly grade will be reduced by one percentage point.

Students are responsible for any homework assignments missed because of absence. Assignments should be completed and turned in according to the elementary homework policy stated in the handbook.

Homework is an important learning tool. Please work with your child to set up a daily homework time and a quiet homework environment.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Mr. Brian Luckenbill