

Homework Policy for the 7th Grade Team

Homework Philosophy

As a team, we feel that homework, like life, has to be a continuing process of step by step learning. Without this continuum, learning is stifled.

Use of vocabulary, content, and procedures on a daily basis allows students to apply their newly gained skill to real life situations.

If both student and parents view homework as an integral part of education, there is no limit on what that child can achieve.

Through a careful weaving of homework, notes, class activities and vocabulary building, students will be empowered to achieve their best.

Homework Policy

Homework will be given, completed, and graded. If the student is absent, it is their responsibility to contact each teacher for make-up work and to make sure that all work is turned in as per school handbook policy.

Late work will be accepted the day after it is due for half credit. After that the grade will be a zero, unless prior arrangements have been made.

Homework is approximately a third of the total grade.

Consequences for not doing homework

A natural consequence of not doing homework on time is a lower grade. Students who repeatedly have difficulty following the homework policy on a regular basis will be subject to teacher/administration/parent guidelines.

Incentive

Class wide "No Zeros" reward each quarter.