

R 2330 HOMEWORK ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

- A. The Purposes of Homework are to:
1. Prompt exploration;
 2. Provide the opportunity to engage in creative thinking;
 3. Reinforce learning of skills and/or knowledge;
 4. Allow for reflection, provide timely feedback, and
 5. Preview learning.
- B. When teachers assign homework to students, they will make the purpose of the assignment clear.
- C. All homework assignments are expected to address the diverse learning abilities of each student.
- D. The primary method of resolving disputes over homework should be direct discussion with the teacher.
- E. Electronic communications from teachers to students about homework are permissible as a system or a reminder about assignments. However, they may not replace classroom communication about homework assignments. Students may submit or upload homework electronically in the manner specified by the teacher, unless the teacher announces in advance, that a particular assignment is not amenable to electronic transmission. Student submissions should be in accordance with the manner specified by the teacher.
- F. Teachers will make reasonable accommodations for religious holidays and family emergencies.
- G. Ongoing, Long Term, and Summer Assignments:
- Elementary
1. In addition to assigned homework, students are expected to engage in daily reading.



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2. Teachers may provide suggestions to families about helpful activities during the summer break to reinforce learning, strengthen critical skills, and/or prepare for the coming school year.

Middle and high school

Summer assignments can be valuable to help students maintain skills acquired throughout the school year. Mandatory summer assignments must be approved by the department supervisor.

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