

Homework Policy

Dear Parents and Students,

We all want students to be successful in school and part of this means completing homework in a timely and accurate manner. Homework will not be assigned just for the sake of doing work at home, but rather as a way of completing the goals and standards set forth by the Diocese. My goal is to create a sense of responsibility in the students, so they perform to the best of their ability.

Student Responsibilities

I expect students to do their best job on their homework. I expect homework to be neat and not sloppy. I expect students to do their own work and only ask for help after they have made their best effort. I expect all homework and class work to be turned in on time. Please take the time to have your child review their assignment folders and planners with you every evening.

What if homework is NOT completed?

If students choose not to do their homework, they are also choosing to lose certain privileges. The student may lose a variety of privileges such as recess, special activities, or free choice period. This time will be used to make up the missing assignment(s). If there is a reason why the work could not be completed on time, please send a hand-written note to the teacher on the day it is due, and the student will receive a one-day extension. This note must be signed by the parent/guardian. Absent work does not apply. Chronically late work may affect your child's success and grade.

Parent's homework responsibilities

Parents are key to making homework a positive experience for their children. Therefore, I ask that parents make homework a top priority by providing necessary supplies, a quiet place to work, a set homework time, and praise for working hard. Please do not let students avoid the work that is necessary for their success. Also, parents are asked to sign certain assignments and student's planners/folders to help enhance communication and understanding between home and school.

Teacher's homework responsibilities

All homework will be checked, graded and provided with feedback. I will be available to the student to clarify the instructions and goals of the assignments. I will work to the best of my ability to nurture and strengthen your child's academic skills.

Please read and discuss this policy with your child and anyone involved in his/her academic career. Then sign and return the bottom portion of this letter to Mrs. G, and keep the top half for your refrigerator!

God Bless,

Mrs. Gilbertson

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Student Signature

Parent Signature