

Series 600 – Educational Program

Policy Title: HOMEWORK

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It shall be the policy of the school district to support the assigning of homework at the teacher's discretion. Homework consists of those extra-class activities and assignments which may properly be considered as extensions and enrichment of the regular classroom instructional program. The purposes of carefully assigned homework should be: practice in research and exploratory activities; sharing and discussing ideas, reviewing and summarizing materials studied, becoming acquainted with the libraries and other sources of reference material, organizing student's thoughts and thinking processes in preparation for classroom activities, and making up incomplete course or subject assignments.

Homework is an opportunity for students to demonstrate personal responsibility and self-discipline. Homework should be assigned and used in a manner that promotes these values.

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