

Bud Rank's Homework Policy

- Homework is defined as written or non-written tasks that are assigned by teachers to be completed by students outside of the classroom.
- The purpose of homework is to practice newly taught skills, review previously taught skills, review previously mastered skills, develop independent study habits, or to extend and enrich the curriculum.
- Homework should be related to the curriculum of the school.
- Homework should not be used as a behavior management tool or as a form of punishment.
- Homework should not be done by parents.
- Homework may be given four nights a week and will not be assigned on weekends.
- Reading assignments are to be incorporated into time allotments at each grade level, but voluntary reading beyond homework guidelines is encouraged.

Nightly homework will be:

Transitional Kindergarten- 10 minutes

Kindergarten- 10 minutes

1st grade -15 minutes

2nd grade- 20 minutes

3rd grade - 30 minutes

4th - 40 minutes

5th grade- 50 minutes

6th grade- 60 minutes

Since homework is essential to learning, the following Homework Policy Guidelines will be enforced quarterly:

Grades 1-2

- Students will complete missed homework in lieu of Enrichment Friday in 1st Grade or Morning Recess in 2nd.
- Students will lose a Raven Code Point after three missing assignments and for every missing assignment thereafter.
- No Correct & Returns are accepted.

Grade 3

- Students will receive no higher than a B for homework turned in after the due date
- Students will lose a Raven Code Point after two missing assignments and for every missing assignment thereafter.
- No Correct & Returns are accepted for homework.
- 2nd Semester: No Code Warnings for missing assignments

Grades 4-6

Missing or Incomplete Assignments:

- For every missed assignment students will be assigned Lunch Lab and for missing assignment thereafter.
- Third missing assignment will result in a loss of a Raven Code Point and for every missing assignment thereafter.
- Fifth missing assignment will result a Code of Ethics Review for Athletics, Cheer, Drama, and/or any other Co-Curricular Activity.
- Seventh missing assignment will result in an Office Referral and Athletic Board Meeting (if applicable) and for every missing assignment thereafter.
- Correct & Returns:
 - 4th Grade- Teacher discretion- See Teacher
 - 5th Grade- Tests and assignments with grades less than 70% can be redone for a grade of no more than 70%.
 - 6th Grade- Assignments with grades less than 70% can be corrected for a grade of no more than 70%.

Absences & Homework

Requests

Homework must be requested to the BR office by 10:00AM. Homework may be picked up in the office after 3:25PM on the day of the absence.

****Students with a missing backpack with all HW = 1 missing assignment**

****Students start fresh every semester**