

HOMEWORK

The Nye County School District Board of Trustees believes that homework is considered to be a legitimate extension of meaningful classroom activity to help the student to develop responsibility and independent study skills and, therefore, plays an important role in the learning process. The Trustees maintain that the purpose of homework is to reinforce, enrich, and/or extend the concepts which are taught in the classroom. Homework should purposefully employ all students' cognitive abilities and skills. Homework will be regularly assigned to place appropriate demands on each student based on grade level, subject area and ability.

Because parents/**legal guardians** are instrumental in encouraging good homework habits and establishing an atmosphere conducive to study, all teachers and administrators must solicit and encourage parental/**legal guardian** cooperation. This will be accomplished through consistent and meaningful home/classroom communication.

Each building will publish the written set of guidelines for their respective educational level (primary, intermediate, middle and secondary) that will clearly indicate to students, parents/**legal guardians** and staff the procedures and practices that will be followed in assigning, completing, submitting, reviewing, evaluating and returning all assigned homework. The building administrator is responsible for seeing that these guidelines are implemented.

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