

HOMework

Homework is to provide additional practice for lessons already taught in class. Students will not be penalized for not returning homework and homework is not a part of student grades.

Unfinished classwork that has been assigned for a daily grade can be sent home for completion. This work should be completed by the student and returned the following school day.

LATE WORK

Late work is defined as any assignment that is not turned in at the announced due date and time.

- All late work for the 9-weeks is due by the end of the grading period.
- Work not submitted by the due date, will be entered as “missing” and as a “0” in grading system
- Work that is not submitted by the end of the grading period will remain a “0”.
- Assignments submitted past the due date (within the 9 weeks) will not lose points.

MAKE-UP WORK

- Make-up work for absences will be eligible for full credit.
- The teacher may exempt a student from some assignments if doing so will not negatively impact the student’s ability to master the content or unfairly bias his/her grade.
- Make-up work and tests for all absences should be of the same rigor, but not necessarily the same format, as the original activity, assignment, or test.

RETEACHING & RETESTING

- Reteaching must take place prior to retesting.
- A maximum grade of 70% will be recorded when re-doing, re-testing and/or re-assessing for any failed grade.

GRADES & WEIGHTS

Major - Summative (Examples: tests, cumulative projects, essays, etc.)			
Minor - Formative (Examples: classwork, exit tickets, quizzes, journals, etc.)			
ELAR 2nd - 5th Grade	Math 2nd - 5th Grade	Science 2nd - 5th Grade	Social Studies 2nd - 5th Grade
<i>Major</i> minimum of 2 (30%)	<i>Major</i> minimum of 2 (30%)	<i>Major</i> minimum of 2 (30%)	<i>Major</i> minimum of 2 (30%)
<i>Minor</i> minimum of 8 (70%)	<i>Minor</i> minimum of 8 (70%)	<i>Minor</i> minimum of 6 (70%)	<i>Minor</i> minimum of 6 (70%)

- Grades should be updated weekly.
- Spelling tests should not be more than two ELAR grades per grading period



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