

September 21, 2007

Dear Parents:

Homework is a very important part of our class discussion and learning. It is used to reinforce concepts taught in class, practice, and enrich what has been learned in the classroom. The goal of practice is for students to master what was learned that day in the classroom. We do not expect parents to teach content that is for homework but instead facilitate the homework completion. That is why the homework should be completed to the best of the child's ability and returned on the appropriate day. Homework left at home or lost is considered incomplete.

We recognize that there will be times that students do not complete homework for various reasons. This is why each student is given two detention passes each six weeks which allows the student an extra night to complete the homework and bring it in completed to the best of his/her ability. After the two detention passes have been used, a detention will be assigned. If a student earns another detention during the six weeks, then P.E., recess, lunch, and/or after school detentions will be assigned.

The daily use of the homework sheet allows communication between both the home and the school. Parents are strongly encouraged to sign this form daily and communicate concerns and questions.

Yellow (Wildcat) folders have been provided for students to place their homework and homework sheet. Each day the homework assignment is written on the board. Students are instructed to copy the homework assignment exactly as it appears. Students will not be allowed to call home when this folder along with the assignment has been left at home.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Ashleigh Davis and Cindy Knobles

Parent Signature: _____