

Home Learning Policy

PRINCIPLES

Churnet View Middle School has, as its primary aim, outstanding pupil learning. One key part of the development of is learning that happens beyond the classroom.

One way in which schools can help students to continue their learning when not in school is to set home learning. Home learning is effective when it its objectives are clear, the time allowed for the completion of home learning is appropriate and the home learning prepares for, develops, extends or consolidates learning. Home learning can be an aid to the development of independence.

THEREFORE, LEARNERS ARE ENTITLED TO EXPECT:

- Home learning to be appropriately relevant with clear objectives
- For home learning to take an amount of time appropriate for the age of learner or stage of learning
- For the teacher to respond to home learning in an appropriate amount of time
- For teachers to follow up with parents where home learning is not done appropriately

TO SUPPORT THIS, WE EXPECT LEARNERS TO:

- Organise their home learning using a school planner
- Do home learning within the timeframe agreed with the teacher
- Put appropriate effort into home learning to ensure good learning

IN FURTHER SUPPORT OF THIS WE EXPECT PARENTS AND CARERS TO:

- Be interested in home learning
- Encourage good home learning habits
- Support the school when there are issues with the non-completion of home learning
- Communicate with the school when there are questions or concerns
- Sign the school planner weekly to confirm that they have checked home learning
- Provide a peaceful and comfortable place for home learning to be undertaken

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