



McDonald Park School

HOMework POLICY

We acknowledge that children engage in many activities out of class which continue and enhance their learning. In order to recognise the importance of this learning, we have developed a set of principles as a guide for negotiating homework.

Principles for homework

There needs to be a balance of social life and work.

Strong partnerships between home and school enhance student learning.

Organization is a key to success.

Taking responsibility for one's own learning is fundamental to life-long learning.

Learning occurs in all aspects of life.

Aspects of learning need regular practice for consolidation.

Optimum learning occurs when experiences are relevant and have purpose.

Learning activities need to take into account different learning styles.

Learning activities need to be socially inclusive.