



# HAMPDEN CHARTER SCHOOL OF SCIENCE

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## HOMEWORK POLICY

Homework is an essential component of the successful educational program at HCSS and contributes to our students' regular evaluations. Doing homework helps develop many valuable skills, including good study habits and time management, responsibility and perseverance. Teachers assign homework that fosters individual learning and growth which is appropriate for the subject area.

Homework is part of all students' regular evaluations. It is the student's responsibility to complete and submit homework on time. In the event of questions regarding the submission of homework, the teacher's record is final. If a student or parent/guardian has a question about homework, contact the teacher. HCSS teacher contact information is available on our website.

1. Students who submit homework completed according to expectations and on time will be eligible for full credit.
2. Students who fail to submit homework on the due date will receive zero (0) for the assignment.
3. Late submissions of homework will be accepted for partial credit of up to 70% with no DPS points. The last day to submit late homework is the first school day of the following week.
4. Students who fail to submit late homework by the first school day of the following week will receive a permanent zero (0) for each missing assignment as well as five (5) discipline points for each course with any missing assignments.

We will continue to refine our practice of using experience, knowledge, and data to make our instructional decisions. All of these will ensure that we are engaging in excellence for everyone, every day. We look forward to continuing our collaborative effort in our student's successful educational experience.

Thank you for your continued support. Please let me know if you have any questions.

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