

Kenton Homework Policy by Grade Level

DLC Team

Homework Assigned packets sent home, must be completed and received within 4 school days.

Incomplete classroom assignments that will become homework, must be completed and returned the next school day.

Parents can assist and support their child to complete the homework as it is often review, practice areas of need.

Kindergarten

Kindergarten homework packets will be sent home on Mondays in their Green Homework Folder. The homework packet is due back to class on Friday (or the last school day of the week). Students turning in homework will receive an incentive aligned with their classroom's positive behavior management plan.

1st Grade

1st grade sends home a weekly homework packet on Mondays that needs to be returned on Fridays. It has spelling words, a reading log, 2 math pages, and a writing page. They need to be reading each night and have the log initialed by a parent. The spelling words are the words they will be tested on Friday morning. If they do not pass their spelling test they will get the same words the following week to continue practicing.

2nd Grade

This year, second graders will be expected to read each night and return a reading log with a guardian's signature to school each morning. This communication will transition between home and school via the student's Home Folder and will include the color of the student's clip at the end of the day, as well as a sentence written by the learner about their day at school.

Students will also be expected to practice a list of spelling words that they will be tested on at the end of the week and complete math work on a needs basis.

As a grade level, we have sent home account information for the following educational websites that can supplement these assignments: spellingcity, xtramath, and razkids. Lastly, parents are able to access their student's behavior accomplishments on the website clasdojo.com.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please don't hesitate to ask.

3rd Grade

- Weekly spelling words
- 30 min per day reading at home
- Math worksheets approx. 2 per week
- Starting in December practicing multiplication facts at home

4th Grade

We are sending home weekly homework packets. The expectation is that they will read 30+ minutes a night. In the packets there will be spelling, math, and writing worksheets.

We all expect 25-45 minutes of reading a night, and 2-3 pages of math homework 2-3X a week. There are no punishments involved but lots of positive rewards (classroom dollars, star cards, verbal).

5th grade

Mrs. Brights:

- Daily multiplication fact practice, 0-12, read for 30-40 minutes nightly except weekends, spelling, and occasional writing.

Mr. Burt:

Students read for 30 min a night and respond in a reading log that has been provided to them. They also have spelling work to do at nights and then if they don't finish their math work in school they have that to do at home as well.

Weekends are homework-free because I want kids to still enjoy being kids. However, if they can't finish their work during class on Friday they will have homework over the weekend.

Van Sicklen:

My homework expectations are to read every night for 20 minutes and students will have math homework 2-3x per week. I don't have a punitive system in place, but rather reward students who complete the homework through my monetary behavior system.

Mitchell:

One week of homework is laid out by the Friday before and sent home with students. It usually is 1-2 pages of math and to complete 45 minutes of reading throughout the day (including in school). If homework is not done they do it outside during recess then may play the remainder of the recess.