



The following guidelines shall govern the assignment of homework:

1. The amount of homework assigned shall be determined by curricular needs and should be appropriate to the developmental/grade level of the student.
2. Homework shall not be given or increased for disciplinary purposes. It should never be construed as busy work but should be constructive and, when completed, checked and returned to the student in a timely manner.
3. Homework shall be carefully planned to meet the needs of all students.
4. Homework shall be assigned only when it has a purpose; it should supplement, extend, and enrich the school program.
5. Homework shall be geared to provide the student an opportunity to develop proper independent study habits.
6. Ample class time shall be devoted to introducing and discussing a homework assignment.
7. Homework which might be heavy in terms of content and/or lengthy in terms of required time shall be given well in advance of the due date so that students also will have time to complete assignments given by other instructors.
8. Homework shall not require the use of books or materials unavailable to Pine Grove Area Students.

References:

State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 12.2