## 3203 Homework Policy

- 1. Homework Philosophy
  - a. Homework is an important component to student learning at Maeser. Homework primarily serves to:
    - i. Reinforce classroom instruction
    - ii. Solidify concepts through repetition
    - iii. Prepare students for classroom discussions and instruction
  - b. Completion of homework does not guarantee a certain academic grade.
  - c. It is the student's and parent's responsibility to check PowerSchool to see if there are missing assignments.
  - d. It is the student's and parent's responsibility to proactively communicate with the teacher if there are questions or concerns about homework instructions, concepts, or due dates.
- 2. Due Date
  - a. All assignments are due on the due date assigned by the teacher.
- 3. Late Work
  - a. Late Work can be turned in up to one day late for no less than 75% credit.
- 4. Absences
  - Students who have an excused absence from school are given a grace period of one school day for each day absent to turn in the assignment for full credit. (See 3201 Attendance and Tardy Policy)
    - i. Vacations are exempt from this provision; i.e., students should be prepared to submit any missed work upon their return to class.
  - b. Assignments not turned in within the allotted grace period constitute Late Work.
- 5. Online assignments
  - a. Online assignments are due by 11:59 p.m. on the assigned day.
  - b. Online assignments that are due on Friday are due by 1:00 p.m.
- 6. Special Circumstances
  - a. In the event of absences due to extenuating circumstances (e.g., extended illness, bereavement, etc.), it is the student's and parent's combined responsibility to communicate with teachers to agree upon any necessary accommodations or adjustments.

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