Homework Tips **for Students**

To succeed in school, you need to get your homework done correctly and on time. Using the following tips will help you make the most of your study time and get better grades.

Create a study plan

Before you begin studying, decide exactly what you want to get done and the order in which you're going to do it. Be specific, and start with the things that are the most important.

Have a good place to study

Your study area should be quiet, comfortable, well-lit, and have a surface for writing. Equip your study area with the supplies you need.

Avoid procrastination

Procrastinating wastes time and energy. If you have a hard time getting started on your studying, begin with something you can finish quickly or with a subject you like.

Break tasks into manageable chunks

Break down large assignments or projects into smaller, manageable tasks. Focus on completing one task at a time to avoid feeling overwhelmed.

Change it up

Alternate types of work. For example: 1) read short story; 2) do math problems; 3) read history.

With lots of homework, you need good time-management skills. Check out this short video to learn more.

VIDEO

Use a planner

Use a planner to keep track of your assignments, deadlines, and upcoming tests. Check off tasks as you complete them.

Focus on your work

Silence your phone and eliminate distractions. If needed, use app and website blockers to limit distractions while you're working.

Take breaks

After studying for 30 minutes, take a short break. Get up and stretch or get a snack. Resist the temptation to text a friend or go online. Save those things for later.

Reward yourself

Use rewards to encourage yourself to get your studying done. For example, you could reward yourself with phone, TV, or video game time once you finish your homework.

Stay positive and persistent

Maintain a positive mindset and approach your homework with enthusiasm. Be persistent in your efforts and keep pushing forward, even when facing challenges.

Review and revise

Set aside time to review your completed assignments. Check for errors, make necessary revisions, and use feedback from peers and teachers to improve your future work.

Ask for help if needed

If you're struggling with a particular assignment, don't hesitate to ask for help from a parent, teacher, classmate, or tutor. Understanding the material is crucial for completing homework well.