



# Homework Policy

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**Governors' Committee Responsible:**

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**Status & Review Cycle:**

**Next Review Date:**

Curriculum & Progress Committee

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### **Fullbrook believes:**

We must provide students with regular opportunities to aid their own progress while outside the classroom.

We must embed learning outside the classroom as routine.

We must facilitate student responsibility and ownership to develop the independence required for success in and beyond secondary school.

Students at Fullbrook receive homework every lesson, every day, except in subjects where this is not appropriate, such as Core PE and PSHE. The purpose of all homework tasks should align with one or more of the following:

- to review and practice knowledge and skills acquired in class
- to encourage more in-depth exploration of topics introduced in class
- to apply skills they've learned in class to new situations
- to prepare for future classes
- to develop student self-discipline and personal organisation
- to encourage independent study

### **Teachers must:**

1. Set purposeful and relevant tasks on class charts
2. Set clear and precise expectations
3. Acknowledge completion of all homework and house points recorded as appropriate – consequence of missing homework is a homework infringement. 5 infringements lead to a 2-hour detention.
4. Address misconceptions
5. 20 minutes homework length for KS3 and KS4 with additional work as directed around examinations. KS5 expectations are greater in terms of quantity, and this will be left to the discretion of the teacher. At the start of the year, in the 6<sup>th</sup> form, subjects should inform students which days homework will be set so F6 students can plan their workload effectively.