

Kuwait National English School Homework Policy

Kuwait National English School believes that homework is an important aspect of a child's education. We believe it encourages children to realise that learning can take place outside the classroom as well as promoting independent learning thus encouraging the child to take great responsibility for their personal progress. Homework allows parents, carers and the school, to work in partnership for the benefit of their child.

Expectations and Responsibilities

Teachers

All Primary and Secondary teachers are expected to provide homework, either written or practical tasks, to pupils on a daily basis depending on how subjects are timetabled during the week. The length of homework depends on the age/stage of education of the pupil. Teachers need to make sure that pupils have recorded all homework in their Pupil Planners/Homework Diaries. The Pupil Planner/Homework diary must be signed by the teacher on a weekly basis. Teachers must ensure that the homework is corrected immediately, providing pupils with adequate and appropriate feedback through praise and encouragement thereby enabling them to learn from their mistakes. Should a child not complete his/her homework timeously, it is the duty of the class/subject teacher to inform the parents via the pupil planners/diaries.

Pupils

Pupils are expected to record all homework in their Pupil Planners/Homework Diaries and complete the homework set to the highest standard. It is also their responsibility to ensure that their Pupil Planners/Homework Diaries are signed by their parents and that they hand in their homework on the respective due dates.

Parents

It is the responsibility of parents to make it clear to their children that they value homework and support the school in explaining to them how it can help raise attainment. They must also ensure that their children have completed their homework, sign their homework diaries and ensure it is returned to school the next morning.