

SCHOOL BASED DECISION MAKING
Policy Format

School: duPont Manual High School

Subject of Policy: Homework

Policy Statement

Homework can help students to build responsibility, self-discipline, and life-long learning practices. Therefore, DuPont Manual High School/YPAS supports staff assignment of relevant, challenging, and meaningful assignments that reinforce learning objectives. These assignments may include unfinished assignments, independent work, and/or creative assignments, all of which allow students to practice and review classroom lessons, preview upcoming topics, and/or extend learning. Teachers will use homework as a means to evaluate learning and will provide students with written or verbal feedback that will help them to improve academically. Actual homework completion time will vary depending on student habits, accommodations, differing needs, and/or class load. Teachers should refrain from assigning homework during breaks (i.e., Holiday break, Spring break, Memorial Day, Labor Day etc.). Long-term projects should be considered in homework workload. Additional time may be necessary to complete requirements for AP and magnet specific classes.

Date of First Reading: _____

Date of Second Reading: _____

Date Adopted: Revised 4/1/2015 _____

Signature: _____

(SBDM Council Chairperson)