SOUTHERN FULTON SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: HOMEWORK

ADOPTED:

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	130. HOMEWORK
1. Purpose	Homework assignments should complement the school instruction. The assignments should develop student responsibility, good study habits, and organizational skills. Homework is an important aspect of a child's education, and it is hoped that the parent/guardian will not only encourage their children to complete assignments, but provide a time and place suitable for them to work. Homework has these important objectives: 1. To reinforce concepts and skills taught in the classroom. 2. To develop thinking and study skills. 3. To promote student responsibility, initiative and self-direction. 4. To enlighten parents/guardians as to course content and teacher expectation.
2. Guidelines Title 22 Sec. 12.2	Each student shall be responsible for completing homework assignments as directed. The amount and frequency of homework shall be determined at the discretion of the teacher, taking into consideration the ability and level of the student, the materials presented in class, and the overall workload of the student. Parents/Guardians are encouraged to contact their child's teacher with any concerns they may have. Homework will not be assigned as a form of punishment. References: State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 12.2