

Homework Policy

Brownhills Ormiston Academy



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At Brownhills Ormiston Academy we believe that **regular, meaningful and challenging** homework helps students to develop the knowledge and understanding they will need for successful lifelong learning. We believe that homework encourages self organisation and self discipline; reinforces, broadens and extends the curriculum, and helps develop revision and wider reading skills.

Principles and procedures

The Teacher

In KS3 core homework should be set on a **weekly basis**, designed to take no more than 25 minutes for to complete and 20 minutes for non core. This should be **revision based**, where this knowledge is then **reviewed through low stakes quizzing and testing in certain circumstances in the proceeding week's lesson.**

In KS4 homework should be set on a **weekly basis**, designed to take no more than 40 minutes for core to complete and 30 minutes for non core. This should be **revision based**, where this knowledge is then **reviewed through low stakes quizzing and testing in certain circumstances in the proceeding week's lesson.**

Students must be given a minimum of one week to complete task to support time management of several subjects.

The student

Students must ensure homework is completed each week ready for testing KS3/4 students should log homework details in their planner

Students should speak to their form tutor or class teacher if they have any difficulties in completing homework

The Parent / Carer

Parents / carers should check that all homework is completed in conditions conducive to learning

Parents / carers should support with the completion of their child's homework as appropriate

