

SOUTHWEST MIAMI HIGH SCHOOL Homework Plan

I. **Eagles Expectations:**

- Recommended allotted time for homework for grades 9-12 is 120 minutes
- AP/Dual Enrollment course study time may vary in length due to rigor/curriculum preparation
- Homework should be a reflection/extension of material covered in class or for test preparation
- Students are expected to demonstrate integrity in all of their academic endeavors, including homework
- Students should read independently for 30 minutes each night

II. **Eagles Monitor Homework:**

- Assign homework when necessary to reinforce the concepts learned
- Departments/Individual teachers will use professional judgment /discretion as it relates to the instructional needs of the students (i.e. remediation, test preparation)
- Develop homework schedule (i.e. clear syllabus work in Advanced Academic courses)
- Consistent weekly or monthly dates for assignments and/or projects
- Homework will be reviewed, and feedback will be given in a timely manner

III. **Eagles Connect to Parents:**

- Back to School Night
- Student Orientations
- Individual Teacher Course Webpages
- Email
- Program Contracts (Work Experience, .NET Academy & Business + Finance Magnet Programs)
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Online forums such as Edmodo and Remind 101(APP)

IV. **Eagles Support:**

- Provide support for students via afterschool and Saturday tutoring in Reading, Math, Biology, US History, AP/Dual Enrollment, ACT/SAT Prep.

V. **Eagle Resources:**

- Online Programs: Edmodo, Student and Parent Portal, Individual Teacher Website, School Website
- Support Resources: Khan Academy, study guides, test prep skills