HAMBURG AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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SECTION: PROGRAMS TITLE: HOMEWORK ADOPTED: March 9, 2015 REVISED:

	130. HOMEWORK
1. Purpose	Homework should be assigned in such a way as to ensure student growth, and to reinforce, supplement, and complement learning taking place in the classroom.
2. Guidelines Title 22 Sec. 12.2	Each student shall be responsible for completing homework assignments as directed.
	Homework shall complement classroom instruction and be planned and evaluated with respect to its purpose, appropriateness, and completion time.
	The demand of homework upon the students' time shall be consistent with the best interests of the students in regards to other valuable experiences to be gained outside of school.
	Homework shall not be assigned as a form of punishment.
3. Delegation of Responsibility	In conjunction with teachers, administrators, parents/guardians, and students, the Superintendent shall develop guidelines for student homework that shall apply throughout the district. Notification regarding these guidelines should be disseminated to parents/guardians and students on an annual basis.
	In addition to these district-wide guidelines, teachers shall develop and distribute their homework procedures, in writing, to students, parents/guardians, and the principal at the beginning of each school year or course. Such procedures shall include:
	1. Frequency of homework.
	2. Collection procedures.
	3. Evaluation procedures.
	4. Guidelines for late or deficient assignments.

5. Any special notes to parents/guardians to assist them in providing help and guidance to their children at home.
References: State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 12.2