



## **Homework PROCEDURE**

### **RATIONALE**

- While homework is an essential part of the home-school relationship, SWIS recognises the value of extra-curricula activities as a vital component of happy and healthy students.

### **OBJECTIVES**

- To encourage regular reading for pleasure and information outside of school.
- To reinforce the value of timelines and deadlines.
- To improve basic facts and spelling retention through regular practice at home.
- To foster a home-school relationship.

### **EXPECTATIONS**

- All students will read for at least 20 minutes per evening
- All students will practice spelling and basic facts for at least 10 minutes per evening in accordance with the needs as discussed in the goal setting meeting between teacher, student and parent
- All students will complete work that has been set and taught, but not completed during class time as per teacher's instructions.
- Teachers will not set homework outside of the above parameters.
- Teachers will not set homework that is new learning, ie, that has not already been taught or is being supported in class.

**Review Responsibility:** *Curriculum and Student Achievement team*

**Date Confirmed:** .....

**Principal:** .....

