



Oradell
Public School

Homework Survey Results

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Oradell Public School - Parent Homework Survey



260

Total Responses

Complete Responses: 260

Q1: What grade is your child currently in?

Answered: 260 Skipped: 0

	Kindergarten	First Grade	Second Grade	Third Grade	Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade	Sixth Grade	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	100.00% 25	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	9.62% 25
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 35	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.46% 35
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 30	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	11.54% 30
Q1: Third Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 50	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	19.23% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 36	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.85% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 42	0.00% 0	16.15% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 42	16.15% 42
Total Respondents	25	35	30	50	36	42	42	260

Q2: The amount of homework assigned this year is:

Answered: 259 Skipped: 1

	Too much	Just right	Too little	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	0.00% 0	68.00% 17	32.00% 8	9.65% 25
Q1: First Grade	11.43% 4	77.14% 27	11.43% 4	13.51% 35
Q1: Second Grade	13.33% 4	73.33% 22	13.33% 4	11.58% 30
Q1: Third Grade	12.00% 6	74.00% 37	14.00% 7	19.31% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	11.11% 4	61.11% 22	27.78% 10	13.90% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	64.29% 27	35.71% 15	0.00% 0	16.22% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	29.27% 12	58.54% 24	12.20% 5	15.83% 41
Total Respondents	57	164	38	259

Q3: The quality of homework assigned by the school is:

Answered: 256 Skipped: 4

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	30.43% 7	60.87% 14	0.00% 0	8.70% 2	8.98% 23
Q1: First Grade	8.57% 3	60.00% 21	25.71% 9	5.71% 2	13.67% 35
Q1: Second Grade	6.67% 2	70.00% 21	20.00% 6	3.33% 1	11.72% 30
Q1: Third Grade	4.00% 2	48.00% 24	46.00% 23	2.00% 1	19.53% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	5.56% 2	63.89% 23	30.56% 11	0.00% 0	14.06% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	7.32% 3	60.98% 25	29.27% 12	2.44% 1	16.02% 41
Q1: Sixth Grade	7.32% 3	78.05% 32	14.63% 6	0.00% 0	16.02% 41
Total Respondents	22	160	67	7	256

Q4: On a typical school day, how much time does your child spend doing homework? (Not including the time students are expected to read/log)

Answered: 260 Skipped: 0

	5-15 minutes	30 minutes	45 minutes	More than 45 minutes	My child does not do homework	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	64.00% 16	8.00% 2	0.00% 0	4.00% 1	24.00% 6	9.62% 25
Q1: First Grade	60.00% 21	28.57% 10	8.57% 3	2.86% 1	0.00% 0	13.46% 35
Q1: Second Grade	26.67% 8	50.00% 15	16.67% 5	6.67% 2	0.00% 0	11.54% 30
Q1: Third Grade	22.00% 11	34.00% 17	18.00% 9	26.00% 13	0.00% 0	19.23% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	22.22% 8	47.22% 17	13.89% 5	16.67% 6	0.00% 0	13.85% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	4.76% 2	4.76% 2	19.05% 8	71.43% 30	0.00% 0	16.15% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	2.38% 1	21.43% 9	26.19% 11	50.00% 21	0.00% 0	16.15% 42
Total Respondents	67	72	41	74	6	260

Q5: On a typical school day, how much time is your child required to read?

Answered: 260 Skipped: 0

	5-15 minutes	30 minutes	45 minutes	More than 45 minutes	My child does not read at home	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	76.00% 19	24.00% 6	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	9.62% 25
Q1: First Grade	68.57% 24	31.43% 11	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.46% 35
Q1: Second Grade	46.67% 14	46.67% 14	3.33% 1	3.33% 1	0.00% 0	11.54% 30
Q1: Third Grade	18.00% 9	78.00% 39	2.00% 1	2.00% 1	0.00% 0	19.23% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	8.33% 3	86.11% 31	2.78% 1	2.78% 1	0.00% 0	13.85% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	4.76% 2	83.33% 35	4.76% 2	7.14% 3	0.00% 0	16.15% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	7.14% 3	66.67% 28	16.67% 7	7.14% 3	2.38% 1	16.15% 42
Total Respondents	74	164	12	9	1	260

Q6: During a typical weekend, how much time does your child spend doing homework?

Answered: 240 Skipped: 20

	5-15 minutes	30 minutes	45 minutes	1 hour	1 1/2 hours	2 hours	2 1/2 hours	3 hours or more	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	71.43% 15	23.81% 5	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	4.76% 1	8.75% 21
Q1: First Grade	80.00% 24	16.67% 5	3.33% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	12.50% 30
Q1: Second Grade	84.62% 22	15.38% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.83% 26
Q1: Third Grade	60.87% 28	15.22% 7	4.35% 2	13.04% 6	4.35% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	2.17% 1	19.17% 46
Q1: Fourth Grade	76.47% 26	11.76% 4	5.88% 2	5.88% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	14.17% 34
Q1: Fifth Grade	14.29% 6	4.76% 2	23.81% 10	23.81% 10	16.67% 7	4.76% 2	7.14% 3	4.76% 2	17.50% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	21.95% 9	31.71% 13	26.83% 11	17.07% 7	0.00% 0	2.44% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	17.08% 41
Total Respondents	130	40	26	25	9	3	3	4	240

Q7: During this school year, which of the following have you done so that your child could do his/her homework? Please select all that apply.

Answered: 259 Skipped: 1

	Attempted to reteach the skill to your child	Reviewed and checked an assignment after completion	Hired a tutor	Suggested places for child to receive help (web search, library)	None of the above	Other (please specify)	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	28.00% 7	60.00% 15	4.00% 1	4.00% 1	24.00% 6	4.00% 1	11.97% 31
Q1: First Grade	57.14% 20	82.86% 29	2.86% 1	17.14% 6	17.14% 6	20.00% 7	26.64% 69
Q1: Second Grade	30.00% 9	83.33% 25	0.00% 0	23.33% 7	10.00% 3	3.33% 1	17.37% 45
Q1: Third Grade	56.00% 28	76.00% 38	10.00% 5	24.00% 12	14.00% 7	20.00% 10	38.61% 100
Q1: Fourth Grade	45.71% 16	74.29% 26	11.43% 4	28.57% 10	14.29% 5	22.86% 8	26.64% 69
Q1: Fifth Grade	73.81% 31	61.90% 26	21.43% 9	38.10% 16	7.14% 3	19.05% 8	35.91% 93
Q1: Sixth Grade	38.10% 16	57.14% 24	11.90% 5	30.95% 13	28.57% 12	9.52% 4	28.57% 74
Total Respondents	127	183	25	65	42	39	259

Q8: In your opinion, how important is homework?

Answered: 258 Skipped: 2

	Very	Somewhat	Not at all	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	48.00% 12	44.00% 11	8.00% 2	9.69% 25
Q1: First Grade	37.14% 13	54.29% 19	8.57% 3	13.57% 35
Q1: Second Grade	46.67% 14	46.67% 14	6.67% 2	11.63% 30
Q1: Third Grade	36.73% 18	55.10% 27	8.16% 4	18.99% 49
Q1: Fourth Grade	45.71% 16	51.43% 18	2.86% 1	13.57% 35
Q1: Fifth Grade	38.10% 16	59.52% 25	2.38% 1	16.28% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	33.33% 14	59.52% 25	7.14% 3	16.28% 42
Total Respondents	103	139	16	258

Q9: Why do you think your child's homework is assigned?

Answered: 260 Skipped: 0

	Enhances learning and/or understanding	Teaches life skills	Teaches academic skills	Helps students to learn independently	Other not mentioned	No reason	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	56.00% 14	4.00% 1	4.00% 1	24.00% 6	8.00% 2	4.00% 1	9.62% 25
Q1: First Grade	71.43% 25	8.57% 3	2.86% 1	11.43% 4	0.00% 0	5.71% 2	13.46% 35
Q1: Second Grade	73.33% 22	3.33% 1	3.33% 1	16.67% 5	0.00% 0	3.33% 1	11.54% 30
Q1: Third Grade	70.00% 35	4.00% 2	2.00% 1	14.00% 7	10.00% 5	0.00% 0	19.23% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	77.78% 28	5.56% 2	0.00% 0	11.11% 4	5.56% 2	0.00% 0	13.85% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	61.90% 26	9.52% 4	2.38% 1	14.29% 6	9.52% 4	2.38% 1	16.15% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	73.81% 31	4.76% 2	2.38% 1	11.90% 5	4.76% 2	2.38% 1	16.15% 42
Total Respondents	181	15	6	37	15	6	260

Q10: Do you think homework is... (Please select all that apply)

Answered: 252 Skipped: 8

	Something that children should learn in school and not needed at home	Assigned more often than is actually needed	Too stressful	Busy work	Positive and necessary	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	9.09% 2	4.55% 1	0.00% 0	13.64% 3	86.36% 19	9.92% 25
Q1: First Grade	2.94% 1	17.65% 6	8.82% 3	17.65% 6	76.47% 26	16.67% 42
Q1: Second Grade	13.33% 4	26.67% 8	26.67% 8	20.00% 6	73.33% 22	19.05% 48
Q1: Third Grade	10.20% 5	30.61% 15	14.29% 7	16.33% 8	65.31% 32	26.59% 67
Q1: Fourth Grade	5.88% 2	23.53% 8	17.65% 6	26.47% 9	64.71% 22	18.65% 47
Q1: Fifth Grade	7.32% 3	43.90% 18	31.71% 13	26.83% 11	46.34% 19	25.40% 64
Q1: Sixth Grade	16.67% 7	33.33% 14	21.43% 9	33.33% 14	64.29% 27	28.17% 71
Total Respondents	24	70	46	57	167	252

Q11: What do you think OPS should know about how homework affects your child's life? (Please select all that apply)

Answered: 260 Skipped: 0

	Need balance between homework and other activities	Do not give so much homework	Time taken to complete homework is excessive	Children do not need homework	Lack of understanding/knowledge to do homework	Stress	That it does enhance learning	Helps develop responsibility	It does not reinforce what was learned in the classroom	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	56.00% 14	12.00% 3	4.00% 1	8.00% 2	0.00% 0	8.00% 2	40.00% 10	72.00% 18	0.00% 0	19.23% 50
Q1: First Grade	48.57% 17	8.57% 3	5.71% 2	8.57% 3	25.71% 9	17.14% 6	60.00% 21	74.29% 26	2.86% 1	33.85% 88
Q1: Second Grade	56.67% 17	13.33% 4	6.67% 2	3.33% 1	6.67% 2	30.00% 9	53.33% 16	76.67% 23	6.67% 2	29.23% 76
Q1: Third Grade	44.00% 22	10.00% 5	22.00% 11	6.00% 3	18.00% 9	22.00% 11	40.00% 20	56.00% 28	6.00% 3	43.08% 112
Q1: Fourth Grade	36.11% 13	16.67% 6	16.67% 6	2.78% 1	5.56% 2	27.78% 10	47.22% 17	66.67% 24	5.56% 2	31.15% 81
Q1: Fifth Grade	57.14% 24	45.24% 19	42.86% 18	2.38% 1	30.95% 13	40.48% 17	28.57% 12	54.76% 23	9.52% 4	50.38% 131
Q1: Sixth Grade	64.29% 27	23.81% 10	30.95% 13	9.52% 4	21.43% 9	28.57% 12	33.33% 14	69.05% 29	7.14% 3	46.54% 121
Total Respondents	134	50	53	15	44	67	110	171	15	260

Q12: Helping my child with homework is an opportunity for us to spend time together.

Answered: 260 Skipped: 0

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	20.00% 5	60.00% 15	12.00% 3	8.00% 2	9.62% 25
Q1: First Grade	17.14% 6	54.29% 19	17.14% 6	11.43% 4	13.46% 35
Q1: Second Grade	6.67% 2	50.00% 15	33.33% 10	10.00% 3	11.54% 30
Q1: Third Grade	8.00% 4	52.00% 26	24.00% 12	16.00% 8	19.23% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	8.33% 3	41.67% 15	36.11% 13	13.89% 5	13.85% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	7.14% 3	21.43% 9	28.57% 12	42.86% 18	16.15% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	19.05% 8	23.81% 10	35.71% 15	21.43% 9	16.15% 42
Total Respondents	31	109	71	49	260

Q13: The time my child spends doing homework gets in the way of our family spending time together.

Answered: 260 Skipped: 0

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	4.00% 1	28.00% 7	44.00% 11	24.00% 6	9.62% 25
Q1: First Grade	2.86% 1	22.86% 8	37.14% 13	37.14% 13	13.46% 35
Q1: Second Grade	6.67% 2	40.00% 12	30.00% 9	23.33% 7	11.54% 30
Q1: Third Grade	12.00% 6	28.00% 14	28.00% 14	32.00% 16	19.23% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	13.89% 5	30.56% 11	38.89% 14	16.67% 6	13.85% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	26.19% 11	40.48% 17	19.05% 8	14.29% 6	16.15% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	11.90% 5	40.48% 17	16.67% 7	30.95% 13	16.15% 42
Total Respondents	31	86	76	67	260

Q14: Homework is a major source of stress and disagreement in our family.

Answered: 257 Skipped: 3

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	0.00% 0	8.00% 2	52.00% 13	40.00% 10	9.73% 25
Q1: First Grade	8.82% 3	26.47% 9	32.35% 11	32.35% 11	13.23% 34
Q1: Second Grade	6.90% 2	34.48% 10	10.34% 3	48.28% 14	11.28% 29
Q1: Third Grade	12.00% 6	22.00% 11	30.00% 15	36.00% 18	19.46% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	8.33% 3	41.67% 15	25.00% 9	25.00% 9	14.01% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	30.95% 13	28.57% 12	19.05% 8	21.43% 9	16.34% 42
Q1: Sixth Grade	9.76% 4	36.59% 15	26.83% 11	26.83% 11	15.95% 41
Total Respondents	31	74	70	82	257

Q15: My child's homework is . . .

Answered: 253 Skipped: 7

	Too easy	Too hard	Just Right	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	16.67% 4	0.00% 0	83.33% 20	9.49% 24
Q1: First Grade	20.00% 7	2.86% 1	77.14% 27	13.83% 35
Q1: Second Grade	13.79% 4	3.45% 1	82.76% 24	11.46% 29
Q1: Third Grade	14.00% 7	6.00% 3	80.00% 40	19.76% 50
Q1: Fourth Grade	25.00% 9	5.56% 2	69.44% 25	14.23% 36
Q1: Fifth Grade	2.56% 1	43.59% 17	53.85% 21	15.42% 39
Q1: Sixth Grade	15.00% 6	15.00% 6	70.00% 28	15.81% 40
Total Respondents	38	30	185	253

Q16: My child works with a private tutor because...

Answered: 241 Skipped: 19

	I felt my child was struggling	I wanted to get him/her ahead	It was recommend by his/her teacher	My child does not work with a tutor	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	5.00% 1	10.00% 2	0.00% 0	85.00% 17	8.30% 20
Q1: First Grade	6.45% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	93.55% 29	12.86% 31
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 28	11.62% 28
Q1: Third Grade	10.64% 5	2.13% 1	2.13% 1	85.11% 40	19.50% 47
Q1: Fourth Grade	20.59% 7	5.88% 2	0.00% 0	73.53% 25	14.11% 34
Q1: Fifth Grade	17.07% 7	0.00% 0	2.44% 1	80.49% 33	17.01% 41
Q1: Sixth Grade	15.00% 6	2.50% 1	2.50% 1	80.00% 32	16.60% 40
Total Respondents	28	6	3	204	241

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Total Responses

Complete Responses: 30

Q1: What is the current grade you teach?

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Kindergarten	First Grade	Second Grade	Third Grade	Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade	Sixth Grade	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	100.00% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 9	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 6	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	4	3	2	4	9	6	2	30

Q2: How long do you believe that it should take students to complete a typical night of homework from your class? (Not including reading homework)

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	5-15 minutes	30 minutes	45 minutes	1 hour	1 1/2 hours	2 hours	2 1/2 hours	3 hours	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	75.00% 3	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	100.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	0.00% 0	66.67% 6	33.33% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	33.33% 2	0.00% 0	33.33% 2	33.33% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	8	10	9	3	0	0	0	0	30

Q3: On a typical day, how much reading do you require of your students?

Answered: 29 Skipped: 1

	5-15 minutes	30 minutes	45 minutes	More than 45 minutes	Students are not expected to read	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	100.00% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.79% 4
Q1: First Grade	100.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.34% 3
Q1: Second Grade	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.90% 2
Q1: Third Grade	25.00% 1	75.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.79% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 9	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	31.03% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	40.00% 2	60.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	17.24% 5
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.90% 2
Total Respondents	11	17	1	0	0	29

Q4: How often do you assign homework to be completed over the weekend or during a school vacation?

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very often	Often	Rarely	Never	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 4	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	66.67% 2	33.33% 1	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 4	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	33.33% 3	66.67% 6	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	0.00% 0	33.33% 2	33.33% 2	33.33% 2	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	0	2	9	19	30

Q5: In your opinion, how important is doing homework?

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very important	Important	Somewhat important	Not important	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	75.00% 3	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	66.67% 2	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	25.00% 1	50.00% 2	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	11.11% 1	33.33% 3	55.56% 5	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	16.67% 1	83.33% 5	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	5	12	13	0	30

Q6: Provide students with a grade or comments on their homework

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	All of the time	Most of the time	Half of the time	Some of the time	None of the time	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	0.00% 0	75.00% 3	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	66.67% 2	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	25.00% 1	75.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	22.22% 2	11.11% 1	11.11% 1	55.56% 5	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	33.33% 2	33.33% 2	0.00% 0	33.33% 2	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	7	12	3	8	0	30

Q7: Explain the purpose of specific homework assignments to students

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	All of the time	Most of the time	Half of the time	Some of the time	None of the time	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	33.33% 1	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	75.00% 3	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	44.44% 4	22.22% 2	0.00% 0	33.33% 3	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	66.67% 4	33.33% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	17	9	0	4	0	30

Q8: Review completed homework assignments with students the next school day

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	All of the time	Most of the time	Half of the time	Some of the time	None of the time	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	75.00% 3	25.00% 1	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	66.67% 2	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	25.00% 1	75.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	44.44% 4	22.22% 2	22.22% 2	11.11% 1	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	50.00% 3	33.33% 2	0.00% 0	16.67% 1	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	12	8	2	7	1	30

Q9: Assess students' skills and knowledge

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	25.00% 1	25.00% 1	25.00% 1	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	66.67% 2	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	66.67% 6	33.33% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	83.33% 5	16.67% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	18	8	1	3	0	30

Q10: To develop students' interests

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	25.00% 1	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	25.00% 1	50.00% 2	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	11.11% 1	66.67% 6	11.11% 1	0.00% 0	11.11% 1	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	66.67% 4	33.33% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	7	16	4	1	2	30

Q11: Develop students' critical thinking

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	66.67% 2	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	44.44% 4	55.56% 5	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	83.33% 5	16.67% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	13	15	2	0	0	30

Q12: To motivate students to learn

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	44.44% 4	55.56% 5	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	83.33% 5	16.67% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	14	16	0	0	0	30

Q13: To help students develop good work habits

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	100.00% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	100.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	75.00% 3	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	88.89% 8	11.11% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	100.00% 6	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	28	2	0	0	0	30

Q14: To make up for the fact that there was not enough time during class to cover all the material

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 3	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	25.00% 1	25.00% 1	25.00% 1	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	0.00% 0	11.11% 1	11.11% 1	77.78% 7	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 3	0.00% 0	33.33% 2	16.67% 1	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	1	6	4	18	1	30

Q15: Help students practice skills or prepare for tests

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Very often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: First Grade	100.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.00% 3
Q1: Second Grade	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Q1: Third Grade	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	88.89% 8	0.00% 0	11.11% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	30.00% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	100.00% 6	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.00% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.67% 2
Total Respondents	25	4	1	0	0	30

Q16: How often do you differentiate the content of your homework assignments for individual students?

Answered: 29 Skipped: 1

	Very Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not Sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	0.00% 0	100.00% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.79% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	66.67% 2	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.34% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	3.45% 1
Q1: Third Grade	25.00% 1	75.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.79% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	22.22% 2	77.78% 7	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	31.03% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	50.00% 3	50.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	20.69% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.90% 2
Total Respondents	6	21	2	0	0	29

Q17: How often do you differentiate the process students use for homework assignments?

Answered: 28 Skipped: 2

	Very Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not Sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	33.33% 1	10.71% 3
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	66.67% 2	33.33% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.71% 3
Q1: Second Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	3.57% 1
Q1: Third Grade	25.00% 1	50.00% 2	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	14.29% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	44.44% 4	44.44% 4	11.11% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	32.14% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	16.67% 1	50.00% 3	16.67% 1	0.00% 0	16.67% 1	21.43% 6
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	7.14% 2
Total Respondents	6	14	5	1	2	28

Q18: How often do you differentiate the product students create for homework assignments?

Answered: 29 Skipped: 1

	Very Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not Sure	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	25.00% 1	0.00% 0	25.00% 1	25.00% 1	25.00% 1	13.79% 4
Q1: First Grade	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	66.67% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	10.34% 3
Q1: Second Grade	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.90% 2
Q1: Third Grade	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.79% 4
Q1: Fourth Grade	22.22% 2	66.67% 6	11.11% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	31.03% 9
Q1: Fifth Grade	40.00% 2	60.00% 3	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	17.24% 5
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	50.00% 1	50.00% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	6.90% 2
Total Respondents	8	14	5	1	1	29

Q19: I believe parents should... (Please select all that apply)

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

	Make sure children complete their homework	Discuss homework with their child	Make sure all answers are correct	Help children to complete their homework	Should not help their children	Total
Q1: Kindergarten	100.00% 4	100.00% 4	25.00% 1	75.00% 3	0.00% 0	40.00% 12
Q1: First Grade	66.67% 2	100.00% 3	0.00% 0	33.33% 1	33.33% 1	23.33% 7
Q1: Second Grade	50.00% 1	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	16.67% 5
Q1: Third Grade	100.00% 4	100.00% 4	0.00% 0	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	33.33% 10
Q1: Fourth Grade	100.00% 9	88.89% 8	0.00% 0	33.33% 3	22.22% 2	73.33% 22
Q1: Fifth Grade	50.00% 3	83.33% 5	0.00% 0	16.67% 1	50.00% 3	40.00% 12
Q1: Sixth Grade	100.00% 2	100.00% 2	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	13.33% 4
Total Respondents	25	28	1	12	6	30

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Total Responses

Complete Responses: 354

Q1: What grade are you currently in?

Answered: 354 Skipped: 0

	Third Grade	Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade	Sixth Grade	Total
Q1: Third Grade	100.00% 110	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	31.07% 110
Q1: Fourth Grade	0.00% 0	100.00% 54	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	15.25% 54
Q1: Fifth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 75	0.00% 0	21.19% 75
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	100.00% 115	32.49% 115
Total Respondents	110	54	75	115	354

Q2: In a typical week, how often are you assigned homework? (check all that apply)

Answered: 353 Skipped: 1

	Monday night	Tuesday night	Wednesday night	Thursday night	Friday night	Total
Q1: Third Grade	98.18% 108	98.18% 108	98.18% 108	98.18% 108	12.73% 14	126.35% 446
Q1: Fourth Grade	100.00% 54	100.00% 54	98.15% 53	100.00% 54	1.85% 1	61.19% 216
Q1: Fifth Grade	98.65% 73	98.65% 73	95.95% 71	97.30% 72	83.78% 62	99.43% 351
Q1: Sixth Grade	100.00% 115	97.39% 112	100.00% 115	96.52% 111	20.00% 23	134.84% 476
Total Respondents	350	347	347	345	100	353

Q3: On a typical school day, how much time do you spend doing homework? (Not including reading/logging time)

Answered: 354 Skipped: 0

	None	5-15 minutes	30 minutes	45 minutes	1 hour	1 1/2 hours	2 hours	2 1/2 hours	3 hours or more	Total
Q1: Third Grade	0.91% 1	30.91% 34	41.82% 46	17.27% 19	5.45% 6	2.73% 3	0.91% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	31.07% 110
Q1: Fourth Grade	1.85% 1	27.78% 15	38.89% 21	22.22% 12	7.41% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	1.85% 1	0.00% 0	15.25% 54
Q1: Fifth Grade	0.00% 0	8.00% 6	18.67% 14	16.00% 12	14.67% 11	22.67% 17	10.67% 8	5.33% 4	4.00% 3	21.19% 75
Q1: Sixth Grade	0.00% 0	4.35% 5	21.74% 25	30.43% 35	17.39% 20	13.91% 16	6.96% 8	1.74% 2	3.48% 4	32.49% 115
Total Respondents	2	60	106	78	41	36	17	7	7	354

Q4: On a typical school day, how much are you expected to read at home?

Answered: 354 Skipped: 0

	I am not expected to read at home	1-15 minutes	16-30 minutes	31-45 minutes	More than 45 minutes	Total
Q1: Third Grade	0.00% 0	5.45% 6	61.82% 68	21.82% 24	10.91% 12	31.07% 110
Q1: Fourth Grade	1.85% 1	0.00% 0	55.56% 30	35.19% 19	7.41% 4	15.25% 54
Q1: Fifth Grade	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	36.00% 27	54.67% 41	9.33% 7	21.19% 75
Q1: Sixth Grade	2.61% 3	1.74% 2	41.74% 48	42.61% 49	11.30% 13	32.49% 115
Total Respondents	4	8	173	133	36	354

Q5: How often do you discuss your homework with an adult at home?

Answered: 350 Skipped: 4

	Rarely or never	Once a month	Once a week	2-3 times a week	Every day	Total
Q1: Third Grade	18.52% 20	3.70% 4	12.04% 13	21.30% 23	44.44% 48	30.86% 108
Q1: Fourth Grade	16.67% 9	9.26% 5	25.93% 14	18.52% 10	29.63% 16	15.43% 54
Q1: Fifth Grade	31.51% 23	5.48% 4	13.70% 10	17.81% 13	31.51% 23	20.86% 73
Q1: Sixth Grade	29.57% 34	9.57% 11	14.78% 17	19.13% 22	26.96% 31	32.86% 115
Total Respondents	86	24	54	68	118	350

Q6: If you need help with your homework, how do you get support?

Answered: 349 Skipped: 5

	Ask a family member at home	Ask my teacher at school	Ask my friends or classmates	Private tutor	I don't have anyone to ask	I never need help with my homework	Total
Q1: Third Grade	89.72% 96	4.67% 5	0.00% 0	2.80% 3	0.93% 1	1.87% 2	30.66% 107
Q1: Fourth Grade	81.48% 44	7.41% 4	1.85% 1	1.85% 1	1.85% 1	5.56% 3	15.47% 54
Q1: Fifth Grade	63.51% 47	14.86% 11	6.76% 5	4.05% 3	1.35% 1	9.46% 7	21.20% 74
Q1: Sixth Grade	57.89% 66	11.40% 13	13.16% 15	2.63% 3	0.88% 1	14.04% 16	32.66% 114
Total Respondents	253	33	21	10	4	28	349

Q7: How often do your teachers give you feedback, such as comments other than grades on your homework assignments?

Answered: 349 Skipped: 5

	Hardly ever	A few times	Sometimes	Most of the time	All of the time	Total
Q1: Third Grade	12.84% 14	24.77% 27	33.03% 36	13.76% 15	15.60% 17	31.23% 109
Q1: Fourth Grade	9.26% 5	7.41% 4	37.04% 20	33.33% 18	12.96% 7	15.47% 54
Q1: Fifth Grade	1.35% 1	9.46% 7	32.43% 24	40.54% 30	16.22% 12	21.20% 74
Q1: Sixth Grade	10.71% 12	25.89% 29	36.61% 41	24.11% 27	2.68% 3	32.09% 112
Total Respondents	32	67	121	90	39	349

Q8: My homework assignments for reading and writing help my learning at school.

Answered: 347 Skipped: 7

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't get reading or writing homework	Total
Q1: Third Grade	45.79% 49	38.32% 41	12.15% 13	2.80% 3	0.93% 1	30.84% 107
Q1: Fourth Grade	26.42% 14	50.94% 27	13.21% 7	5.66% 3	3.77% 2	15.27% 53
Q1: Fifth Grade	45.21% 33	38.36% 28	9.59% 7	2.74% 2	4.11% 3	21.04% 73
Q1: Sixth Grade	21.05% 24	59.65% 68	12.28% 14	4.39% 5	2.63% 3	32.85% 114
Total Respondents	120	164	41	13	9	347

Q9: My homework assignments for math help my learning from school

Answered: 348 Skipped: 6

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't get homework in math	Total
Q1: Third Grade	60.19% 65	32.41% 35	3.70% 4	3.70% 4	0.00% 0	31.03% 108
Q1: Fourth Grade	37.04% 20	38.89% 21	11.11% 6	11.11% 6	1.85% 1	15.52% 54
Q1: Fifth Grade	67.12% 49	24.66% 18	4.11% 3	4.11% 3	0.00% 0	20.98% 73
Q1: Sixth Grade	31.86% 36	50.44% 57	14.16% 16	2.65% 3	0.88% 1	32.47% 113
Total Respondents	170	131	29	16	2	348

Q10: My homework assignments for science and/or social studies support my learning.

Answered: 350 Skipped: 4

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't get homework in science and/or social studies	Total
Q1: Third Grade	17.27% 19	21.82% 24	0.91% 1	5.45% 6	54.55% 60	31.43% 110
Q1: Fourth Grade	20.75% 11	35.85% 19	1.89% 1	3.77% 2	37.74% 20	15.14% 53
Q1: Fifth Grade	70.27% 52	22.97% 17	4.05% 3	2.70% 2	0.00% 0	21.14% 74
Q1: Sixth Grade	41.59% 47	40.71% 46	8.85% 10	7.08% 8	1.77% 2	32.29% 113
Total Respondents	129	106	15	18	82	350

Q11: How often do you feel stressed about doing homework?

Answered: 345 Skipped: 9

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Very often	Total
Q1: Third Grade	11.11% 12	34.26% 37	34.26% 37	11.11% 12	9.26% 10	31.30% 108
Q1: Fourth Grade	8.16% 4	30.61% 15	38.78% 19	8.16% 4	14.29% 7	14.20% 49
Q1: Fifth Grade	9.46% 7	24.32% 18	39.19% 29	12.16% 9	14.86% 11	21.45% 74
Q1: Sixth Grade	6.14% 7	16.67% 19	35.09% 40	21.93% 25	20.18% 23	33.04% 114
Total Respondents	30	89	125	50	51	345

Q12: How much do you think doing your homework will help you reach your goals?

Answered: 353 Skipped: 1

	Not at all	Help a little	Help a lot	Total
Q1: Third Grade	7.27% 8	48.18% 53	44.55% 49	31.16% 110
Q1: Fourth Grade	14.81% 8	48.15% 26	37.04% 20	15.30% 54
Q1: Fifth Grade	12.16% 9	41.89% 31	45.95% 34	20.96% 74
Q1: Sixth Grade	21.74% 25	50.43% 58	27.83% 32	32.58% 115
Total Respondents	50	168	135	353