

Math Homework

Math homework will begin this week. On a typical week, math homework will be sent out as a packet on **Mondays** with homework for Monday through Thursday night. The completed packet should be **returned** with the homework log on **Friday**.

Homework is sent out as a packet so that it can be kept in one place and will be less likely to get lost. To reiterate what was said at curriculum night, **it is essential that the homework is only done on the night it is assigned**. Your child will come home with their classwork from the day and this should be used to guide them through their homework. It is very important that you remind your child not to go past the day's lesson in the homework packet. I will continue to remind them of this over the next few weeks.

Practice math homework should be done **independently**. If your child is struggling with a skill on math homework and does not seem to understand the concept, please have them bring the homework page back to school the next day to review with me.

Extension (challenge) math homework is also offered and is **optional**. For the first several weeks, all children will come home with the challenge packet. Later, they will have need to make the choice to get the packet. As a class we talked about how kids can just try some of the problems and not complete the whole challenge packet. For other kids it may be "just right" to complete the whole challenge packet. Some nights may be much more challenging than others and you and your child may want to work together. Please write a note to me if you helped your child to complete the challenge work.

Feel free to use the comment section on the homework log to let me know how math homework or any other kind of homework is going!

-Jen Hedstrom