

NEPN/NSBA CODE: IKB
TITLE: HOMEWORK
AUGUSTA CODE/TITLE: SAME

We have revised the language of Augusta's existing policy to focus more clearly on the correlation between meaningful homework and student achievement and the principles underlying the assignment of homework.

The Board may wish to consider some guidelines for increasing homework as students advance from one grade level to another. Before doing so, the Board should explore the school unit's current practices to determine whether they are consistent with the Board's educational philosophy.

The making up of schoolwork (including homework) is typically addressed in procedures associated with student attendance and/or in student handbooks. Provisions may vary depending upon the grade levels of students and whether an absence is unanticipated or planned in advance.