

Homework Text Set

Across the nation, teachers, administrators, parents, and students are grappling with the question, “Is homework helpful or harmful?” This question has resulted in such concepts of “flipped classrooms” and “proficiency-based grading.” Here are a variety of pieces about homework, most of which are focused on homework in the elementary school.

Journal Articles

- Does Homework Improve Academic Achievement? A Synthesis of Research, 1987 – 2003 (Journal Article)
 - <http://classtap.pbworks.com/f/Does+Homework+Improve+Achievement.pdf>
- Making Homework Central to Learning
 - <http://www.ascd.org/publications/educational-leadership/nov11/vol69/num03/Making-Homework-Central-to-Learning.aspx>

Interviews

- John Hattie Interview on the BBC (A short discussion of homework begins at 10 mins. 45 secs.)
 - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b04dmxwl>
- Michael J. Hynes Discussing Homework with Finnish Educators (Home Economics)
 - <https://twitter.com/MikeHynes5/status/1078987028111507458>

Articles

- Down With Homework, Say U.S. School Districts
 - <https://www.wsj.com/articles/no-homework-its-the-new-thing-in-u-s-schools-11544610600>
- Homework for Winter Vacation
 - <http://www.chicagonow.com/still-advocating/2014/01/homework-for-winter-vacation/>
- Homework is wrecking our kids: The research is clear, let’s ban elementary homework

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- https://www.salon.com/2016/03/05/homework_is_wrecking_our_kids_the_research_is_clear_lets_ban_elementary_homework/
- Homework on Snow Days
 - <http://www.usatoday.com/videos/news/nation/2014/01/07/4353109/>
- Is Homework a Waste of Students' Time? Study Finds It's the Best Cause of Teen Stress
 - <https://people.com/health/homework-biggest-cause-teen-stress>
- Never Mind the Students; Homework Divides Parents
 - <https://www.nytimes.com/2017/04/25/nyregion/homework-ban-new-york-city-schools.html>
- New York school abolishes homework. Does homework do any good?
 - <https://www.csmonitor.com/USA/Education/2015/0306/New-York-school-abolishes-homework.-Does-homework-do-any-good>
- Onondaga Math Students Do Homework in Class and Classwork at Home
 - http://www.syracuse.com/news/index.ssf/2014/01/onondaga_math_students_do_homework_in_class_and_class_work_at_home.html
- The Case for Nagging Kids About Homework, Atlantic Monthly
 - <http://www.theatlantic.com/education/archive/2014/01/the-case-for-nagging-kids-about-their-homework/282838/>
- Think Homework Can Help Your Kid's Grade? Think Again
 - http://www.stltoday.com/news/local/education/think-homework-can-help-your-kid-s-grade-think-again/article_12904e57-9e1f-559b-b4ca-3d0ec141b644.html
- Too Much Homework Too Soon
 - <http://www.chicagonow.com/still-advocating/2013/10/too-much-homework-too-soon/>
- What happened when one school banned homework – and asked kids to read and play instead
 - https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/answer-sheet/wp/2017/02/26/what-happened-when-one-school-banned-homework-and-asked-kids-to-read-and-play-instead/?utm_term=.e5d004afc8f0&tid=a_inl
- Why this superintendent is banning homework – and asking kids to read instead

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- https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/answer-sheet/wp/2017/07/17/why-this-superintendent-is-banning-homework-and-asking-kids-to-read-instead/?utm_term=.ca15e04899c5

Blog Posts/Websites

- Before You Hand Out Homework (Links to a variety of articles from teacher-author Pernille Ripp)
 - <https://pernillesripp.com/student-engagement/limited-homework/>
- Five Questions to Ask Before Assigning Homework
 - <http://ditchthattextbook.com/2017/11/14/five-questions-to-ask-before-assigning-homework/>
- Home Opportunities for Learning (From third-grade teacher, Kathleen Sokolowski.)
 - <http://sokolowskilearningin215.weebly.com/home-opportunities-for-learning.html>
- Homewreck: Harvey Smokey Daniels
 - <https://therobbreviewblog.com/uncategorized/homewreck-harvey-smokey-daniels/>
- ICYMI: TWT's Homework Mini-Series
 - <https://twowritingteachers.org/2017/11/20/recap-hmwkmini/>
- These Great Benefits of Homework Will Make You Rethink Everything
 - <http://www.buzzle.com/articles/benefits-of-homework.html>