HOMEWORK POLICY 2019-2020

I believe that homework always serves one of the following purposes:

- 1. to reinforce or give practice in something learned that day
- 2. to prepare for participation in a lesson or activity the following day
- 3. to evaluate concepts and how well a student can apply what has been taught.

The following is a list of expectations and information about students' homework this year. Each of these expectations will help promote students' individual <u>responsibility</u> for their own work and will also help set standards for the <u>quality</u> of their work.

- -Homework is due the day after it is assigned unless it is a project, in which case a due date will be given.
- -Typically homework will be assigned Monday –Thursday. In addition to assigned homework, students are expected to read for a minimum of 30 minutes per night.
- -Students should use their agenda books to record their homework assignments daily. Recording this information and turning in <u>all</u> assignments on time is to be the responsibility of the student (not the parent or the teacher).
- -Students are expected to do their best work, be neat, and work on their own. If perhaps a student falls short, the teacher reserves the right to ask that the assignment be redone.
- -There are consequences for students who do not complete a homework assignment <u>and</u> those who turn in homework late. Parents will be informed weekly of the number of assignments missed during the week through the Friday Folder. <u>Late homework will be accepted only one day late for now</u>. However, as the year progresses late homework will not be accepted!