

## **Homework Help Program at Griot Village**

### **Mission Statement:**

Our mission is “to support students by providing positive and quality mentoring through developing student’s academic and social skills through homework assistance.”

### **Vision Statement:**

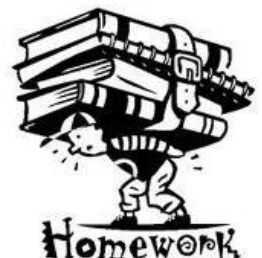
“To increase positive attitudes toward schoolwork in order to achieve academic success.”

### **Goals:**

- ✓ Develop strong study skills and habits
- ✓ Improve academic achievement
- ✓ Increase motivation to complete school work
- ✓ Allow mentoring to be tailored to the student’s specific learning styles and needs
- ✓ Create a safe, supervised, and structured environment for students to complete assignments
- ✓ Develop social skills
- ✓ Improve students’ self-esteem, confidence and social skills
- ✓ Provide educational resources
- ✓ Provide positive role models

### **Measurement Indicators:**

- ✓ Attendance
- ✓ Pre & Post
- ✓ Quarterly Report Cards
- ✓ Student Passport Book
- ✓ Homework Completion
- ✓ Tutoring Logs



## **Program Structure:**

*The Homework Help Program is offered Monday thru Thursday from 3:30pm to 4:45pm.*

- Both students and volunteers **must sign-in** at the front desk in the appropriate binder
- Students may choose a healthy snack (fruit, etc.)
- Students will work on homework assignments first with a volunteer
  - If no homework is present volunteers will work with students on individual academic needs (flash cards, reading, math sheets, spelling, educational activity, etc.) to help build skill set
- After homework is completed students may choose **(1) snack** and **(1) drink**
- After snack time student and volunteer can fill out Student Passport Book
- If a student completed work and had good behavior they may either:
  - Earn a computer pass in order to play an educational game/website on the computer. (Students must be accompanied by a volunteer in the computer lab)
  - Play an educational game or activity
  - Weather permitting students can participate in outdoor educational activity with volunteer
- On Thursdays, students can earn a weekly prize based on Student passport book and attended at least 3 days of homework help that week
- If student is being disruptive, not listening to volunteers, or having behavioral issues a **3 strike policy** will be in effect and the parent or legal guardian will be contacted for the student to either walk home or be picked up from the Home Work Help Program if inappropriate behavior persists.
- Volunteers will start wrapping up activities at 4:30pm.
  - Helping student get ready to leave
  - Cleaning up food/snack/or garbage
  - Putting away materials
  - Writing notes in student folders and completing logs

**\*Students may be able to leave at 4:45pm if homework is completed. Students must be picked up by parents or walk home with permission by 5:00pm.**

**No staff will be available after 5:00pm.**