

## ALLIEE – 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PERSUASIVE PAPER

**Prompt:** *The principal of your school is considering a “No Late Homework” rule. Write to him or her with your position on this rule.*

Dear Mrs. Allen,

I agree with the idea of teachers not accepting late homework. Only because you could have a 39 year old turning in his homework from twenty years ago. Do you want all of your students to end up like that? Are you going to accept late homework from 20 years ago? I know I wouldn't. Here are more of my reasons.

Everyday a student doesn't have his or her homework they should get two points taken off. It might be a little more fair to the ones who do their homework. I understand students have emergencies where they can't do their homework. If a student gets their parents to sign saying they had an emergency, they should only get one extra day. Doctors think about 80% of student lie to get an extra day to do their homework.

Although you might not agree, I think the people that turn in late homework will learn to turn it on time. Since you get two points taken off for everyday it's late. One time I was really sick and I had to go to the emergency room and I couldn't get my homework done. So I got my Mom to write a note saying I was in the emergency room. I got an extra day to do my homework. That's why I think we should get an extra day if we have a signature. So the liars will get points taken off. These are my reasons. After what I have said do you think we should accept late homework?

I think if we stop late homework, students will be encouraged to get better grades. Although it's all up to you. I hope you agree with my idea. I want you to stop late homework, so it will be fair for the ones who turn theirs in on time. These are all my reasons.

Sincerely Alliee