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## JRMS HOMEWORK CENTER

What is the homework center?

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The purpose of the program is to provide a quiet place where students can do homework, study for upcoming tests and quizzes, work on long term projects, and get assistance with all of their tasks. Two teachers will be present to help students organize materials, check homework agendas, assist in understanding the subject matter, and prepare for tests by helping to create study guides and quizzing students on the material. Pairs of students enrolled in the 7th grade Peer Partner Program will be encouraged to attend the Homework Center together, as well as students working on group projects. This will give students a time to work with their group members after school.

How do students sign up?

The homework center will run on a first come, first serve basis. We will accept a maximum of 20 students per day. A sign-up sheet with twenty openings will be posted outside the main office. Each Friday, sign-up sheets for the following week will be posted, and students can sign up at any time. As soon as the twenty openings are filled, the sign-up sheet will be taken down. If a student signs up and then determines that he/she cannot attend, he/she must notify the teachers as soon as possible to allow other students to take the opening. Students will be required to present teachers with a signed permission slip on the first homework center session that they attend. Students only need to submit a permission slip on their first homework center session. The permission slips will be kept on file.

Do students have to come every day?

No. Students should only sign up when they want assistance with specific assignments or have homework to complete.

When and where will the homework center run?

The homework center will run after school from 3:45 – 5:15 pm on Mondays and Wednesdays in the library. Students are not permitted to leave before 5:15. If they cannot stay the whole time, they should not attend that day. Students must be in the library by 3:45 with all of their materials and ready to work. The homework center will not meet on minimum days. Students MUST be picked up no later than 5:15 pm outside the library doors.

What should students bring to the homework center?

Students should come prepared with their student planner, class binders, pens and pencils, teacher handouts, and homework assignments. Students will not be allowed to go back to their lockers. Items that will be available for student use: computers with internet access, textbooks, dictionaries and reference materials, calculators, rulers, protractors, colored pencils, markers.

Homework Center Details:

- Meets Mondays and Wednesdays from 3:45 to 5:15 in the library
- Sign-up sheets will be posted on Fridays outside the main office (the first 20 students that sign up for each day will be accepted)
- Students must have a permission slip with emergency contacts on file in order to attend
- There is no charge to attend the homework center

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Homework Center Permission Slip

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

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I, the parent or guardian of the above-named child, hereby give my permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the John Read Middle School Homework Center. We understand that students in the Homework Center must adhere to the discipline policy of JRMS and we agree to abide by this policy. By signing this form, we attest that we have read the Homework Center policies and agree to abide by the rules, including picking our child up by 5:00 to 5:15 pm outside of the library doors. If someone other than the child's parent/guardian will be picking up the child, we will provide the Homework Center teachers with a note indicating so.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Time Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Allergies and/or Medications: \_\_\_\_\_

Any other information you would like the Homework Center staff to know:

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