

Homework Observations and Concerns

Directions: Use the form below to help you organize your concerns about your child's independence in homework.

ITEM	NEVER	RARELY	SOMETIMES	OFTEN	ALWAYS
My child writes down all of his or her homework assignments.					
My child brings the homework planner or recorded assignments home.					
My child brings home the books or materials needed to complete the day's homework assignments.					
My child knows and understands the assignment(s).					
My child knows when the assignments are due.					
My child starts homework without reminding or nagging.					
My child completes the homework without someone sitting with him or her.					
If you have to help your child with homework or supervise your child to make sure the homework gets done, how much time are you spending each day with your child on homework?					
How much time does your child usually spend doing homework each day?					
How often do you fight with your child about homework?					

Use the back of this page to note any concerns you have about your child's ability to complete their homework. If your child is on medication or has a condition that affects his or her ability to do homework, you might note that, too. Once you have completed this sheet, meet with your child's teacher or team to review your concerns and to find out how these concerns or skills are being addressed. If you need guidance from the school as to what to do in the home to be consistent with any homework-related interventions in the school, that meeting is a good time to ask for guidance.