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**TASK: STRATEGIES THAT YOU CAN EMPLOY TO ENABLE LERNERS COMPLETE THEIR ASSIGNMENTS**.

For many years, teachers find it very hard to monitor the students’ progress doing assignments given to them to respond to. Due to this problem teachers have tried their best to ensure that assignment given to their students are completed.

Teachers have come up with various strategies that can help the students complete the assignments so given it them. The objective of these strategies is to ensure that the easily identify students are of weakness and strengths earlier enough in order to improve where there is weakness before it is late. Below are the strategies that can be employed.

*Give clear and appropriate assignments;*

Teachers need to take care when assigning homework. If the homework assignment is to hard or takes long to complete, students might tune out and resist doing it.Never give an assignment that issue above students level of understanding but it should be an extension of what students have learned.

*Make homework accommodations;*

Make any necessary modifications on the assignment before sending it. Identify practices that will be most helpful to individual students and have the potential to increase their involvement understanding and motivation to learn. For example, provide additional one on one assistance to students also, you can adjust the length of the assignment. Its important to check out all accommodations with other teachers, students and families .If they do not find the accommodations note palatable then they may not use them.

*Ensure clear home /school communication;*

Teachers and parents of students must communicate clearly and effectively with one another about homework policies required practices, mutual expectations, students’ performance on homework completion.

*Use of homework calendar;*

Students can monitor their homework using a planning calendar to keep track of homework assignments. Homework planners also can double as home school communication tools if they include a space next to each assignment for messages from teacher and parents. The teacher built a reward system for returning homework and the planner’s .On a self-monitoring chart in their planner students recorded each time they completed and returned their homework assignments.

Some of the recommendations that teachers put into confederation include;

Encourage students to keep assignments books

Sharing information with other teachers regarding student’s strength and needs necessary accommodations.

Providing parents with frequent rewritten communication about homework like progress reports, forms, letters, notes among others.

In summary, it is very important for the teachers and students to work so closely in order for the strategies mentioned above to be adhered to. It is through assignments that learners get to know whether they have grasped some knowledge or not. Teachers also get to know whether learning has taken place or not.

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