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Hot Topic: Homework, Good or Bad?

Do we need homework? This is a special question for all pupils and classmates. How do we answer it?? Let's take a closer look.

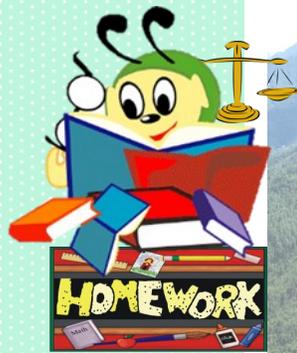
There are different ways to think about if homework is good or bad. **Pros** are good and **Cons** are bad.

Pro: Homework can make us clever. We can learn more things. Revision helps us do well on exams.

Con: It is very boring. We have no time to play. Free-time is healthy.

Pro and Con: If there is some homework, we can also have some time to play. All children need time to play. If we do well in school, we can have a better life when we grow up.

I think students will always want to have less homework, but we should remember that some homework is very good for us.



-Amy Lau 4A



A Festival for our Ancestors

Ching Ming Festival is a time when we go up a hill and worship. The festival originated in China and is a tradition in the whole country. I think it is very good to respect our ancestors.

I celebrate Ching Ming Festival with my mother and grandmother. We will walk up the hill for about twenty minutes. We will leave many kinds of food on our table, then we can worship it, and after that we eat the food. I think it is very good to respect our ancestors.

-Hailey Pang
3A



Keep Calm and Always Recycle

It is obvious that recycling in Hong Kong is a hard job to do. How to recycle and where to recycle is a big topic that we have to study and research.

Generally speaking, it is wise to place as many recycling bins as possible in every place around town. They should be somewhere at estates, supermarkets, department stores, and some places that people could easily access. The purpose is to educate people on the im-



portance of recycling. It would keep the Earth clean and give you a more comfortable place to live.

There are three big places in Hong Kong where everybody's rubbish goes everyday, this rubbish place is called a landfill.

If the landfills are all filled up, where would we put all the rubbish?? Not in my house!

It is the responsibility of Hong

Kong people to make it right. It's not difficult! Recycling just twice a week will change the world. "Go to recycle" as most people would say now-a-days.

-Mila Kam 4 A





Our Big Big World



The Cutest Dog in the World



TIME TO RELAX WITH FISHBALL!

This is my pet at home. It is a dog called Fishball. Do you think he is cute? I think he is the cutest puppy in the world. Fishball is three years

old now. He is as playful as a child, and he is like my little brother. When I am free, he plays with me. When I am sad, he pushes his wet nose

into my hands. He always understands what I feel. I like him a lot and take care of him. Fishball is the most loyal friend ever.

-Janice Chan 6B



My Favourite Place in the World

My favourite place in the world is Japan. It is beautiful there. I have been to Japan five times and I loved every visit. I always go to Japan in the winter and I can play in the snow and make a snowman. It is a lot of fun.

I went to Hokkaido with my family this year and I learnt a lot of new things.

Hokkaido's flowers are the Hamanasu and Rugosa rose. Hokkaido's bird is the Red-crowned Crane. It is beautiful.

The capital of Hokkaido is Sapporo. I have been there too. It is a big town like Hong Kong, but a little more quiet. There are other towns such as Otaru which is famous for glassworks. People



also make music boxes by hand. When we go there in winter, we must go to Otaru Canal. We can put candles on it because people think it can bring them good luck.



Abashiri is a good city too. We can see drifting ice, and big

ice-breaker ships. It is exciting. Abashiri prison is a museum. Inside the prison is dark and there are some fake people that move. It made us feel very scared.

Furano is a famous place. The keystone industry is agriculture based around onions, carrots and grapes. They also make wine and dairy products such as milk and cheese. The milk and pudding are

yummy too.

Hamamatsu Flower

Japanese people are diligent and never lazy. The famous food is ramen, seafood, dessert, sashimi and sushi.

Traveling to different places can



expand our knowledge and we can learn more than at home.

Don't wait to go out and see the big world. The world is waiting for you!

-Casey Wong 6B

The Best Grandma on Earth

I will never forget my first birthday. This is a picture of my grandmother. We celebrated together with my mum and dad. I was happy. They bought a fruit cake for me. It was so cute. Then they sang songs to me and we ate cake together. It was yummy. Later we went shopping and grandma bought a cute doll for me. I still love it!

In the evening, we went to a Chinese restaurant and we ate some dim sum. At night, I felt sleepy, so I slept with my grandma. I'm so

happy to have the best grandmother in the world!

-Hebe Wong 3B



I love my grandma!



Tuen Mun PARK

This is Tuen Mun Park. There are lots of flowers and trees. There is a big pond. Many ducks like to go swimming in the pond. They are cute.

There is also a good playground. I like playing on the slide, my sister likes to play on the swings.

Many people sit on the bench. They like to talk. Sometimes people like to sing for all the other people in the park.

I think Tuen Mun Park is an interesting place. Go visit today!

-Vanessa Man 3A



Steve, the *naughtiest* boy in the world

My little brother's name is Steve. He looks very cute, but he is naughty. Sometimes he is good, but he is often bad.

One day, he went to the toilet while I was brushing my teeth! I felt so angry, like I wanted to eat him. So I think my brother is the naughtiest boy on Earth! But I will love him forever.

-Mila Kam 4A



My best friend in the World



This is my best friend. His name is Owen. He wears white glasses. He has short straight hair. He is nice and helpful because he always helps teachers to carry books.

He is very handsome and very playful. I always play table tennis with him. I think we will be best friends forever!

-Jan Tsui 4A



Dolls from Russia

Do you know what Russian dolls are? Russian dolls are a wooden set of dolls of decreasing size, placed one inside another. The first Russian doll was made in 1890. The name connotes the monarchs of a big Russian families. I have many Russian dolls at home. My mum bought them in Russia. I like the presidential Russian doll set best.

-Gabriela Lee 6B



Nice to meet you!

I am King. I am in class 5A. I am good at English and PE. Unfortunately, I think Chinese and art are boring. My best friend is Paco. He is very smart. I always play with him at recess. Nice to meet you!



Self Introduction

We Love our Mothers!



Mother's Day cards from our young journalists!

The Journalist Elite Team

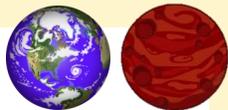
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Space Mission



Last Sunday, Tom, Alex, and Sally said, "Let's go to another planet to find some gold." I answered, "We live on Mars, so let's go to Earth, it must have a lot of gold."

The next day, we prepared a spaceship, gold-finder, drilling machine and our laser guns. We were so happy that mum and dad let us go to Earth.

On the third day, we went into the spaceship. I brought a big robot named: Hello. And Alex brought a small robot named: Bye. We were



going to Earth, hurray!

On the fourth day, we arrived on Earth. We went to the forest, and we started looking for the gold. We were looking and looking... finally after 6 long hours we saw a dark, dangerous cave in the side of a large mountain.

Suddenly a big, purple, angry monster jumped out! I wasn't afraid, I quickly gave it some

sleeping pills to eat. Then it fell asleep. We quickly went into the cave to get the gold. However, when



Silly Writing Corner

we found the gold, the gold wrapping fell off and it was only a chocolate coin!

Finally we called the monster to wake up. It said that it likes to eat chocolate, and it was very friendly so it shared the chocolate with us.

We were so happy. I think next year, I must bring a lot of chocolate to give the monster to eat.

-Amy Lau 4A



School of Nonsense

Once upon a time there was a school that was very silly. All the students were very wild and unpredictable because of a new teacher: Mr. Haha. Mr. Haha started to give 100 pages of homework every night! Some of the students liked it, but many did not like it.

Now the school was divided into two big teams, the Pros and the Cons. The Pros thought the homework was a good idea, the cons did not.

The cons always hurt the pros. They used their hands to beat them, kick them, and throw things at them. But the Pros were unkind to the Cons too. They always made the Cons sad, threw rubbish at them, and punished them too.

Finally, nobody won because everything was very dirty and all the students were injured.

In the end, Mr. Haha was thrown in the sea and he swam to the other side of the world where he gave homework to poor countries in need.

We can learn that fighting will only destroy things and that two teams can talk about their problems to find a solution.

-Charles Leung 5A



The Most Amazing Battle in History

The battle of Marathon is a great battle which took place in 490 BC. The Persian Empire sent 30,000 soldiers to Athens. Athens sent 10,000 men plus 1,000 Plateans to a town called Marathon.



The Greeks surprisingly attacked first by running at the Persians in their heavy armor.

Even though there were many more Persians, the Greeks only lost 192 men and killed 6,400!

After the battle a very fast soldier named Phillip ran back to Athens to share the news of victory. The distance he ran was 42km (26.2 miles). And today, we have a popular race of the same distance named the Marathon!

I think this was one of the most important and amazing battles in the history of the world. I think we can learn to try hard to protect our rights no matter how impossible it might seem.

-Edmond Law 6A