

TISA School Homework and Makeup Work Policy

Homework is important to student learning at Taos Integrated School of the Arts. The purpose of this plan is to guide teachers, parents and students in ensuring that homework and makeup work is meaningful and supports the learning experience for all students. Please understand that a great deal of what we do cannot be made up (exhibitions, presentations, plays, recitals, etc.). Attendance is important to achieving academic excellence. Please schedule all family vacations during breaks that are built into our school calendar and not during scheduled school time.

The note states that the child *must* either turn in the assignment the next day or attend the Learning Lab that afternoon

The student must stay after school for as many Learning Lab sessions as needed to complete the work. Students participating in extracurricular activities are not exempt.

It is important that students not view the Learning Lab as a negative place. We want students to come for help if they need individual attention to understand a concept, access to computers, and a place to work collaboratively.