

HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT REQUESTS DUE TO ILLNESS:

Family Vacation:

When planning family vacations, we respectfully request that you honor the Scotch Plains-Fanwood School District calendar. We strongly believe that it is essential for your child to be in attendance every day and only be excused when there is an illness or extenuating circumstances. If there should be an occasion that necessitates a family trip, the teaching staff and administration recommend that you engage your child in the following ways to maintain your child's reading, writing and basic computation skills:

- read on a regular basis;
- write a creative writing piece;
- keep a vacation log or journal; and
- practice math facts and spelling lists.

Please do not request additional assignments from the teacher, as many of the activities generated in the classroom require teacher direction. Such instruction, where necessary, will be provided when the student returns to school.