

# Let's Go to College: School Success (4th & 5th Grade)

Learning can be very exciting. You can learn a lot when you go to college, like how to speak a different language, how to do a science experiment, or how to help those in need. To make sure you learn all you can, start practicing successful school habits now. Do your homework and study your class notes. Completing your homework will help you understand all the great things you're currently learning. When college students have done all their schoolwork and successfully completed a particular course of study, they receive an official document that shows they've earned a diploma, certification or degree, celebrating them for all of their hard work. This certificate, called a diploma, celebrates students for all of their hard work. To receive your college degree, you should have fun in class, ask questions and learn all you can.

## **Degree Completion**

Instructions: Complete your college diploma below by putting in your name, the degree you'd like to learn about and the date you will finish college.

Example	
OCAP University	
This degree is presented to:	
Harper Taylor	
for excellence in	
Graphic Design	
CollegePresident May 15, 2028 Date	OCAP University
	This degree is presented to:
	for excellence in
	CollegePresident Date

#### **School Success Habits**

Instructions: Jason wants to do great in school, but he needs help learning good habits for educational success. Help him practice the right habits by labeling the sentences below. If the sentence is a positive school habit put a "P" beside the sentence. If it's a negative school habit put an "N" beside the sentence. The first one has been done for you.

1.	Jason studies in front of the television. <u>N</u>
2.	Jason asks his teacher for help with a difficult science problem.
3.	Jason has a test next week so he starts studying today.
4.	Jason finds a new place to study that's free of distractions.
5.	Jason doesn't use a planner to write down his assignments.
6.	Jason talks while his teacher is giving instructions.
7.	Jason reads for 30 minutes each day.
8.	Jason frequently borrows a pencil for class from his classmates.
9.	Jason lets his older brother check his homework for errors.
10.	Jason starts preparing his backpack for school every night before bed.



#### **Homework Benefits**

Instructions: There are many benefits to completing your homework. Read the statements below to see if you agree that each activity can be a benefit of doing homework. If you agree with the statement put a checkmark in the "Agree" column, if you disagree with the statement put a checkmark in the "Disagree" column. The first one has been done for you.

Possible Benefits	Agree	Disagree
Losing your recess can be a benefit of doing homework.		$\checkmark$
Doing math problems correctly can be a benefit of doing homework.		
Developing good study habits can be a benefit of doing homework.		
Doing push-ups can be a benefit of doing homework.		
Spelling words correctly can be a benefit of doing homework.		
Being late to class can be a benefit of doing homework.		
Being able to read chapter books can be a benefit of doing homework.		
Making spaghetti can be a benefit of doing homework.		
Receiving a good grade on a test can be a benefit of doing homework.		
Going to the supermarket can be a benefit of doing homework.		



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