Don’t Just Do Your Homework, LEARN It!

Step 1: Carefully read and do a homework problem in pencil.

Step 2: Check your answer (they are all posted on my website)

Step 3: Using red pen, score your work.

★★ GOT IT ON THE 1ST TRY
I got the problem right the first time I tried. I completely understand the problem.

★★ GOT IT ON THE 2ND TRY
I got the problem wrong, did the problem over in red pen, and understand my mistake. I understand the problem now. You can see my original pencil work and red corrections.

✗ STILL DON’T GET IT
I tried my best, but the book says my answer is wrong. I can’t find my mistake. I will get help on this problem from (1) a family member, friend, or tutor TONIGHT, (2) my classmates or Mr. Spencer at the beginning of the hour TOMORROW, or (3) during x-block or lunch help OUTSIDE OF CLASS.

Step 4: Repeat this process for each homework problem.

Step 5: At the top of your homework, write a fraction showing how many problems you understand (1st or 2nd try both count) out of how many problems were assigned.