

Homework

Parents' Guide

Ready to Achieve

Aims of Homework

The purpose of homework is to support the school curriculum and to develop student's life long learning skills -

- Meeting deadlines
- Following instructions
- Seeking support
- Working autonomously

Amount of Homework

All students are expected to study each evening and complete all homework set. Once this is completed they need to move onto reading or revisiting work they completed in their lessons which they need to reinforce.

Expectations

- Year 7 at least 45 minutes – 1 hour each evening.
- Year 8 and 9 at least 1 hour each evening.
- Year 10 and 11 over 1 hour each evening.

If they do not have specific homework to do they should spend their time:

- Reading a range of texts that help develop their knowledge
- Reviewing work they have already completed
- Working on topics they find challenging through the school MLE or Sam learning website

Recording of Homework

Students must write down their homework set during each lesson and record when it's due in. As a parent or guardian you are expected to sign the homework diary every week. It will be checked by the form tutor every week. A teacher may record in the diary if homework is not completed.

Students write homework here



Subject	Homework Details	Due Date	Done	Done Date
English	Create a summary paragraph describing your life in the 1900s.	Tue		
Maths	Find out the meanings of the words polygon and equilateral. Tell details.	Wed		
Science	Write a four paragraph essay explaining particles and their movements.	Mon		
History	Research Martin Luther King and explain from your opinion what you think of his speech.	Tue		

Subject	Homework Details	Done	Done Date
Music	Create four chords using major and minor chords. It is anything with correct timing.	Mon	
History	Using the overviewing worksheet write a few sentences writing about the high and low points of his life.		
Spanish	Write future, past, present and present continuous using guidelines.		



Parents sign here

Homework Timetable Year 7

Monday	Science	Maths
Tuesday	English	Humanities
Wednesday	Art	Technology
Thursday	Computing	Music or Drama (A)
Friday	Languages or Literacy	Music or Drama (W)

Homework Timetable Year 8

Monday	Languages or Literacy	Reading
Tuesday	Science	Sam Learning
Wednesday	Maths	Reading
Thursday	English	Sam Learning
Friday	Option 1	Option 2

Homework Timetable Year 9

Monday	English	
Tuesday	Maths	
Wednesday	Science	
Thursday	Languages or Literacy	
Friday	Option 1	Option 2

Homework Timetable Year 10

Monday	Maths	
Tuesday	Option 3	
Wednesday	English	
Thursday	Option 2	
Friday	Science	Option 1

Homework Timetable Year 11

Monday	Option 1	Option 2
Tuesday	Option 3	
Wednesday	Science	Statistics or RE
Thursday	English	
Friday	Maths	

Study Resources

Please use these additional resources to support your learning at home.



- www.mymaths.co.uk
- Username: walworth Password: factor
- Individual Portal logins available from teachers
- Here you can find all the topics covered in class and work through the interactive lessons. You can also complete the online homework using your Portal login.



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Ready to Succeed

Reading Matters

Reading Book – Your child must have a reading book in their bag. They will be expected to read it during registration. Furthermore they should spend time reading it at home when they have completed all their homework.

Reading helps develop vocabulary, improve written and verbal communication and gives the child access to facts, new ideas and opinions, which they may otherwise never hear about. That is why it is so important to encourage children to read!

School Library

Students can borrow books from our school library.

Library –The library is open for students to help them with their homework and for reading. There are quiet study spaces, and also computers and printing facilities for students to use. There is always a member of library staff present to provide support with their reading and to guide them towards the best resources to complete their work.

The library opening times:-

Before School	8.00am – 8.30am
During School	Lunchtime
After School	2.25 – 5.00 pm

Local Libraries

You can also borrow books from your local libraries.

East Street Library
168-170 Old Kent Road
London
SE1 5TY

Blue Anchor Library
Market Place
Southwark Park Road
SE16 3UQ

Canada Water Library
21 Surrey Quays Road
London
SE16 7AR

Organisation of Homework

Good study habits will lead to success. Getting organised with regular study habits is the first step.

1. Parent and child agree the times to study, free time, eating and sleeping.

Each night 1 and ½ hours will be for study.

2. Put these on the timetable and stick it in a public place e.g. the fridge.

3. Everyone must stick to the timetable.

- At study time the student must study preferably in a public place e.g. the kitchen table.
- Free time is the student's time and no mention of study during this period.

4. Update the timetable every week.

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