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Dear Parents/Carers

Show my Homework and Homework setting

Thank you to the families who came to the Show My Homework evening last week. As from this week all homework will be set by staff using the Show My Homework package that Mr St John has previously written to you about. Your son/daughter should have now received log in details so that they can access homework from either a desktop computer or Smartphone.

As part of this change we have also decided to change the Homework Timetables that have previously been sent to you. Please see below the expected homework that your daughter/son will be set each week by subject teachers.

Key Stage	Year Group	Subject	Number of pieces per week
3	7, 8 and 9	English	2
		Mathematics	2
		MFL	2
		Science	1
		Geography	1
		History	1
4	10 and 11	English	2
		Mathematics	2
		Science	2
		Each of the four option choice subjects	1 piece per subject

It is important that homework set is meaningful and adds understanding and development of skills to the learning that takes place in the classroom. We believe that more meaningful homework can be set if teachers have flexibility across the week when they set the homework. Teachers will not set homework that is due in the next day which will help students to plan ahead when they are completing the work.

As with any new system we welcome your feedback. If you feel that this new homework timetable is not working as well as we would like please contact the school or attend a Parent Forum meeting to share your views.

Yours sincerely

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