



6<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

**KS4 Homework**

As a result of a school wide homework review last summer, there are a few changes to the homework programme this academic year.

The new homework programme aims to achieve the following:

- Consistency of setting
- Enhancement of the learning process
- Preparing for assessments/exams
- Promoting revision
- Development of key skills required for post 16 Study
- Involvement of parents more fully in managing student learning

**Maths and English**

Significant homework assessments set every fortnight

**Science**

Significant homework assessments set every 3 weeks

**Option Subjects**

One significant homework assessment per half term

Please note that additional shorter homework, to finish off work, research a topic for the next lesson or prepare students for later assessments will also be set. These will be no more than 30 minutes in length.

Please see the attached plan for details of the programme for each year.

Yours sincerely

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