

To Parents/Carers of Year 7 to Year 11 Pupils

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## **RE: Homework Rota**

Dear Parent / Carer

To support with pupils' organisation and workload, we have introduced a homework rota. The frequency of homework will increase each year.

### Year 7:

- Core subjects (English, Maths and Science) every week
- Languages fortnightly (after October half term)

Other subjects may set occasional homework particularly around assessment periods to support pupils with their revision and development of independent study skills.

### Year 8:

- Core subjects every week
- Languages fortnightly
- History, Drama, Geography twice each per half term
- RS, CP (half termly)

Other subjects may set occasional homework particularly around assessment periods to support pupils with their revision and development of independent study skills.

### Year 9:

- Core subjects every week
- All subjects as and when appropriate

### Year 10 and 11:

- Complete homework for each subject at least every two weeks. This will vary during assessment periods and for those subjects who have NEAs.

Microsoft Teams will be used to set and record homework in the assignment section. Pupils will record homework in planners to enable pupils and parents to track their homework and manage their time. Pupils will receive stamps for completion of homework and written warnings will be given in planners by teachers when homework is not completed.

We ask parents to support teaching staff by checking planners for written warnings. If students miss multiple pieces of homework, they may be placed on homework report at which point teachers will contact home to inform parents.

If pupils require a space to complete homework at school the library, which has IT facilities, is open at lunchtimes and after school until 5pm. We also have a twilight bus which operates on a Monday and Thursday evening, leaving just after 5pm from the bus park. The twilight bus serves all our feeder villages, pupils will need to notify the driver of their stop as they enter the bus.

For pupils wanting to complete additional independent work outside of the classroom we have links to resources on our website:

Limitless Potential Page: <https://southhunsley.org.uk/limitless-potential/>

Revision Strategies: <https://southhunsley.org.uk/files/uploads/2023/02/Revision-Strategies.pdf>

Literacy: <https://southhunsley.org.uk/limitless-potential-literacy/>

If you have any questions regarding please contact your child's Head of Year for general enquires or class teacher for subject specific enquires.

Yours faithfully



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