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DEA/mm

Dear Parents / Carers,

RE: Year 7 Homework

I hope that students have returned home this afternoon enthused at the end of their second week of the spring term.

I am writing to provide an update on Year 7 homework timetables. Following review of homework submission during the last half term – we have taken the decision to extend the period of time that Year 7 students will have a scaffolded homework timetable that is designed to support them in making a successful transition to their key stage 3 studies.

Homework forms a key part of the curriculum for each of our subjects. In addition, research from the EEF (Education Endowment Foundation) shows us that students completing regular homework in secondary schools can improve student's learning by 5 months, and is even more effective if students are behind in their learning.

To support students in being able to complete their homework in good time, and access ICT facilities where necessary, we run a supervised daily homework club each morning from 8am in Room T1 (during which time students can also access our breakfast club). In addition students may utilise our homework room each lunchtime which provides access to ICT facilities.

Please see the homework timetable overleaf, this will commence from Monday 29th January and remain in effect until Thursday 28th March 2024. We are confident that this will allow students to confidently and consistently meet their set homework deadlines.

Homework for Art and Music will be set in the form of extended two-week projects. These will be set on a carousel basis so that students do not have more than one extended homework project at one time.

Should students wish to complete additional learning at home – please ask them to speak directly to their classroom teacher or relevant head of department who will be able to set appropriate activities aligned to the curriculum.

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Monday	Science MFL	Science RE	Science	RE Technology	Drama Technology
Tuesday	English	English	English MFL	English MFL	English
Wednesday	Humanities	Humanities Drama	Humanities	Humanities	History RE
Thursday	RE Technology	MFL Technology	Drama Technology	Science	Science MFL
Friday	Maths Drama	Maths	Maths RE	Maths Drama	Maths

Thank you in advance for your support.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at deagleton@brentford.hounslow.sch.uk should you have any questions at all.

Yours faithfully,

D. Eagleton

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