

**Courage, Kindness, Compassion, Endeavour, Dignity**

**Home Learning English Faculty Policy/Procedures**

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**Aims of faculty home learning:**

- To encourage independent learning and stimulate intellectual curiosity.
- To extend class learning.
- To provide scope for further development and exploration of ideas.
- To provide meaningful and manageable tasks.
- To prepare students for forthcoming assessments and examinations.

**Types of tasks that may be set:**

- Short retrieval focussed tasks such as finding quotations.
- Creating revision resources.
- Creating quizzes for other students.
- Extended writing, both fiction and non-fiction.
- Wider reading.
- Learning spellings, vocabulary, quotations and keywords.
- Research.
- Reinforcement of completed class work.
- Quizzes – using peer assessment/self-assessment/self-marking.
- Planning/evaluation tasks.
- Preparing to give a presentation.
- Preparation for next lessons e.g., making notes or revision cards.
- Creative responses to texts such as making, painting, building etc.
- Selecting from a homework menu.



**Expected time to complete home learning:**

Subject	KS3	KS4	KS5
English	30 minutes	45minutes Year 9 60 minutes Year 10 and 11	2-3 hours

An additional optional enrichment home learning task may be set and rewarded with 5 additional house points.

**When will home learning be set?**

- Weekly home learning will be set by the main class teacher.
- Where possible, home learning will be set on the same day each week.
- In some circumstances, students may also be asked to complete unfinished classwork.

**How will home learning be set?**

- All homework will be set on Google Classroom and signposted on Edulink.

Home learning will be rewarded in line with school policy.

**Procedures if home learning is not completed:**

- Students will be given a warning and a second chance or extension to complete work.
- Should work still not be handed in students will be given a behaviour point and may be given a detention.

**Who to contact should you have any concerns about home learning?**

- Main class teacher who has set the home learning in the first instance.
- Head of Faculty.

**Expected standards of presentation:**

- Work should be completed in line with school presentation policy.
- Wherever possible, work should be completed online and submitted via Google Classroom.
- Work submitted on paper should be on A4 and in pen unless otherwise specified.

