



13th September 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

As many of our parents of students in years 8 and above will already be aware, at Cleeve Meadow we are keen to extend our students' learning opportunities beyond the classroom, and as part of this set regular homework on Google Classroom.

We have found in past years that students who complete their homework will achieve higher scores in any assessments and will retain this knowledge for a greater period of time- especially in regards to vocab and times tables tests.

Homework encourages self-development and self-discipline, as students learn to complete the homework independently.

We also find that setting homework also gives parents and carers a greater insight into the work their young person is doing at school.

This year, homework will continue to be set via Google classroom (information attached on how to access Google classroom)

Each week students will be set

- 1 piece of English
- 1 piece of Maths
- 1 vocab task

Each of these should only take approximately 15-20 minutes per piece to complete.

Additionally, teachers of foundation subjects (e.g. history/geography/RE) will set a longer project based homework task each half term - these will be optional, and will have a set number of smiley faces attached to each one for any student who wishes to complete them.

If you don't have access to a computer or laptop or your child works better on paper, please let us know and we will be able to provide your young person with paper copies of the work and a folder.

Many thanks for your support with this.

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