

SSH/JRO

18th September 2019

Dear Parent

At Rawmarsh Community School we value the link between parents and the school and the support you can offer to both us and your child in supporting their education. Not all learning takes place during the hours of the school day and homework has been proven to be a successful tool in increasing understanding in students and developing and improving skills already learnt.

Throughout the year we will be running a number of parental workshops where you will be invited into school to look at various ways you can support your child with their homework, revision and general learning when they are not in school. This is a great opportunity for us to build on our already strong links with parents and we hope that you will be able to attend some of the workshops.

Our first session is on Wednesday 9th October, starting at 5pm, and ending at approximately 6:30pm. The evening will involve the Maths, MFL and IT departments showcasing some of the work undertaken by our Y7 students so far. The evening will involve you and your child rotating around all three subject areas and being given information on how to best support your child at home. This may be in the form of mathematical methods that are used, use of Google Drive and simple conversational phrases and vocabulary that you can use with your child when at home. Part of the session will also see your child showcase the work they have completed so far this year, and act as the teacher, showing you what they have covered so far and the pride they have in their work. Each rotation will last approximately 30 minutes. Student ambassadors will be on hand to help you move between classrooms. Light refreshments and snacks will be available during the evening.

Please complete the reply slip below and return to school reception by 27th September. Places for the evening are limited. We will be in contact to let you know if you have been successful in securing a place.

Yours faithfully

Mrs S Shaw
Associate Assistant Headteacher

**Reply Slip
Parental Engagement Evening**

Child's Name:

Name of Parent(s):

I/we would like to attend the parental workshop session on Wednesday 9th October at 5pm.

Mobile Number:

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