



# Home Learning Guide



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# Our Approach and Aim to Home Learning



We want all Rawmarsh students to achieve their full potential as this will aid them moving on to their next steps in life. The majority of a student's learning time will be completed in school. Still, we are all aware that to support and enhance students in achieving the best they can, classroom work needs to be complemented by work completed outside of school. Homework will never be set for the sake of it but always be carefully thought out to achieve its purpose. This guide should ensure there is a consistent approach and to ensure students, parents and staff know their responsibilities. It will also enable all students to be given opportunities to enrich their learning and improve their progress and attainment.

## Home Learning Procedures

How often should homework be set?

- At KS3 there should be at least 2 tasks set per subject each half term. Each task should range from about 20-30 minutes
- At KS4 there should be at least 3 tasks set per subject each half term. Each task should range from about 20-40 minutes

What type of task could be set (this is not an exhaustive list)

- Knowledge-based activities - this could be an assessment, exam questions, consolidation of key fundamentals, or a quiz
- Online platform with questions or quizzes set
- Revision for upcoming assessments

Enrichment homework should also be available where students have access to more resources if they feel they want to complete more work in a particular subject. Students should be directed to where these resources can be found. Students can achieve a pledge through engaging with enrichment homework and taking ownership of their own learning.

# Role of a Student

- Students should record all their homework in the planners
- Complete homework before the deadline to the best of their ability
- Ask the class teacher for support if they need it before the deadline

# Role of a Parent



- To assist their child in checking what homework has been set
- Helping their child manage their time at home to meet deadlines set
- To encourage their child to seek support at school if they need it

# Role of a Class Teacher

- Plan and assign activities in line with this guide
- Check that students have recorded their homework in their planners and support with this if needed
- Assign an effort point for independence when homework has been completed to an acceptable standard
- Assign a CFC effort for independence when homework has not been completed regularly
- Monitor and record the completion of homework in their markbooks