

THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL A SPECIALIST SPORTS COLLEGE

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Dear Parent/Carer

After School Homework Club

The Buckingham School has a keen focus on increasing student motivation and progress. In order to achieve this, I would like to introduce a new *After School Homework Club* for both Year 8 and 9 students, starting Wednesday, 2 March 2016, and every Wednesday, thereafter, from 3.20pm to 4.20pm in the Learning Resource Centre (LRC).

Having analysed previous progress data, it is apparent that there is a real need for some students who are struggling in certain subjects to complete regular, quality homework. This lack of regular, quality homework is directly impacting on their learning and, subsequently, their lack of progress.

Unfortunately, some students have accrued a significant number of unsatisfactory ATL scores so far this year. It is vital that all students have a clear and focussed attitude toward the completion of homework, therefore, we would like to invite your son/daughter to attend the sessions being offered.

I would appreciate your continued support in ensuring that they have a high attendance to the club for the remainder of the year. There will be a number of data tracks throughout the year, and I look forward to seeing a steady increase in the progress of each student.

Students will be given access to SMHW and will have specialist staff that will support and mentor them in helping them achieve progress and in completing their homework. Refreshments will be provided and I would like to encourage a positive atmosphere that breaks down any learning barriers students may have about completing homework.

Thanking you in advance for your support. If you have any queries please contact me on the email below.

Yours sincerely

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