



RGS Homework Policy - Students

Homework is set to maximise student learning and progress and is set and monitored by subject teachers.

1) Google Classroom:

- Homework activities will be set by the class teacher using Google Classrooms.
- Homework will include a due by date and students will be informed whether they should submit online or in the lesson

2) Homework:

- All subjects may set homework.
- English and Maths are able to set two pieces of homework per week. All other subjects may set one piece of homework per week.
- In year 7 students are provided with a homework timetable to assist with organising their homework.
- In older years students are required to manage their homework themselves.
- In order to help students manage their homework, subject teachers set homework as follows
 - o For subjects that see a student once per week, homework is set for the following lesson.
 - o For subjects who see students twice per week, homework is typically set after the double period (if applicable).
 - o Homework is never set to be completed for the next day.
 - o For subjects which may set two pieces of homework per week (English and Maths), one piece of homework will typically be a shorter activity, or one combined piece of homework will be set for the following week.
 - o Should any issues with homework scheduling arise, students are encouraged to report this to their form tutor.
 - o Holidays are an important opportunity for students to relax. Homework tasks will not be set to be completed over the holidays for Years 7 - 10.
 - o Years 11 - 13 may be directed to revision tasks over holiday periods.
 - o It is acceptable for staff to set homework ahead of a holiday period, as long as the work can be completed either in the week proceeding or week following the holiday period.
 - o Sixth Formers typically receive two hours of directed study per A Level per week. This should be completed during private study periods or non taught periods during the school day **and** at home.

3) Sanctions for late, incomplete or insufficient homework:

- Please see our Behaviour Policy for details of any sanctions relating to homework.