

Homework Tips

- Make homework a priority. Provide a calm, quiet work place away from distractions like the television.
- Establish a homework routine. Set up a regular time for your child to do his/her work each evening.
- Show an interest in your child's work, and encourage him/her to complete assigned work independently.
- Some children learn best by having quiet music playing in the background.
- Some children require opportunities for hands-on activities.



Our Mission Statement

Inspired by the example of St Vincent, we work together in a safe and caring atmosphere, where a high standard of education and care is provided.

We encourage a sense of achievement, self worth, moral responsibility and mutual respect, honouring all faith traditions and beliefs. Each one of us in our community is special and unique. Gifts and talents are valued and nurtured through all our work.

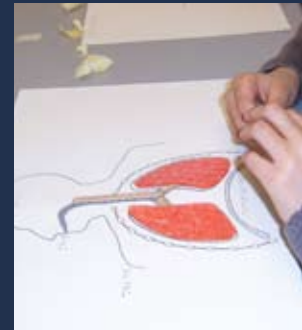
We are outward looking in our approach to the wider educational and social community and we encourage all our young people to become independent and to integrate fully into society.



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A Specialist School for Sensory Impairment and Other Needs

KS 3 to Post 16 Homework



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All homework is valuable as it is an opportunity to support your child's knowledge and understanding of the work carried out in school.

At Key Stage 3 - Years 7, 8 & 9

It is expected that your child works for up to one and a half hours after school. This equates to up to 3 subjects at half an hour per subject.

During Key Stage 4 & Post 16

The demands of the Key Stage 4 & Post 16 programmes of study would require a minimum of one and a half hours spent on homework.

Due to the nature of examination and coursework requirements your child may need to spend more time in completing homework tasks.

Points to Note

- Not all homework will be a written exercise.
- Homework may be a reading exercise, a set of tasks to complete, research or information to learn.
- Homework can give an indication, to the staff, of the support your child may need.
- We encourage you in supporting your child to be able to complete their homework - but please try not to do their homework for them. It is better to indicate if there has been a problem with completing a task so the appropriate support can be given in school.
- We would appreciate if you would check your child's homework and offer suggestions as to how they could develop or improve it.
- If you feel your child has spent an appropriate amount of time on their homework, please indicate with your initials and the length of time frame spent on the work.
- If you have any concerns about your child's homework please contact the Family Liaison Officer for further advice and support.

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Did you know that...

- Your support and involvement in your child's education has a direct impact on his/her success at school.
- By setting high expectations for your child, you can help him/her develop positive attitudes towards learning.
- Meaningful discussions about your child's daily learning experiences are important.
- Homework assignments are intended to provide opportunities to practise newly acquired skills.
- Homework is important to your child to help support and reinforce class work and to underpin knowledge and understanding.