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Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Launch of homework policy

Firstly, we would like to wish you a happy new year and hope you had a restful festive break.

As we at The Castle Rock School continue to strive towards developing an excellent learning environment for our young people and ensure consistency, we have developed the attached homework policy to support student learning. The policy states our attitude towards homework, the type of homework that will be set, its frequency and also consequences upon completion and non-completion.

This policy has been communicated with KS3 this week and will take effect next week and KS4 and 5 week beginning 15th January to take effect week commencing 22nd January. Many of our students already successfully complete homework for many of their subjects and we want to ensure they are rewarded for their positive attitude towards their learning. Students will be offered an opportunity to redo any work not completed to the required standard or submit at a later date on one occasion before sanctions are implemented.

As the policy states, we believe that constant retrieval of learning can help students embed their learning in lessons making it easier for them to perform well in lessons and exams as well as grasp the key tenets of the subjects they are being taught so they can enjoy learning.

We would be happy to receive any feedback on the policy and look forward to working with you to ensure the success of your child's educational experience at The Castle Rock School.

Kind Regards

Mrs R Dhameja
Vice Principal