Parent/Carer Information – Engagement Tracker

Each week on a Friday, you will receive a summary statement for each subject that your child studies throughout the week. This will take into account all of the lesson activities, including interaction in live lessons, completion of work set in assignments, and engagement with other activities that have been set by teachers (such as Hegarty Maths clips). For subjects who have several lessons in the week, the teacher will make a judgement that is the best fit across all lessons.

The tracker will be collated based on engagement from Friday to Thursday, to enable us to process the information and send a summary of the week to parent/carers on a Friday.

In each subject, your child will receive one of the following statements. This information will also be shared with their form tutor, so that you can work together with form tutors to quickly resolve any issues there may be.

Engagement statement

Absent - Student absent from lessons

Concern - No work has been attempted by the student

Concern - Work has been attempted but not to the standard the student is capable of

Requires improvement - Work so far is of a good standard but there are some assignments that are not yet complete.

Good- Student has completed all work to a good standard. Well done!

Excellent- Student has completed all work to an exceptional standard. Well done!

As a school, we understand that it is a real challenge for some families to monitor their child/children's remote learning throughout the day, so we are hopeful that this information will be a useful tool in being able to support and encourage your child. Where concerns are reported, we are here to help to get students back on track. Whilst it is important to us that students are engaging with their work and making progress remotely, we also care very much about their wellbeing. Please continue to keep in touch with your child's form tutor if there are any factors you feel the school should know that are preventing them from engaging with lessons.

You will find lots of information on our remote learning provision, including technical assistance, and ideas on how you can support your child at home on our home learning section of the website here.

Please see below some ideas around how you can work with your child to encourage them to engage with their learning:

- 1. Reward your child when they complete particularly challenging or impressive work.
- 2. Offer regular praise for simply sticking to a routine.
- 3. Create a point-based reward system where students can 'cash-in' their points for other privileges.
- 5. Remind them to move around during break times to help to maintain focus.
- 6. Following the normal timetable will help with routines and ensure that students build in break and lunch times.
- 7. Encourage your child to use the messaging function in Microsoft Teams during lesson time to ask their teacher for assistance or for extension activities if required.
- 8. Email form tutors with your feedback so they can also congratulate students during tutor time and/or award reward points.
- 9. Email form tutors with any major concerns so they can liaise with teachers where necessary.