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HOMEWORK POLICY - BUSINESS STUDIES

Aims & Ethos

- Due to the nature of Business having a number of vocational BTEC courses, homework is used in an ad-hoc manner. During the assessment windows of BTEC courses, students are not allowed guidance or teacher input so this limits what we are allowed to set.
- As such, the ethos of homework within the homework is that it is predominantly student-led, with individuals taking it upon themselves to develop their skills and knowledge outside of timetabled lessons where required, or when desired.

Key Stage 3 - No Homework for KS3

- Students will not be set homework in Year 7, 8 and 9 for Business Studies.

Key Stage 4 - As required

- Year 10 are advised weekly that if they are behind on a coursework deadline then their homework is coursework.
- Year 11 students have homework between September and the exam in Feb.

Key stage 5 - 3 to 5 hours a week.

- Homework is set weekly for Year 12 A Level and Year 13 A Level
- All homework is linked to the exams and may be a range of small questions and large questions or a large essay question. All of this is on google classroom.
- Homework trackers are used and all homework is marked and returned via classroom.
- We use past exam questions/ check in tests from the exam board, questions set in the endorsed textbook.
- For Year 12/13 BTEC groups, homework is to work on their coursework for around 2 hrs a week but as exams approach, past exam papers are set to work on which the students mark by accessing the examination mark schemes.

Accessibility and equipment.

- All homework is uploaded to Google Classroom.
- The Business department allows students to come in and do extra work most evenings after the normal college day.