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Dear Parents,

ClassCharts Update

As you are aware, ClassCharts is the package that we use record all home learning, homework, achievement and behaviour points. Over the last two years the school has invested in additional modules and we have now secured and will be using the communication package.

As a result, from today, if your child has an afterschool detention you will receive an email alert from ClassCharts to inform you rather than via the SchoolComms system. As is the current policy, this will be notice for a detention that will be completed the next working day for one hour after school. There are several reasons for a detention to be issued and this could include incomplete homework, for receiving four warnings or because a student has not attended a lunchtime detention.

In addition, also starting tomorrow, students who are removed from a lesson will have a lunchtime detention.

Aside from the notifications about classwork, homework and behaviour, ClassCharts allows staff, students and parents to review the achievement points that are awarded. Each week at Burscough Priory Academy, the points tally runs into tens of thousands and this is a good indicator that our students meet the high standards that we set them. The significant majority of these points are awarded for positive engagement and high-quality learning. If you haven't already, please take a look at ClassCharts and talk to your child about their achievements in order to recognise their hard work and reinforce the positive attitude and learning habits that will lead to success.

As a family, thank you for engaging with the ClassCharts package – where it is used effectively and everyone engages, it is a powerful tool to support the progress of our students.

Yours faithfully,

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Head of School



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