



Welcome Year 7 Settling In Evening

***‘Together in the Pursuit
of Excellence’***



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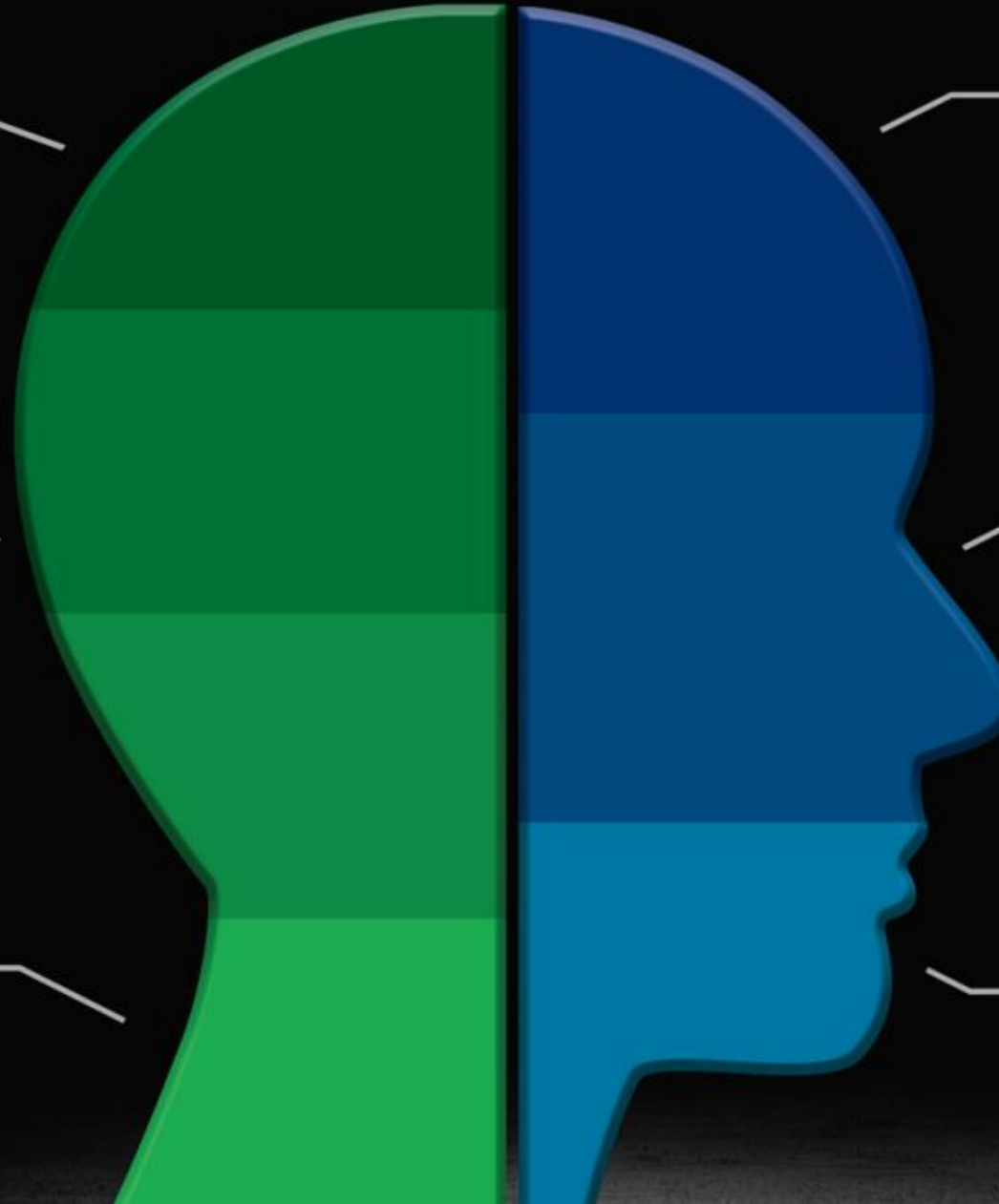
AMBITION

THE LEARNING READY SCHOLAR

**FOLLOWS
INSTRUCTIONS -
FIRST TIME, EVERY TIME**

**IS KIND AND POLITE
TO EVERYONE**

**WEARS THEIR UNIFORM
CORRECTLY AND
WITH PRIDE**



**ARRIVES ON TIME,
EVERY TIME**

**HAS THE CORRECT
EQUIPMENT**

**PRODUCES EXCELLENT
WORK**



Mrs Lucy Darling

Deputy Headteacher & Year Team Leader Y7

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Successes so far...



- 7JPD currently Achievement Point Leaders with over 15,000 points (15 points per achievement points)
- Over 85,000 Achievement points so far in Year 7
- Team Building Day
- Open Evening
- 98.5% Attendance
- 0 Lates to school or lessons



Student Progress



Be in it to win it!

The importance of attendance..

The single biggest favour you can do for your child is to send them to school EVERY day, on TIME!

Well, my child's got a 90% attendance record – that seems pretty good to me!

In a single year this would mean your child has missed **four whole weeks.**

Over 5 years it means that your child has missed **half a school year or one and a half terms!**

Student Progress



Attendance - impact for one year

Missed lessons create knowledge gaps

ATTENDANCE DURING ONE YEAR	EQUALS DAYS ABSENT	WHICH MEANS THIS NUMBER OF LESSONS MISSED
97%	6 DAYS	30 LESSONS
90%	20 DAYS	100 LESSONS
80%	39 DAYS	195 LESSONS
LESS THAN 75%	48 DAYS	MORE THAN 240 LESSONS

Student Progress: Resources



Curriculum Maps

[Department and Subjects | Congleton High School](#)

[KS3 - BBC Bitesize](#)

[MathsWatch](#)

[Log in | Fiction Express](#)

[Educake | Hassle-free homework](#)

Student Progress: Timeline



Year 7 Key Dates

Progress Evening: 8th May 2025

Learning Records and Assessments

Learning Records

- Feb 2025
- June 2025

Year 7 Serious About Success Exams

2nd - 13th June 2025

Student Progress: Expectations



Homework (Satchel:one)

- Homework is set to test and extend learning
- All homework must be completed on time and to an appropriate standard
- Support at home is essential if your child is to be successful

Attitude to Learning

1. Outstanding: In addition to meeting the criteria for 'Good':
2. Good: Meeting Expectations
3. Improvement Needed: I am not yet meeting the criteria for 'Good'.
4. Concerns

Student Progress: Expectations



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Good: Meeting Expectations

I show interest by always working very hard.

I aim to produce my best work.

I am resilient – I usually try to overcome difficulties myself rather than give up.

I always catch up on work missed if absent for a lesson.

I consistently engage well in tasks.

I do not waste time in lessons.

I always use teacher feedback to improve my work.

I work well in a group or individually, showing respect for others and full cooperation.

I always bring the correct equipment to lessons.

My work is generally well-organised and presented.

I complete all homework tasks on time and try very hard to produce my best work.

I sometimes complete extension tasks or explore further challenges.

Student Support



What can you do to support your child?

You don't have to be an expert in any of the subjects your child chooses to make a real difference - you just need to know how best to spend the time you do have, at each stage of the process.

Attend Progress Evenings and Information Evenings.

Take an interest – learn together!

Support with any future application process and encourage students to seek support where needed.

We are a partnership. Keep us informed – Parents Charter

Student Progress: Expectations



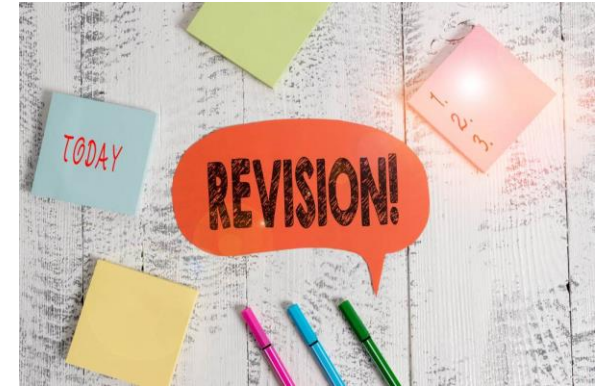
1	Outstanding: In addition to meeting the criteria for 'Good':			
<p>I show enthusiasm by putting maximum effort into every task.</p> <p>I aim to achieve the very best I can, frequently going the extra mile.</p> <p>I am very resilient – I never give up.</p>	<p>I always engage fully in all tasks.</p> <p>I use my initiative to look for ways to improve my work.</p>	<p>I take pride in the organisation and presentation of my work.</p>	<p>I regularly complete extension tasks or explore further challenges.</p>	

Student Support: Supporting your child



Wellbeing

Revision



Home learning

Sleep



Student Support: Emotional Wellbeing



- Form tutor – first port of call.

<https://congletonhigh.com/students/student-welfare>

- Year team leader - Mrs Darling

- Mobile phones

<https://www.childnet.com/young-people/11-18-year-olds/get-help/>

- Stress can be good. Reducing unhelpful stress.

- Talk is good.

Celebrating Success



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