

INDEPENDENT LEARNING EXPECTATIONS

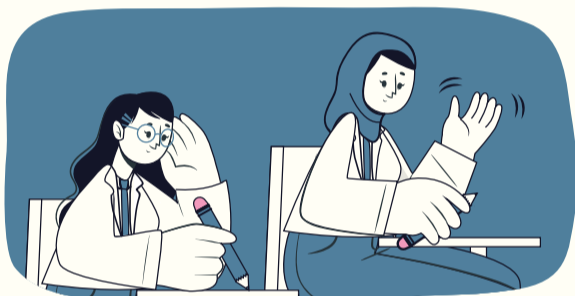
Independent Learning is an integral part of the learning at FSD and it is an expectation that all students complete the Independent learning set by their teachers.



Why is it important?

- Increases your chances of securing top examination grades.
- Provides students with opportunities to refine and extend their knowledge and skills.
- Creates good learning habits needed to study and learn independently (as required in higher education).

Where can you go for help with your independent Learning?



- Homework Club- Every lunch time



- Email asking for support from your teachers.



- Ask for support at break/ lunch time from teachers

Rewards

High quality independent learning and a good work ethic will be praised in class. Achievement points can be awarded through class charts. Additionally, at key points throughout the academic year, there will be celebrations and rewards for those students who consistently meet the highest of standards of independent work.

Sanctions

We do not expect our students to require sanctions for missing deadlines or not completing independent learning (including not completing to a satisfactory standard), but if they do students will face a sanction.

STAGE 1

If a student misses the deadline given on class charts, they will receive a department lunch time detention.

STAGE 2

If a student does not attend the lunch time department detention, this is escalated to a whole school homework after school detention for 1 hour.

STAGE 3

If a student does not attend the whole school after school homework detention or refuses to attend this will be escalated to an after-school detention on a Friday evening for 2 hours.



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