

KS4 Homework Information

Department:

Frequency of homework: <i>how often will my child be given homework?</i>	Format of homework: <i>what will my child be asked to do for homework?</i>	Expectations for homework: <i>how long is my child expected to spend on homework tasks and how will they know the quality of work expected from them?</i>	Assessment of homework: <i>how will my child's homework be assessed?</i>
<p>Students will be given written homework at least fortnightly, in the Writing Revolution style.</p> <p>Depending on individual or class needs, they may be set as frequently as once a week.</p>	<p><i>Writing Revolution tasks</i> are extended writing tasks that students are set to check for understanding of the subject content covered, but also to assess and further develop, the student's literacy writing skills.</p> <p><i>Quizizz</i> tasks are set as knowledge recall activities, and these may be set regularly for the students to complete. They can access the quiz on www.quizizz.com or download the app.</p> <p><i>Knowledge Organizer Revision</i> are a summary of the key facts and essential knowledge that pupils need about the topic they have been studying. They allow students to recall the key information and break it down into easily digestible chunks.</p>	<p>The Writing Revolution tasks are based on an exam question – in the exam they would have 8 minutes to complete it. We suggest students should spend around 20- 30 minutes to provide a quality answer that they can use in revision. The homework sheet has sentence starters and evidence to use, which will guide them on the required content and quality.</p> <p>Quizizz tasks take about 15 minutes to complete 30 multiple choice questions. If students get less than 50% success, they will be asked to reattempt the test to improve their retrieval of key words and concepts.</p>	<p>Students will be given written feedback, either individually as WWW/EBI targets or as a whole class feedback sheet.</p> <p>Students will be given opportunity in class to act on their feedback and improve their work.</p>