

19th March 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

These are unusual circumstances, and this is some guidance for you to help support your child's learning and well-being during this school closure. Your child has been given work, and we will be checking that it has been completed. On this letter you have guidance of *how* students will complete work at home and how you can check that they are doing the correct work during each day. All students have their own log in to Show My Homework, Seneca and Hegarty Maths. The requirement is that your child will need to log into Show My Homework every day. This will follow their usual timetable.

We will communicate important messages about the school to you via text message and email. Please ensure that you are checking the school website <https://evelyngraceacademy.org/> regularly for updates. If you need urgent assistance please contact the school on 0207 737 9520 that will be manned from 8am – 3.30pm from Monday to Friday. You can also email the school on info@evelyngraceacademy.org

There is a dedicated Department for Education helpline for parents/carers on coronavirus that complements the advice being provided by Public Health England – it is open Monday to Friday, from 8am – 6pm and can be reached by calling 0800 046 8687.

While your child is off school, please make sure that their time is as structured as possible and that they have minimal contact with other people, most notably the elderly or sick relatives. We would advise against them meeting up with friends in social gatherings too.

The expectation is that all students will complete the work set of all 6 lessons per day so that they continue to make progress throughout the time that the school is closed. We will monitor this and check if students are logging on to get the work done. Show My Homework can be accessed via a laptop, computer or phone. There is an app for Show My Homework which all students have been shown in assemblies and in form time. If your child is not logging on we will let you know via text, email or phone call that they are not meeting the required expectations.

It is essential that your child does the work set to keep up with the other students in their classes, but also with students across the country when it leads into learning for exams. Please ensure you encourage your child to complete all work set to the best of their ability and that they do all 6 sessions per day.

Curriculum Provision

To best make progress whilst the school is closed, your child must log into Show My Homework every day. There, they will find their lessons and character sessions for each day. This will follow their usual timetable. They can complete the work as directed, either in their exercise books or online.

If they are in year 11, they are also expected to complete the 10-week revision plan for each subject.

To see what your child is currently studying, you can access our curriculum overviews at <https://evelyngraceacademy.org/quality-education/curriculum>

You can scroll down to find your child's year group and their overview:

Our Curriculum Booklets

Below are links to our curriculum booklets that set out the Intent, implementation and impact of our curriculum.

They lay out the key knowledge that is required in each subject in each year group. It is shared with our parents in curriculum booklets. These booklets can be used as a revision resource to check what you do know and allow our parents to assist with revision. They can be used by our students to read up on topics that they know will be taught next.

-  [Year 7 - Curriculum Booklet 2019-20](#)
-  [Year 8 - Curriculum Booklet 2019-20](#)
-  [Year 9 - Curriculum Booklet 2019-20](#)
-  [Year 10 - Curriculum Booklet 2019-20](#)
-  [Year 11 - Curriculum Booklet 2019-20](#)

Any concerns regarding student progress or learning in the first instance should be raised with the appropriate **Director of Learning**. Parents can contact the academy on [0207 772 2520](tel:02077722520) or via **email** requesting a call back from a Director of Learning.

Show My Homework

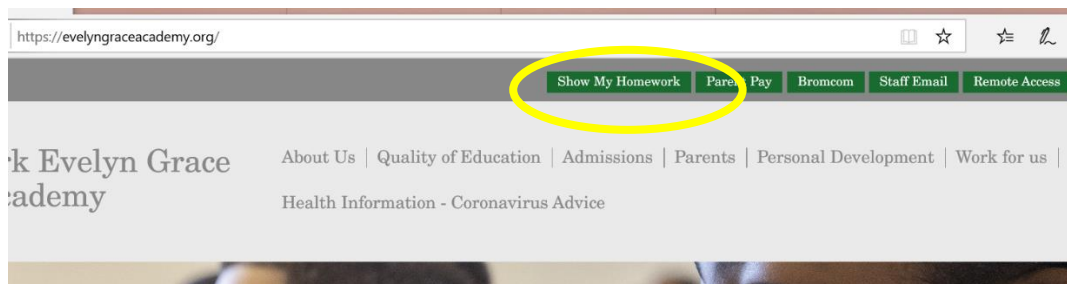
You can log in to check Homework that has been set using your log-in details that were sent to you. If you do not have log-in details or are unable to log-in, see the how-to guide below.

Your child can also ask questions of their teachers by using the comment function:

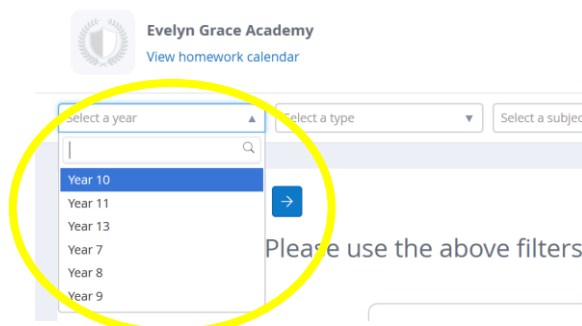


How to check homework without logging in:

1. Go to www.evelyngraceacademy.org
2. Click the Show My Homework tab at the top right:



3. Select the year group that your child is in:



4. Check the classes that they have:

16 Mar - 22 Mar					
Monday 16th Mar	Tuesday 17th Mar	Wednesday 18th Mar	Thursday 19th Mar	Friday 20th Mar	
11ENL-YE English Literature (GCSE9) Mr S. Champion	11RE-OR Religious Education (GCSE9) Ms K. Bimson	11AR-C1 Art (Mastery) Mr G. Gayle	11RE-OR Religious Education (Assessment+) Miss M. Asefaw	11MA-BL Mathematics (GCSE9) Mr J. Jennings	
11ENL-YE English Literature (GCSE9) Mr S. Champion	11HI-D History (Assessment+) Mr E. Evans	11AR-C1 Art (Mastery) Mr G. Gayle	11GG-B Geography (GCSE9) Mr A. Hadden	11MA-BL Mathematics (GCSE9) Miss T. Campbell	
11EN-OR English Literature (GCSE9)	11HI-D History (Assessment+) Mr E. Evans	11AR-C2 Art (GCSE9) Mrs C. Nevitt	11HI-A History (GCSE9) Ms A. Kinnon	11MA-GR Mathematics (GCSE9) Mr J. Jennings	
		11AR-C2		11PE-C1	

- Click on those to see what work has been set.

Hegarty Maths

For Maths, students will also be set work on Hegarty. See below for how to access this:



- Go to <https://hegartymaths.com/>
- Click on Student Log-in
- All students have their log-in details. Input these to log-in and access their individual work to complete.

Seneca

For Science and Computer Science, students will also be set work on Hegarty. See below for how to access this:

- Go to <https://www.senecalearning.com/>
- Click on 'Students, start here'
- All students have their log-in details. Input these to log-in and access their individual work to complete.

Important websites to use:

	<p>BBC Bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize Provides a range of videos and other activities for all subjects that you are learning in school. This is a very useful website for students from Year 7 to Year 11 and covers content in both your core and options subjects.</p>
	<p>Seneca Learning https://www.senecalearning.com/ Seneca is an online platform that allows you to work through learning materials at your own pace, providing quizzes to check your learning as you go through. An excellent resource to support revision.</p>

	<p>Active Learn https://www.pearsonactivelearn.com/ Active learning is a form of learning in which teaching strives to involve students in the learning process more directly than in other methods. Active learning engages students in two aspects – doing things and thinking about the things they are doing. Your Username and password will be posted on Show My Homework. Your teacher will continue to set work that you can complete.</p>
	<p>Hegarty Maths https://hegartymaths.com/ Hegarty Maths is used in our school to support learning in maths. You will already have a username and password for this, and your teacher will continue to set work that you can complete.</p>
	<p>Ted Ed https://ed.ted.com/ This website has a range of videos that students can watch. Each video is accompanied by a series of questions that your child can answer, a discussion question that you could talk to them about, as well as links to other websites and information if they want to find out more about the topic.</p>
	<p>Duolingo https://www.duolingo.com/ This website (and app) is a great way to practice and revise the modern foreign language that your child is learning at school.</p>

If you are a Year 11 parent, please refer to Ofqual website at <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ofqual> to check up on the up to date guidance about their GCSE qualifications.

With every good wish

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 Principal

