



Year 7 Homework

Students spend only a small fraction of their time at school. Homework is therefore an essential part of ensuring our students have the best chance of success. Homework is a vital part of being successful at school, and makes a huge difference to your chances of success especially in Year 11 and Year 13.

Year 7 students will be competing Homework using three online platforms.

Maths	– Sparx
English	– Bedrock
Science	– KayScience

Students will also complete daily self-quizzing using Knowledge Organisers, recorded and completed in their planners.

In CR5, we run a Homework Club every Monday to Thursday after school from 3.00–4.00. We strongly encourage students to attend, especially if they are struggling with any of the online platform, as help is always available.

Homework expectations

Every **day**, students are expected to:

- Complete **daily self-quizzing** based on Knowledge Organisers in their Homework Planners

Every **week**, students are expected to:

- Complete the set tasks on **Sparx – Maths 100%**
- Complete **4 daily goals a week on Tassomai – Science**, as well as tasks set by science teachers.
- Complete **2 lessons/20 points on Bedrock Learning – English**

Sparx Maths

Log into [Sparx](#)

Sparx homework is assigned to students on **Friday afternoon** and will appear in their Sparx page at **3pm** that day. It will be due the **Thursday by 11:59pm**.

Below is a link to several video clips showing how to log in, how students need to set out their work, what they need to write out and why, and finally some examples.

Link for Sparx knowledge base student training video clips.
<https://support.sparx.co.uk/knowledge/training-materials-for-students>

How students set up their Sparx account -
<https://support.sparx.co.uk/en/knowledge/howstudents-set-up-their-sparx-account>

Summary of expectations for Sparx homework:

- Students must complete all tasks in the “compulsory completion” section.
- If they want to improve further, they have the choice of doing the tasks in the “XP Boost” and ‘Target’ sections, this is not mandatory and will not be checked.
- Any students not completing homework by the due deadline (Friday) will attend detention after school on the following Monday.



Bedrock Learning

Log onto <https://app.bedrocklearning.org/>

Students are expected to **gain at least 2 lesson/20 points**

Bedrock should be completed BEFORE a Monday morning as the week runs from a Monday morning to a Sunday night at 11.59pm.

Students log in to the Bedrock site using their username and password

There are also options to complete more tasks to increase their vocabulary.

We ask that parents spend time with your child to check they can log in to all of their learning platforms (this will also be done in lessons in school) and that they can show you how much work they have completed.

Any issues, please email

English – Miss Hutchings – nhutchings@parkhouseschool.org

Maths – Mr Thorne – dthorne@parkhouseschool.org

Sciences – Mr Markey – jmarkey@parkhouseschool.org

Students who fail to complete the required homework as per above will be issued a detention. However, we will not be issuing any detentions up until **Monday 16 October** to allow students time to get used to the homework expectations and request help if required.