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Dear Parents/Carers,

KS3 Mid-year Mathematics Assessment Point

We are writing to inform you of the mid-year mathematics assessments taking place during one lesson in the week commencing Monday 08 January 2024. These assessments are taken by all KS3 learners across the CLF and are designed to assess the learner's progress in mathematics so far this year. They help form their teacher assessed mid-year DOOYA result.

The DOOYA grade is a measure of whether they are currently working at:

- Greater Depth
- On track
- On track with support
- Yet to be on track or
- Working At an earlier stage

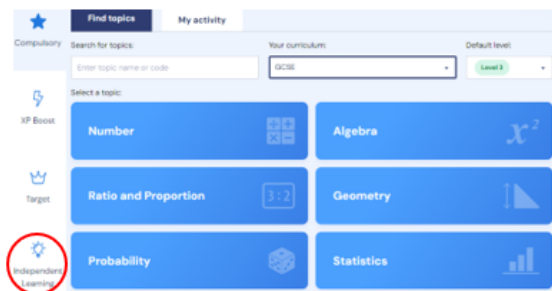
To support the learners to achieve *their* best in these assessments, each learner will be given a revision pack in lessons this week to bring home with them. These provide some brief reminders of the topics covered and some practice questions and answers to help them revise for these tests.

We are also fortunate to have access to Sparx Maths (<https://www.sparxmaths.uk/student/>) which the learners can use to access videos explaining all the concepts we have covered in class so far this year. The front of each revision pack has the codes they can enter in the 'Independent Learning,' section to access the relevant areas. This can be accessed from the left-side panel as seen below.

SparxMaths:

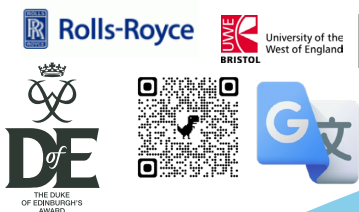
We use SparxMaths as our homework platform but also to aid with revision, practice, and self-learning. The online platform adapts to the user and has instructional videos for every question.

Homework is set every term week at 15:00 with a completion deadline of 08:00.



Thank you for your support in helping our learners to feel prepared and confident for these assessments.

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