

## South Dartmoor Community College and Atrium Studio School

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## Dear Parent / Carer

I hope everything is settling down after what is always a busy start to term. The children have made an excellent start with their in-class learning and it is lovely to see them so engaged. Home Learning is proving a bit more of a challenge. You may have seen on Class Charts that your child has not completed some home learning after being given an extended deadline. This would normally mean that they would have an after-college detention. Due to it being the start of term, we understand that some students may not have fully established their home learning routines and we wish to support them with getting back on track.

We would like to invite your child to a lunchtime support session in IT3 on Thursday 23 September 2022. It is important that your child attends this session to catch up on the work. Failure to do this will result in them receiving an after college detention to catch up on the work then. If you could please support them in attending this lunchtime session it would be very much appreciated.

## **Home Learning Support**

We know that some students might need further support with the completion of Home Learning. To aid with this we run an after-college homework club. This takes place Monday to Thursday in the Hub 3.15 pm-4.15 pm.

- Mathematics specific support available on Monday and Thursday
- Science based support available on Tuesday and Wednesday
- General support available on Monday through to Thursday.

Students just need to turn up in order to access the club, but they will need to have arranged transport home.

## **Class Charts**

Communication with Parents and Carers plays a huge role in helping students to succeed and Class Chart is a key part of this. One of the benefits of using Class Charts is that we are able to share securely your child(s) achievements with you and keep you up to date in real-time. You will be able to see your child's attendance, homework and their lesson timetable. It will also provide an opportunity for students to cash in their praise points in our online rewards store.





If your child is unsure about accessing Class Charts they can speak to their tutor who will provide them with their access code. If you yourself would like some support with accessing Class Charts then please do not hesitate to contact your child's Head of Year.

Yours sincerely

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