

Madeley Academy



Homework Policy

HOMEWORK POLICY

The Role of the Student

These guidelines are issued to assist in the organisation and completion of homework.

Details of homework should be written in the Homework Diary for each subject.

Write down the date, the task to be done, who has set the homework and when it has to be completed.

Any problems about the homework that has been set should be sorted out with the subject teacher.

Never leave the lesson without understanding what you have to do.

In September of each year students will be issued with a homework timetable which will show 2 homeworks for each evening.

Homework Diaries should be shown to Personal Tutors during tutor time to plan the week's homework.

The times below are given as a guide to how long each piece of homework should take:

Year 7	20-30 minutes
Year 8	30 minutes
Year 9	30-40 minutes
Year 10/11	40-50 minutes

The above times are recommendations for subjects to follow. Homework may be completed in the Library at 3.45–4.00pm Monday-Thursday.

If there are any problems with the completion of homework, this should be sorted out with Personal Tutors.

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The Role of the Parent/Carer

These guidelines are issued to enable you to monitor student's homework.

Each student should show their parent/carers their Homework Diaries which will indicate the tasks that have been set for homework and when they must be completed.

There should be one or two subjects each day, and the times below are given as a guide to how long each piece of homework should take:

Year 7	20-30 minutes
Year 8	30 minutes
Year 9	30-40 minutes
Year 10/11	40-50 minutes

The support of parents/carers is welcome in the completion of homework – but please do not do the homework for them.

The tasks should be appropriate to the level and progress of each individual student.

Some homework will be written, whilst other homework will involve your child in some research.

Please sign the Homework Diary weekly and, if necessary, comment upon the quality and frequency of homework, expressing your satisfaction or otherwise.

If there are any general or specific concerns about homework or school work in general, please contact the Personal Tutor immediately.

Parents/carers are invited to contact the Personal Tutor to request more homework for their child if they would like it.