



Homework Policy

At Thomas Becket Catholic School we believe students should use homework to enhance their in-lesson learning and doing this on a regular basis will help them to develop important skills.

The homework is uploaded to “Show My Homework” the online platform:

<https://www.showmyhomework.co.uk/login>

or to GCSE Pod:

<https://www.gcsepod.com>

- Students receive an individual log in
- Teachers set homework for them to complete
- Parents also have access to see what their child has been set and can track their progress

The school will ensure that pupils are set homework on a regular basis and in manageable amounts. We will set tasks that are suitable, achievable within the time available and set at an appropriate level of challenge.

The below outlines the homework students should receive each week dependent on their year group.

| | Year 7 and Year 8 | Year 9 |
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| Week 1 | English, Maths, Science, Geography, Languages, DT/Arts* | English, Maths, Science, Option A, Option B, Option C, Option D, Religious Studies |
| Week 2 | English, Maths, Science, Religious Studies, History, DT/Arts* | English, Maths, Science, Option A, Option B, Option C, Religious Studies |

*DT/Arts homework will be set on the one lesson per fortnight as it falls on the timetable. Year 8 students will receive one piece of homework for each Arts subject per fortnight.

| Year 10 | | | | | |
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| Day | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri |
| Week 1 | Option C RS (Band X) | Option A RS (Band Y) | Option D | English Maths Science* | Option B |
| Week 2 | Option C RS (all bands) | Option A | Option D | English Maths Science* | Option B |

*Due to the nature of the timetable, science subjects will set homework weekly on a day that the class is with the teacher.

| Year 11 – Band X | | | | | |
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| Day | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri |
| Week 1 | Option A | Option D | Option B English | Option C | Religious Studies Maths Science* |
| Week 2 | Option A | Option D | Option C | English Science* Maths | Option B Religious Studies |

| Year 11 – Band Y | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------|------------|------------------------------|---|
| Day | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri |
| Week 1 | Option A Maths | Option D | Option B | Option C | Religious Studies English Science* |
| Week 2 | Option A | Option D | Option C | English Science* Maths | Option B Religious Studies |

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