

Lymm High School 🎇

3rd September 2015

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: A new way to record, track and monitor homework at Lymm High School

One of the messages we picked up from consultation with parents and carers last term was that high quality homework is not being set or completed consistently enough at the moment. We absolutely agree with those of you who told us that you feel appropriate homework is essential if young people are to achieve their full potential. In addition, we fully sympathise with those of you who said that teenagers are not always the most reliable when it comes to giving you the necessary information about what homework had been set or when it is due!

For these reasons, we are excited to be launching Show My Homework, an online tool to help you keep track of your child's homework. Show My Homework will allow you to see the details of the tasks your child has been set. Apps are available for iPhone, iPad, iPod Touch, and Android devices and, as well as being able to see the quality and quantity of homework being set, you can opt to receive automated notifications before homework is due.

You will be provided with login details to your personal account, ready-linked to your child's homework calendar via your child. They will be issued with a personalised letter with your specific login details within the next week.

Simply visit <u>www.lymmhigh.org.uk</u>. to view our school's live homework calendar and log in. More information on how to use this system is also available on the website, including a video tutorial.

We'll be launching Show My Homework week commencing **Monday 7th September** and we hope that this service will provide parents with a deeper insight into the homework your child receives. More importantly, we hope that it will improve your child's organisation, time-management, and help them to keep on top of their workload.

If you or your child has any questions about the service, please don't hesitate to get in touch with the team at Show My Homework, who tell us that they are always happy to help. Just email <u>help@showmyhomework.co.uk</u> or call 0207 197 9550.

There are bound to be some teething issues with a new system such as this and if you would like to get in touch with the school or provide feedback, please do contact **Mrs R Wardle** via email – **rwardle@lymmhigh.org.uk**.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr G Williams Headteacher

Mrs R Wardle Assistant Headteacher