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Ark Boulton Academy



Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are delighted to tell you about a new Maths homework system we have recently put in place to support your child. Hegarty Maths is an amazing website which gives video support for every question they attempt, to make sure that homework can be completed independently. It also comes with some fantastic revision features to support them in completing independent revision.

What does my child need to complete this homework?

This homework can be completed on any device with an internet connection. A Maths exercise book. This will be provided to them.

How do they log in?

Logging in is really easy - simply choose the school name, then use their name and date of birth to log in. If your child is struggling to log in, they should email their Maths Teacher know so they can check they are logging in with the correct details.

How can I see what they are doing?

We would like to encourage you to log in with your child to see what they are doing. You can watch the videos with them to see what methods they should be using, and you can also view all of their past scores to see which areas they are struggling on.

How can I find out more?

Go to help.hegartymaths.com to find out more. You can also access the student guide on the Virtual Academy in your year group folder. We hope you love Hegarty Maths as much as we do!

Homework will be set on Fridays and it will be due the following Thursday. Pupils will have one week to complete the homework set. Any homework not completed could result in a one hour detention on a Friday afternoon.

The first homework has been set on the 1st of October 2021 for Year 10 and 11 and the 8th of October for Year 7 -9.

Pupils have been given a Maths exercise book and a student checklist of expectations. Pupils will be expected to write notes on the videos they watch and the quizzes they complete and will need to show all of their working out.

Pupils will also be given a revision checklist of topics that they can use to do independent study alongside homework set.

They will be required to bring in their homework books to school once a week, for the teacher to check that what they are doing is to a high standard. All students have been trained on using Hegarty Maths before the first official homework was set.

There is more information available in your year group's Maths folder on the Ark Boulton Virtual Academy including a student guide. Click on the link for your year group, and login to the virtual academy to access these resources: [Year 7](#), [Year 8](#), [Year 9](#), [Year 10](#) and [Year 11](#).

It is essential that pupils complete their homework to the required standard set by the school. Hegarty Maths will help improve your child's longer term memory. There is a function on Hegarty Maths called MemRi which will enable students to revise over all the topics they have completed for homework, to date. As well as this there is a function called “fix up 5” where your child will have the opportunity to improve the skills they are less confident in through deliberate practice.

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Hegarty Maths has proven to be an excellent program for improving pupils grades in Maths, in a short time.

I am confident that you will be as excited by this great opportunity as we are and will support and encourage your child to complete homework to a high standard each week.

Thank you.

Kind regards,

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