



BURY

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BOYS

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back to BGS. I hope you and your son had an enjoyable summer break.

As we start Year 9 and begin studying for the more challenging GCSEs, we ask for your support with home learning.

Learning outside of the classroom is key to progress in every stage of the educational experience. Homework is crucial in developing the independent study skills required for success in public examinations and higher education. It enables pupils to deepen their subject knowledge and identify areas in which they may require more support or clarification from teaching staff.

Homework also forms an important part of our assessment process at Bury Grammar School and allows teachers and form tutors to monitor progress. Assessing independent work provides opportunities for teachers to recognise and reward the outstanding work and effort that our pupils are so committed to producing in the pursuit of excellence.

We would ask for your support in ensuring that your son has a quiet place to work, free from distraction and is recording and completing their homework to a high standard and to deadlines. Our teaching staff will set regular, meaningful homework in line with school policy and pupils can expect regular feedback identifying areas for improvement and highlighting key achievements.

Should you have any queries or concerns about any aspect of school life, academic or pastoral, please contact their Form Tutor in the first instance.

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Outside the classroom there will be lots of opportunities for your sons to enjoy with our wide and varied extra-curricular programme, including the opportunity to join our highly esteemed Combined Cadet Force.

I hope your son makes the very most of this important year.

Thank you in advance for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Stansfield