

Dear Parent/Carer,

When you receive your child's interim, it is important to have conversations regarding their progress and attitude to learning.

Here are some suggestions of how you could discuss your child's report.






- What is your child's attendance? It should be at least 96%.
- Look at the subjects your child is learning - can they explain the different topics they are covering with each teacher?
- Is your child keeping up with the work set? Check Show My Homework.
- What is your child's current attainment?
- What is your child's attitude to learning (A2L)? Here are some prompts you could use to discuss their attitude in lessons.

What can you ask?	
Good	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What a brilliant attitude - how can they continue to show their teacher that they have a good attitude to learning?
Satisfactory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What changes can be made to show they are listening during lessons? ● Is your child completing the work set in lessons to the best standard? ● Do they take responsibility in lessons? ● Are there any outstanding homework?
Requires improvement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● How is their behaviour impacting their learning? What could change? ● Do they have pride in their presentation of each piece of work? ● Do they show resilience and keep trying if the work is difficult? ● Have they missed a deadline for more than one homework?

What resources and online platforms can you child use for revision?

From lesson/subject teachers	Online
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Exercise books and notes ● Topic booklets ● Handouts from lesson ● Revision Guides ● Texts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Google Classroom ● Seneca Quizzes ● GCSEpod ● Maths Watch ● E-text books ● Educake ● Videos ● Access to past papers

What routines will help your child with their GCSE journey?

<p>Have you established healthy study ROUTINES home?</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Make sure your child has a space where they can spread out all their homework and GCSE materials. When they get to year 11, they will have a healthy study routine to help prepare for exams.
<p>Do you have a partnership with the school?</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Get in touch with subject/pastoral teachers via e-mail if you have questions.● Read any newsletters sent out via email.● Use the calendar on the VLE for upcoming events.
<p>Is having 100% attendance a priority?</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Your child needs to attend every day - all lessons.● Goal for at least 97 - 100% attendance● If your child misses school, it is their responsibility to get caught up<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Google Classroom○ E-mail teachers○ Go see teacher for any handouts or tasks○ Get notes from peers

Your partnership with us is vital in making sure that your child is ready, respectful and a hardworking GHS student. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Regards,

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