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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Show My Homework**

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We are excited to be launching Show My Homework, an online tool to help you keep track of your child's homework tasks. Show My Homework will allow you to see the details of the tasks your child has been set, as well as their submission status and where applicable, their grades.

Students will be expected to complete homework tasks during tutor time, after College sessions **and** also outside of College. This will enable students to extend their learning session experiences, prepare for future learning activities and to practise and reinforce skills which have been acquired. Homework is not a new phenomenon for the College. Students will have been completing extension tasks throughout their time at the College. However the use of Show my Homework helps to provide greater structure and clarity over what has been set and the expectations of when it should be completed by. Your child should expect to receive regular homework tasks for each subject on a weekly/fortnightly basis. Homework tasks are compulsory and it is expected that all students will complete homework by the set deadlines. The College will continue to provide a range of enrichment opportunities (Sports, Performing Arts, Science WOW etc.) as well as after College subject clinics at the end of the standard College day.

You will be provided with login details to your personal account, ready-linked to your child's homework calendar. Simply visit https://landauforte.showmyhomework.co.uk to view our school's live homework calendar and log in. The College website also contains a range of support materials to enable you and your child to get the most out of the package.

- 24/7 access
- View quality and quantity of homework
- Translation into over 50 languages
- Free apps available for iPhone, iPad, iPod Touch, and Android devices
- Receive automated notifications before homework is due

We'll be launching Show My Homework to different year groups on a staggered basis over the course of this term 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 have any questions about the service, please don't hesitate to get in touch with the team at Show My Homework, who are always happy to help. Just email help@showmyhomework.co.uk or call 0207 197 9550.

If you'd like to get in touch with the school or provide feedback, please contact your child's personal tutor at the College.

Thank you once again for your support.

Yours sincerely

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