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Dear Parent/Carer,

RE: SPARX MATHS HOMEWORK (YEARS 8 - 11)

We have been very pleased, in recent years, with the success of the Sparx Maths homework platform. This school year, students will continue to complete weekly maths homework on Sparx. Your child's homework will be set every Tuesday and due for completion by 10pm on Monday of following week. The first homework will be set on Tuesday 8th September.

Developments in AI in recent years have led to mobile phone apps that are surprisingly good at answering students' maths homework questions for them. We would value your support in preventing these being used. We recommend that students complete their work away from their mobile phone, unless they are using it to access Sparx.

A reminder that students log in at sparxmaths.com by choosing the name of the school, then clicking the "Log into Sparx using Microsoft" button. If prompted, they will they need to enter their normal school email address (including '@chaseterraceacademy.co.uk') and normal school password.

How can your child get further help?

- As a first step, every question in Sparx has a support video attached so that your child can get immediate help, independently.
- If they are still stuck after watching the video, your child should ask their teacher for support, before the homework deadline.

If you have any questions, now or during the year, please don't hesitate to contact me at l.brown@chaseterraceacademy.co.uk.

Best wishes,

Mr L. Brown
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