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Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: Change to Homework Approach

We are writing to inform you of an exciting update regarding our homework approach for those students who have been completing Lexia as their main homework activity. Moving forward, we will be transitioning to Sparx as our primary online homework platform for core subjects.

Sparx is a dynamic and adaptive learning platform that personalises homework to the individual needs and abilities of each student. The platform intelligently adjusts the difficulty of tasks based on your child's progress, ensuring students are appropriately challenged and supported in their learning journey. We believe this personalised approach will be highly beneficial in reinforcing classroom learning and fostering deeper understanding in these key subject areas, as well as developing reading skills.

This change means that teachers in English, Maths, and Science will now be setting homework tasks through Sparx. Students will receive login details and guidance on how to access and use Sparx within their respective classes. Teachers from other subjects will also be setting appropriate homework.

For those students who have been using Lexia and have found it beneficial, please be assured that their Lexia login details will remain active. If your child wishes to continue using Lexia in addition to their Sparx homework, they are welcome to do so. We recognise the value of continued literacy practice and support for those who find Lexia a helpful tool.

We are confident that the move to Sparx will provide a more tailored and effective homework experience for our students in English, Maths, and Science. We appreciate your ongoing support in your child's education.

If you have any questions regarding this transition, please do not hesitate to contact your child's subject teachers or the SEND Department at Kelvin Hall School.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Keddy

Senior Director for Teaching & Learning

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