

Dear Parent/Carer

**Ref: Spring 1 2017 Prep Tasks**

Enclosed with this letter are the homework tasks for year 7 and 8 for spring 2 2017. Additional copies of this booklet can be found on the school website or in the school library.

Deadlines for each task should be written in your child's planner. If you need to confirm these dates you can contact the relevant Head of Subject on the email address below:

**Year 7**

English: [cranfieldt@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:cranfieldt@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

Art: [cain@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:cain@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

PE: [browning@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:browning@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

PSHE: [rich@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:rich@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

**Year 8**

Dance: [waterfield@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:waterfield@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

French: [sliwinski@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:sliwinski@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

Science: [cleary@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:cleary@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

Prep is not optional and must be completed by all year 7 and 8 pupils. The work should be undertaken carefully and pupils should complete the tasks to the best of their ability. The majority of the work should be handwritten but ICT can be used in order to aid research and presentation in certain tasks.

In order to support pupils with their research, we offer use of our ICT facilities every day after school until 4.00pm. This homework club is staffed by at least one member of the learning support team.

It is essential that all pupils complete their Prep tasks by the given deadline. Failure to do so will result in a two hour Tuesday detention, a three hour Saturday detention or a timetabled weekly period 6 session after school on a given day.

If your child is struggling to complete their Prep tasks, please contact the appropriate Head of House in the first instance:

Discovery: [webb@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:webb@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

Intrepid: [campbell-jess@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:campbell-jess@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

Victory: [johnsons@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:johnsons@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

Endeavour: [temperton@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:temperton@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

Thank you for your support with Key Stage 3 homework. Please ask your child about their Prep work in order to help engage your child in their learning and progress.

Yours

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