

Homework in Key Stage 3 (year 7, 8 and 9) at Smith's Wood Academy.

A guide for parents, carers and students.

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Why do I need to work at home?

The disruption to education due to Covid has affected Smith's Wood students significantly because they have fallen behind. Homework is 1 way to help our students to catch up

How and when will I do my homework?

We have bought every student 5 specially designed books (CGP books) in maths, English and science. Homework will be done in these books at home. If you look on the next page, you will see a 'Homework timetable' that shows exactly when homework will be done

How much homework will I do?

You will do approximately 45 minutes a night (Monday to Thursday) and 45 minutes over the weekend.

How do I know which work to do?

If you have a look at your year group page below, you will see the specific pages that our teachers want you to complete (**remember, you complete the work in your CGP books**). You can mark your homework using the CGP books.

******* You must bring each CGP book with every day to school – do not forget to put them back in your bag! *******

Will my homework be checked?

Your homework will be checked every week by your science, maths and English teachers. We will then send a report home every week to your parents / carers.

Do I get rewarded for completing my homework?

Yes you do! You will be entered into a termly prize draw for your year group every time you complete a piece of homework. Each draw will have prizes decided by the year group!

What about my other subjects?

You will still get homework from your other subjects and these should be done exactly as your teacher instructs you.

What do I do if I find it hard to work at home?

There will be homework clubs run by science, English and maths departments after school in a room where you can complete your work if you want to (The study clubs are on the timetable below)

Which pages do I complete in my CGP guides?

YEAR 7

	w/c 1st November	w/c 8th November	w/c 15th November	w/c 22nd November	w/c 29th November	w/c 6th December	w/c 13th December
MATHS	Adding and subtracting decimals CGP Page 8 Extension Multiplying and dividing by 10,100 and 1000 CGP Page 9	Rounding CGP Page 15 Extension Estimating CGP Page 16	BODMAS CGP Page 13 Extension Negative numbers CGP Page 12	Units of measure CGP Page 37 Extension Units and measuring CGP Page 38	Powers and Roots CGP Page 17 Extension Negative numbers CGP Page 12	Multiples and LCM CGP Page 18 Extension Written Division CGP Page 11	Factors and HCF CGP Page 19 Extension Inverse operations CGP Page 14
ENGLISH	CGP Workbook pages 1-2 10 minute spelling test number 2	CGP Workbook: page 3 10 minute spelling test number 4	CGP Workbook: pages 4-5 10 minute spelling test number 6	CGP Workbook: pages 6-7 10 minute spelling test number 8	CGP Workbook: pages 8-9 10 minute spelling test number 10	CGP Workbook: pages 10-11 10 minute spelling test number 12	CGP Workbook: pages 12-13 10 minute spelling test number 14
SCIENCE	CGP Workbook pages 77-78	CGP Workbook pages 79-80	CGP Workbook pages 81-82	CGP Workbook pages 16-17	CGP Workbook pages 18-20	CGP Workbook pages 21-22	CGP Workbook pages 23-24

Which pages do I complete in my CGP guides?

YEAR 8

	w/c 1st November	w/c 8th November	w/c 15th November	w/c 22nd November	w/c 29th November	w/c 6th December	w/c 13th December
MATHS	Multiplying decimals CGP Page 6 Extension Dividing decimals CGP Page 7	Finding percentages CGP Page 23 Extension Comparing proportions CGP Page 22	Ratio CGP Page 25	Ratio CGP Page 26	Proportion CGP Page 27	Expanding brackets CGP Page 35	Solving equations CGP Page 36 Extension Solving equations CGP Page 37
ENGLISH	CGP Workbook pages 1-2 10 minute spelling test number 2	CGP Workbook: page 3 10 minute spelling test number 4	CGP Workbook: pages 4-5 10 minute spelling test number 6	CGP Workbook: pages 6-7 10 minute spelling test number 8	CGP Workbook: pages 8-9 10 minute spelling test number 10	CGP Workbook: pages 10-11 10 minute spelling test number 12	CGP Workbook: pages 12-13 10 minute spelling test number 14
SCIENCE	CGP Workbook pages 47-48	CGP Workbook pages 49-50	CGP Workbook pages 73-74	CGP Workbook pages 75-76	CGP Workbook pages 77-78	CGP Workbook pages 62-63	CGP Workbook pages 63-64

Which pages do I complete in my CGP guides?

YEAR 9

	w/c 1st November	w/c 8th November	w/c 15th November	w/c 22nd November	w/c 29th November	w/c 6th December	w/c 13th December
MATHS	CGP workbook pages 37 and 38	Sets W1 and S1 CGP workbook pages 16 and 23 All other groups CGP workbook pages 21 and 22	Sets W1 and S1 CGP workbook pages 24 and 30 All other groups CGP workbook pages 27 and 28	Sets W1 and S1 CGP workbook pages 25 and 26 All other groups CGP workbook pages 25 and 29	Sets W1 and S1 CGP workbook pages 4 and 9 All other groups CGP workbook pages 4 and 7	Sets W1 and S1 CGP workbook pages 44 and 45 All other groups CGP workbook pages 5 and 6	Sets W1 and S1 CGP workbook pages 42 and 43 All other groups CGP workbook pages 8 and 44
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SCIENCE	CGP Workbook pages 37-38	CGP Workbook pages 39-40	CGP Workbook pages 41-42	CGP Workbook pages 43-44	CGP Workbook pages 45-46	CGP Workbook pages 47-48	CGP Workbook pages 49-50