



Homework Guide (Students)

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This guide will help you understand how homework works at Mascalls and how to stay on top of it!

Homework Expectations

Homework Schedule

Key Stage	Subject	Note
KS3	Core Subjects (English, Maths, Science, MFL)	2 per fortnight
	Other subjects	2 per module
KS4	Core subjects	2 per fortnight
	Other subjects	Minimum of 2 per module
KS5	All subjects	Minimum of 3-4 hrs per fortnight

Homework instructions

1. All Homework tasks are visible on your Student App.
2. The Homework description will have these sections:
 - a. **What:** What is the homework is about.
 - b. **How:** How your teacher expects you to complete it.
 - c. **Help:** Suggestions if you get stuck.

Finding & Completing Homework

Click on this video to see what to do when you get homework:

 Student App HW.mp4

Homework Support Options

In-School Support

1. Use the Read&Write toolbar on your Chromebook to help break down the information.
2. **Whole school Homework club.** Thursday after school (A9).
3. The library can be used during the school day.
4. If you are really stuck, you can ask for advice from your advisor and also your subject teacher.
Make sure you do this before the due date!

Out-of-School Support

When you are not in school, you can still use the resources within the community to complete the homework. Check this spreadsheet to see where your local library and cafe are:

[📍 Local Libraries and Cafes](#)

Staying Organised

Revision Timetable

The revision timetable below tracks the number of hours of revision you schedule over a two-week cycle. You can also use it to schedule your homework as part of your revision.

Make a copy of this spreadsheet on your drive:

[📅 Revision Timetable 25-26](#)

[📅 Revision Timetable 25-26 \(6th Form\)](#)

Watch this video showing you how to use it: [📺 Revision Timetable.mp4](#)

Student App Homework

Our homework platforms do not interact with your Student App. Therefore, you need to update your Student App when you complete your homework. This video shows you how: [📺 Student App HW.mp4](#)

Homework Diary

If you're finding all of your homework overwhelming, watch this video explaining how to schedule your homework using Google Calendar: [📺 Homework Diary.mp4](#)

Cornell Notes

Some of your homework will be Cornell Notes. Make a copy of this document on your drive:

[📄 Cornell Notes \(Blank\)](#)

Here is an example of a finished Cornell Note: [📄 Cornell Notes \(Example\)](#)

Watch the video showing you how to make a Cornell Note

- Without audio:  Cornell Notes (No sound).mov
- With audio:  Cornell Notes.mp4

Watch this video showing the winner of the Cornell Notes competition:  Cornell Note Competition.mov

Read&Write Toolbar

Watch this video to understand how to use the Read&Write Toolbar:

 Read&Write: Back to Basics