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## FACULTY OF MODERN LANGUAGES – S3 HOMEWORK

Dear Parent

We are very happy to welcome your child back to the Faculty of Modern Languages. French is a core subject for your child and pupils will be studying French until at least the end of S4 when they will be presented for a National qualification.

We would like to take this opportunity to highlight to parents the importance of homework to allow your child the best chances of success in French. Key to improved grades in French is regular and thorough revision of vocabulary and grammar and, in S3 your child will be learning more and more detailed language and grammar related to key topic areas. Knowledge of this language and grammar is essential to promote improvements in all four skills: reading, listening, talking and writing. **We would therefore like to remind you to encourage your child to revise vocabulary and grammar notes every week for 20-30 minutes, 3 times a week.** This could involve any of the strategies which are highlighted in your child's French jotter. To support their learning, S3 pupils will have occasional short 10/10 vocabulary tests to check their knowledge of recently taught language in French. You will be able to view your child's progress in these short tests in the back of their red class jotters.

S3 pupils will also complete written homework and will sometimes need to prepare for assessments in writing and talking. Written homework will be noted by your child in his/her school planner. **The Learning homework highlighted above however, should take place every week any support you can give us to ensure your child completes weekly vocabulary and grammar revision would be greatly appreciated.**

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch with me.

Yours sincerely

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