

Year 8 Parent Information Evening

19th September 2017

The Year 8 team



- Ollie Yates

Learning Intervention Manager (LIM)

- Peter Allen

Assistant Learning Intervention Manager

- Adam Shilton

Student Support Officer (SSO)

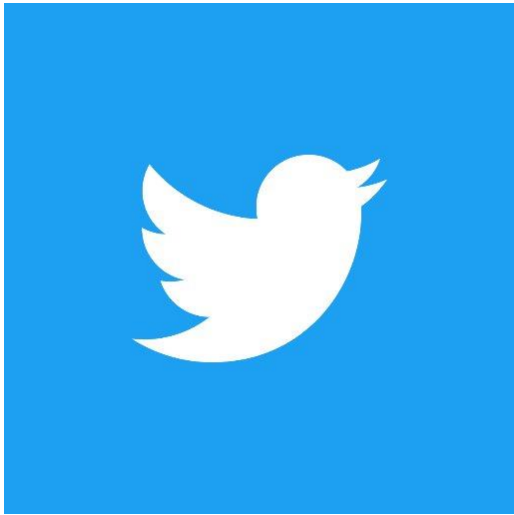
- Matthew Lowe

Assistant Headteacher

Year 8 tutor Team



S	Miss Cole
A	Mrs McGlincy
N	Mr Cooper
D	Miss Jenkins
B	Miss Tomkinson
E	Miss Gardner
C	Mr Roberts



A successful transition

- Developed new friendships and improved his self esteem and confidence
- Settled so well in to school life that he causes you no concern
- Shown an increased interest in school and school work
- Got used to his new routines and school organisation with great ease

Whole school update



- A2L
- Mobile phone policy
- Basic 8
- Code of Conduct 8
- E8 and rewards

Attitude 2 Learning



1	A2L	Excellence	Achievement point
2	A2L	Good	
3	A2L	Lack of effort	Up to 30 minute detention
4	Behaviour	Low to mid level	45 minute detention
5	Behaviour	Serious disruption	90 minute WSD (as a minimum)

Mobile Phone policy

During lessons and movement between lessons	At break and lunch
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Switched off and out of sight in bag or blazer No music, no headphones If seen in lessons or movement time – confiscation with no debate! Same applies in form time and PSHCE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students may use phones at break and lunch for music, gaming, communication and social media No photos or filming Abuse via phone will lead to sanction and parents being contacted
Confiscation	Sanctions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any breach of policy = confiscation by staff All confiscations are for the remainder of the day Staff provided with envelopes, phone placed inside, sealed, time, date and student name on envelope Phone taken to year group office, incident logged - phone to be collected by student at 3.05pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Level 1 – first offence: Confiscation until the end of day Level 2 – two-three offences: phone confiscated overnight until the end of the next day Level 3 – four or more offences: phone confiscated, parents required to collect phone from LIM

Basic 8 Expectations

1. Arrive on time to school, registration and lessons
2. Be PREPPED
3. Be courteous to staff, students and visitors
4. Wear uniform correctly
5. Out of Class – need a pass!
6. Sensible behaviour in corridors and toilets
7. No eating/chewing/drinking in lessons and corridors
8. Sensible behaviour in the refectories and outside areas

Code of conduct 8



‘The way we do things around here’

1. Listen to members of staff and follow instructions politely and calmly
2. Always PREPPED and ready to learn in every lesson
3. Walk in single file, not running or shouting, and maintaining a peaceful atmosphere in corridors
4. Going straight to lessons and holding doors open for others when the corridors are busy
5. Never damaging school property, defacing the building, dropping litter or spitting
6. Never insulting, undermining or swearing at anyone
7. Leaving school and making your way home in an orderly, responsible way
8. Remembering you are always an ambassador for Sandbach School

Excellence 8



Changes at GCSE



New GCSE specifications

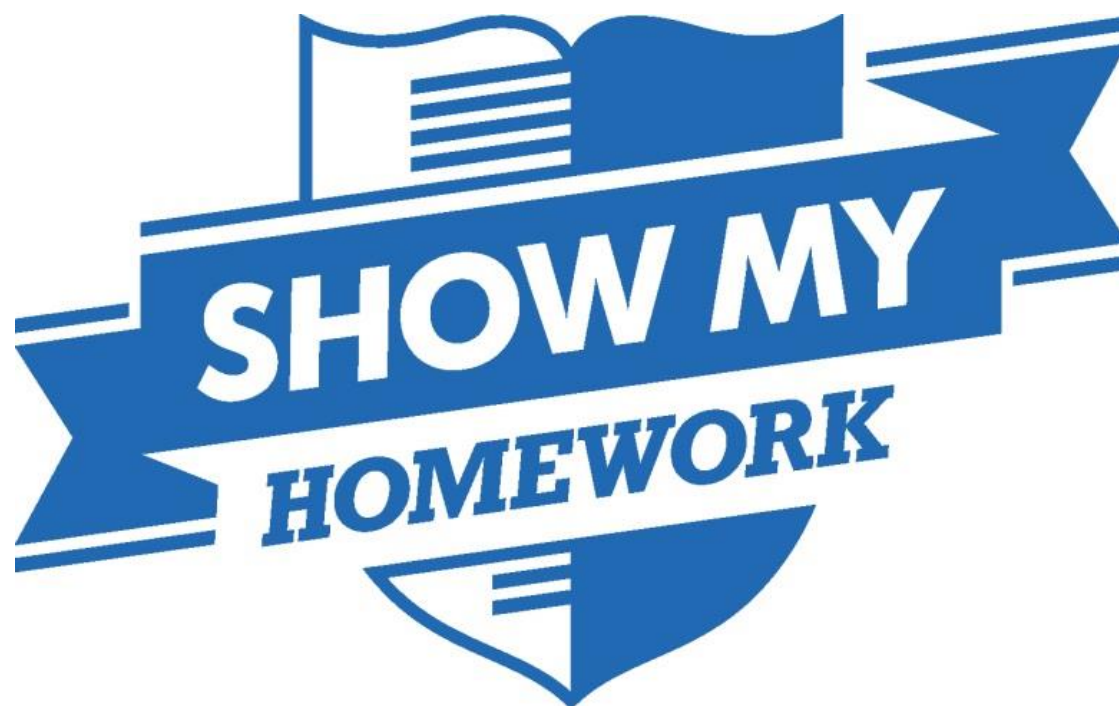
Increased challenge in the content delivered

The methods of assessment

The grading system moving to a 9-1 scale (9 representing the highest that can be achieved).

Thursday 22rd March – Year 8 Options Evening

We are still using . . .

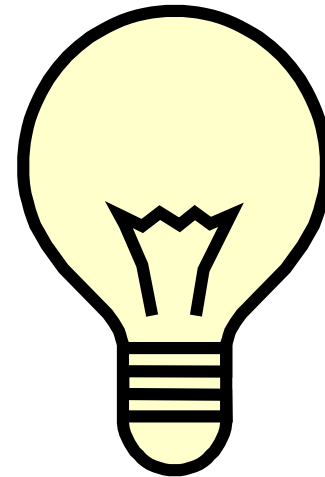


Any questions?

Just get in touch with **your Student Support Coordinator** or email help@showmyhomework

Never be left in the dark again.

Thank you for your support



Progress updates

Review 1: 5th December 2017

Review 2: 27th February 2018

Review 3: 26th June 2018

Written reports: July 2018

On going communication between staff and home

Dates for the diary

Consultation Evening

8th March 2018

Options Evening

22nd March 2018

End of year exam weeks

18th and 25th June 2018



**Thank you for your
continued support.**

