



**FOREST HILL
SCHOOL**

HOMEWORK



ASPIRING TO EXCELLENCE TOGETHER



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WHY DOES HOMEWORK NEED REFINING?

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CURRENT SITUATION

Homework can be a source of tension...

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PROBLEMS

STUDENTS

Want homework to be manageable, get feedback and relevant to their lessons

TEACHERS

Want work to be purposeful, reduce workload and allow them to prioritise

PARENTS

Want more feedback, support and purposeful activities



WHAT DOES THE RESEARCH SUGGEST?



02



HOMework SHOULD BE

LEARNING TASKS

Using clear knowledge to complete retrieval and simple tasks

PRACTICE TASKS

Practicing activities gone over in class to improve fluency

RESEARCH TASKS

Structured and limited – not the main focus

READING

Reading is fundamental for improving literacy and progress in ALL subjects

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READING HOMEWORK

At least 1 hour per week

INDEPENDENT LEARNING BOOKLETS

Booklet for each subject and set centrally

SENECA LEARNING

Set centrally for all subjects

READING JOURNAL

Checked by Library/English teachers

CHECKED IN LESSON

Links to activities and used for reference

MONITORED USING SENECA

Parents and staff can review completion

INDEPENDENT LEARNING BOOKLET

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Dates on the Front

Students to tick when they have completed work

Parents to sign to show they have looked at the work

Teachers to sign when they have looked at the work

Seneca work to be completed by the Monday

Teachers will set due dates for booklet work

Name		Teacher		Tutor Group	
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Year X SUBJECT Independent Learning Booklet Spring Half Term 1

Please sign to show you have seen the homework

Homework	Set	Due <u>wb</u>	Booklet	Seneca	Parent	Teacher
1	9/01/24	15/01/24				
2	15/01/24	22/01/24				
3	22/01/24	29/01/24				
4	29/01/24	05/02/24				

Please note

All Seneca work must be completed by the Monday wb date

All booklet work must be completed by the first lesson in this subject of the week



SENECA LEARNING

Seneca Learning should be completed by the Monday of each week

It will either be revising key content that they have covered, pre-learning new content for their subject or extending their learning beyond what we can cover in lessons

Students should complete as much as they can

Students who complete the Seneca work will receive praise postcards

Students who do not complete any Seneca work will receive homework interventions

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How to logon to Seneca Learning

Go to www.senecalearning.com

Click on Login

Enter your school email

(username@student.foresthillschool.co.uk)

Enter the password **seneca2020**

If the password does not work
reset your password using the
Forgotten Password link

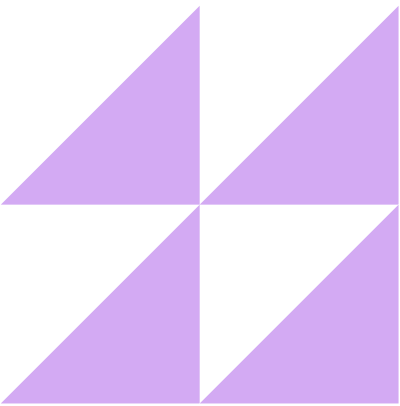
If it still does not work email
passwords@foresthillschool.co.uk

PARENTS SENECA PAGE

- Parents have received invites to access Seneca
- Allows you to monitor their online learning
 - What they have to do
 - Time spent completing it
 - Strengths and weaknesses

Did you know?

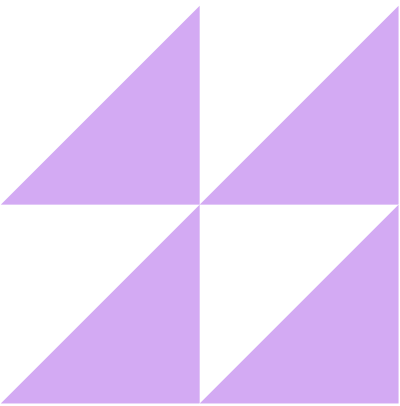
Seneca has been shown to be twice as effective as other types of revision!



PARENTS SENECA PAGE

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The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `app.senecalearning.com/sign-up`. The page features the Seneca logo in the top left and a 'Login' button with a UK flag icon in the top right. The main content is a 'Sign up' form with the subtext 'Try without signing up?'. It includes two buttons: 'Continue with Google' and 'Continue with Microsoft', separated by 'OR'. Below these is a prominent blue button labeled 'Sign up with email'. At the bottom of the form, it states 'By signing up you agree to Seneca's Terms and Conditions' and provides a link for 'Already have an account? Login'. In the bottom left corner, there is a circular video feed of a woman wearing a headset, with a Loom recording control bar below it showing a 0:00 timer and icons for recording, pausing, and deleting. The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows various application icons and the system tray with the date '13/10/2023' and time '15:25'.



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QUESTIONS?

