

Year 7 Parent Notes

We hope that you were able to attend the Progress Review Evening on Thursday evening and that your son/daughter has taken useful information away with them in order to make progress in their subjects. If you do have any further questions for the subject staff then please email them directly. All email addresses are available on the parent portal of FROG.

As we come to the end of the Autumn Term it is a good chance for us to reflect on the start Year 7 have made to their careers at Oxted School. On the whole they have settled very well and have got to grips with the demands of secondary school. For all there has been a strong focus on progress and making sure students achieve the best they can throughout this year.

The first set of grades for Year 7 were uploaded earlier this week and are available to view on FROG. The grades will give us an excellent indication of how well the students are doing and also in their approach to learning. We will then be able to see how we can support those who need to make improvements with either their progress or approach to learning in the classroom.

Should you not have access to FROG to access the grades, or if you have any other issues with FROG please email frog@oxtedschool.co.uk for further help.

A reminder that when returning for the Spring Term we would like all Year 7 students to make sure they are well prepared for every lesson. This means they need to have the correct books, equipment and remember all homework for when it is due. To ensure students are prepared for after Christmas it is worthwhile to note that when students return on Thursday 5 January it will be Week 2 on the timetable.

During the upcoming Year 7 assembly on Monday we will be referring back to an assembly in early October where we explained that a little progress in every lesson will make a big difference by the end of the year. Year 7 students have now been in over 300 hours of lessons and if they have made progress in each they will have come a long way already. We will then celebrate and reward the students who have been nominated by their tutors as Tutee of the Term.

We hope that your son/daughter has made the effort to attend at least one club during the Autumn Term and hopefully they have joined up and attended frequently. In the New Year we will continue to promote clubs in the hope that every Year 7 can try at least one extra-curricular activity during their first year at Oxted in order to further enrich their experience.

Finally we would like to say thank you for your continued support. We hope that you and your family have a lovely Christmas break and a Happy New Year. We also hope that the students are refreshed and raring to make further progress beginning on Thursday 4 January 2018.

Have an enjoyable Christmas.

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