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Dear Parent/Carer

We are really excited to inform you that all students in year 7 will be involved in a pilot programme which will support them in their maths learning this year.

The pilot will involve every student being provided with an online homework which matches the school curriculum but tailored for each individual student. The more work your child completes, the more the system learns about their strengths and weaknesses and the more accurately it is able to pitch each individual's homework.

Each week, provided you have given the school your email address, Sparx will send you an update on upcoming homework and on the progress of your child.

For suggestions of what you can do to support your child with their Sparx learning I have attached an article containing lots of helpful information including:

- Encouraging good habits
- Getting logged in to Sparx
- What exactly is Sparx Maths Homework?
- What are 'bookwork checks'?
- How can I support my child when they're stuck?

Your child's Sparx homework will be completed online and they will be required to complete it on a laptop, tablet or phone. If you are unable to connect to the internet at home, please let me know and once I am aware of the numbers this affects, I will look to organise some after school sessions where students will be able to access their homework from school.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate in contacting me at school by phone or email at simon.little@rrma.org.uk.

Yours sincerely

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