

Stanborough



Mathematics & Computing Academy

Headteacher: Mrs M John

December 2021

Dear Parent / Carer

As we come to the end of a long Autumn term we thought we would contact you with our thoughts on the term.

It has been fantastic to see and hear about the many successes Year 8 students have had over the past 4 months both in and out of the classroom. We are both very aware of where students are doing well in their lessons and we encourage all the teaching staff to tell us when students are working hard and doing well. We also hope that all parents/carers are regularly looking at Classcharts and celebrating the successes of their child. It is also very rewarding to see the Year 8 students rewarded weekly with the Headteacher's Commendation for a variety of reasons.

We are equally aware of where students are receiving negative points and detentions. Again, we hope that you are discussing these with your son/daughter when they happen and are trying to ensure that they do not happen again. Many of these detentions, such as those for being late to school or missing homework are easily avoidable, and we would encourage parents to emphasise this point at home.

It is also great to see the number of Year 8 students who take advantage of the extra-curricular opportunities offered at the school. When the clubs and activities booklet for the Spring term is published next term we would encourage as many students as possible to attend these sessions.

We would also like to draw your attention to the Parents' Evening for Year 8 which will be held virtually on January 13th 2022. By this time, you will have received a Progress Update for your child and this is the perfect opportunity to discuss their progress thus far with their subject teachers. Full details of the evening can be found in the following letter sent out last week <https://stanborough.herts.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/Y8-Parents-Evening-Letter-061221MLRTB.pdf>

May we finally both wish you a restful and enjoyable Christmas break and we look forward to welcoming the Year 8 students back for the Spring term in January 2022.

With our best wishes for the festive season.

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