

Stanborough



Mathematics & Computing Academy

Headteacher: Mrs M John

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Dear parent/carer,

Re: GCSE Maths revision support

In order to support students at Stanborough with GCSE Maths revision/reinforcing topics done in class, we have the following in place:

www.vle.mathswatch.co.uk : Students are often set homework on this resource which provides instant feedback. The website also has short videos related to every GCSE maths topic. In addition to this, the resource has 1 minute videos for quick revision and practice exercises on all the topics.

MathsWatch continues to be one of the most popular websites for our students and we highly recommend use of this for revision and reinforcement of GCSE topics.

For a student called John Smith, the login will be 19jsmith@stanborough and the password will be maths2019.

www.mymaths.co.uk : This website has tutorials on every GCSE maths topic, along with the provision to solve short exercises. The tutorial is made up of visual demonstrations and scaffolded explanations for every topic.

Login: stanborough, Password: adding

Period 6 on Thursdays (3 to 4 pm) : Since the start of the Spring Term, a Period 6 in maths has been put in place for students who are at risk of not achieving grade 4 or 5 in the subject. During this hour, my team of specialist maths teachers and I support students with revision of key topics and exam techniques in small groups. If your child hasn't been invited but would still like to attend, please ask them to speak to me or you can also contact me at: smodi@stanborough.herts.sch.uk

Saturday tuition for students aiming for grade 7+ in Higher Maths GCSE : These sessions run from 9 am to 11 am, where my team of specialist teachers go through key topics, including exam techniques.

If your child hasn't been invited and would like to attend, please ask them to speak to me or you can also contact me at: smodi@stanborough.herts.sch.uk

9 hours of maths lessons a fortnight : Please don't forget, students have 9 hours of maths lessons every fortnight. In this term, we will be looking at topics which students found challenging in the November mocks, and we also go through practice papers during these lessons, along with revision of key topics.

Homework : Homework is set every week in the form of practice papers, either on MathsWatch or a hard copy.

All of the above has been put in place to support your child to achieve their target or better. Can I please ask you to encourage your child to make the most of these resources to ensure success in their GCSE maths exams.

If you have any further questions or any concerns in relation to the teaching and learning of GCSE maths, please do get in touch.

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