

# Year 8 parents' information evening

## Structure of KS3:

Senior Assistant Principal,  
Director of KS3 – Mrs H Breakspear

*Please contact any  
member of staff  
via*

[enquiries@longsands.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@longsands.cambs.sch.uk)

Head of Year 8 – Mr J Powell

Form Tutor – first port of call

Things can often be resolved quickly and easily

Form Tutors

If required, the tutor will then contact Miss Beveridge in the KS3 Student Support team for additional support

KS3 Student Support team:

– Miss K Beveridge

– Mrs L Gavigan

If the matter requires more attention, then HoY will become involved

# DODDLE



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INSPIRING BEYOND MEASURE

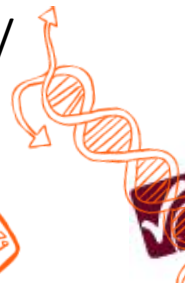
## All Home Learning will be set, or recorded, on Doodle!

Doodle is an online home learning and revision resource that makes it easier for students to understand what they're covering in class.

Teachers will assign resources and tasks to complete. Or, it can be used to revise and find extra help with other home learning.

<https://www.doodlelearn.co.uk/support/parent/>

$$\frac{a^2+c^3}{39} = (y+a)$$



# Progress Report (PR) Attitude to Learning (AtL)

## Year 8 Parent Consultations: 5<sup>th</sup> December 2018

- **PR points:**
  - **PR1: 17th October**
  - **PR2: 13<sup>th</sup> February**
  - **PR3: 17<sup>th</sup> July**

### AtL grades:

- **Home Learning,**
- **Class Learning**
- **Behaviour for Learning**

<b>1 - Exceeding expectations</b>
<b>2 - Meeting expectations</b>
<b>3 - Slightly below expectations</b>
<b>4 - Significantly below expectations</b>

# Kinship

- You care for and look after each other
- You are mindful of each others feelings and think before you say or write something that could be offensive or hurtful
- You remain positive and resilient
- You try your best and help others to succeed
- You make the right choices and decisions, both in and out of school



## Family

We were not born under the same roof  
Not made from the same gene pool  
We don't like the same thing  
Don't think the same way  
We argue, and talk, and talk  
It's as simply complicated as this  
We are family

*John Siddique*

# Attendance

Research confirms year after year that students who have high attendance have better outcomes at GCSE and A Level

If a student has 80% attendance, that represents 38 days absent. Over 5 years, that equates to a year of school lost

# Pupil Premium Funding

Pupil Premium funding is attracted by those students who;

- have been on Free School Meals during the past 6 years;
- are Looked After Children;
- are service Children

Examples of how the funding can be used:

- Payment for trips, uniform, equipment, music lessons and sporting activities
- Additional tuition within school (Maths and English)
- Subject and Homework Support

Please contact Mrs E Simpson [esimpson@longsands.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:esimpson@longsands.cambs.sch.uk) for further information about how we can help support your son/daughter