

Christ's College Guildford

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13th March 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Today, Wednesday 13th March, you will be able to read your child's report on the Arbor parent portal. Tomorrow we will have an assembly to go through necessary information regarding their exam entries and the final examination timetable.

We hope you find this information helpful with only a few weeks left until the majority of public examinations start. Students should now be working hard not only in school, but at home too. They have comprehensive revision plans and must attend all lessons punctually and with urgency: every minute counts in the run up to their final exams.

To access the portal either use the Arbor App or go through the online portal (https://login.arbor.sc/). If you have forgotten your password, you can also reset it there. If you have not used the Arbor portal before, you have been emailed an invitation to sign up (please check your junk or spam folder).

There is a lot of detail on the report, as follows:

Attendance/Lates: Attendance and punctuality are important for a student's attainment levels and positive attitude towards College life. Students should aim for 100% attendance and avoid broken weeks (i.e. taking the odd day off).

Behaviour Incidents: This is a count of any cautions (negative behaviour incidents) given this term. We do not record positive behaviour points, but rather House Points.

House Points: House points are awarded to students for demonstrating the core values in school.

Current Mark (Attainment Grade): For Year 11 this is their recent February Mock Exam result, based on the 2023 paper and grade boundaries. These are colour coded as follows: pale green shows on target, darker green shows above target and cream shows below target, for your child's minimum expected attainment grades.

Minimum Target Grade: For each subject, a student has a minimum target grade. This is calculated using the Department for Education's attainment 8 estimates.

Effort, Conduct and Homework Grades: Each subject has reported the following judgements for effort in class, conduct in class and homework. Remember, the higher the number, the better the judgement:





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Effort in class	Conduct in class	Homework
4= Always works hard 3= Usually works hard 2= Sometimes works hard 1= Occasionally works hard	4= Always demonstrates the core values 3= Usually demonstrates the core values 2= Sometimes demonstrates the core values 1= Occasionally demonstrates the core values	4= Completed to greater depth standard 3= Completed to expected standard 2= Completed to a working towards standard 1= Rarely completed

Following receipt of this report, should you wish to make contact with us, please do follow the usual channels of communication, including:

- · For subject queries, contact either the teacher named on the report, or the Head of Department, with email address as first initial followed by surname @christscollege.surrey.sch.uk
- · For queries relating to the overall report, contact the year group Progress Leader: Miss L Carter lcarter@christscollege.surrey.sch.uk
- · For queries relating to the exams and curriculum, contact Mrs Starr, Assistant Principal lstarr@christscollege.surrey.sch.uk
- For Arbor queries, contact Mr Grundy, Vice Principal pgrundy@christscollege.surrey.sch.uk

Of course, we always welcome any feedback and comments directly to Mrs Hatch, Principal, on principal@christscollege.surrey.sch.uk

Best wishes

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Mrs L Starr Assistant Principal

