Independent Learning at CCHS

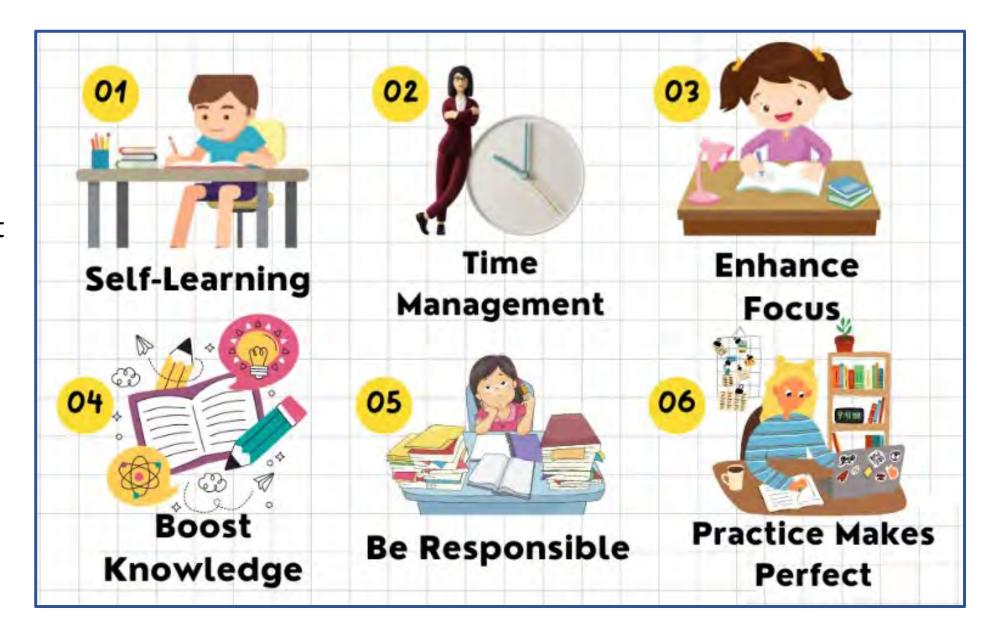


Your Support Fuels Their Success - Together, We Can Make It Happen!





Why Independent Learning Matters





Independent Learning at CCHS for students in Year 7-9



One online platform for all independent learning.

Accessible and personalised for each student.

Simple and consistent approach.





Weekly Reading

Every Monday



Sparx Reader

Sparx Reader is designed to help every student do meaningful, independent reading every week, which is vital for building reading stamina, improving literacy skills, and promoting perseverance.

It's really important that young people are able to practise careful, silent reading regularly, without distraction.

Students can choose from an appropriate range of ebooks at their reading level and as they read, they'll answer questions to check they're reading carefully.



Sparx Maths

Weekly Maths The majority of each week's independent learning will be based on recently learnt topics, but it will also include some questions from previous topics to help reinforce their learning.

Every Wednesday

Students access their independent learning on their online Sparx account, where they'll get immediate feedback for each question about whether their answer was correct or they need to have another try.



While independent learning is accessed online, it is predominantly a written independent learning and students should record their work in their workbooks. Sparx has a "bookwork checks" system to help students form this habit.

Every question in Sparx has a support video attached to that your child can get help independently.

Higher Expectations, Raising Aspirations, Transforming Lives



Sparx Science

Weekly Science

Every Wednesday



Sparx Science is designed to help every student achieve success in science.

Students access their independent learning on their online Sparx account, where they'll get immediate feedback for each question about whether their answer was correct or they need to have another try.

The independent learning is personalised so it is suitable for the working level of each student. It will take a few independent learnings for the platform to get to know what your child's working at level is.

The independent learning tasks are split into manageable chunks, and also linked to the explicit science domains of physics, chemistry and biology.



Portal

Weekly email

Celebrate Successes

Monitor your child's progress

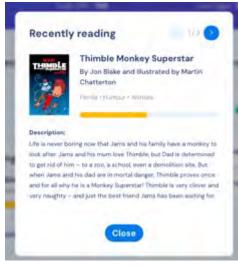


You are able to see how your child is getting on with all of their Sparx Learning using the link to the Parent Portal, available in your weekly Sparx Maths emails.

When clicking through the link, you will be able to keep track of any Sparx system that your child uses.

Here you can keep track of previous independent learnings as well as the book your child is currently reading.



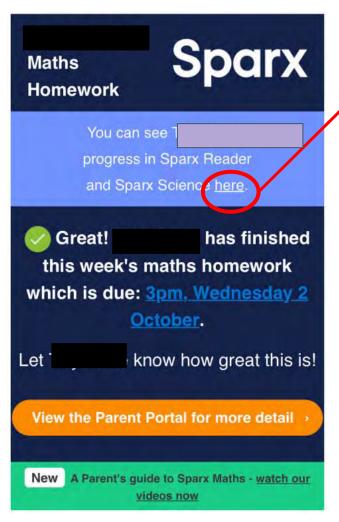


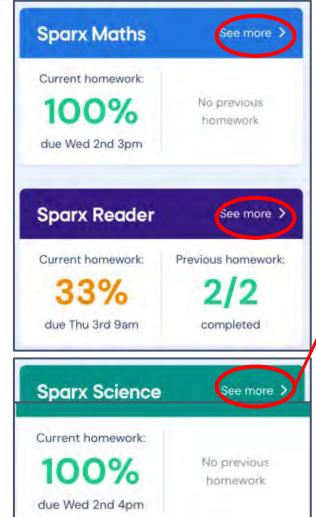
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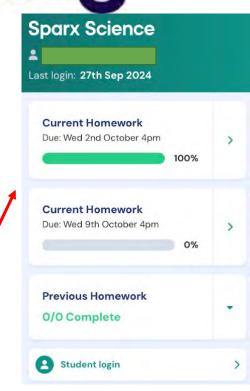


Example of parent access













How you can support your child

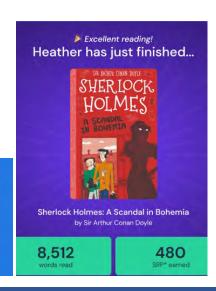
Sparx Learning

Sparx Learning adapts to each student's working at or reading level, so it's important that you don't help by answering questions for them. If you help them, the Sparx learning platform might think they're working at a higher level and so may set them questions, or show them books that are too difficult.

You can help by providing a quiet space and a set amount of time for your child to focus on their independent learning each week.

Monitor their progress and prompt them to complete their independent learning before it's due to help build positive learning habits.

Celebrate successes!



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Congratulate

levelling up to Maths Level

16 on 27 Sep!



Further videos available for parents to find out more

*** Sparx Learning**

We encourage you to watch a series of short videos explaining what Sparx Reader is and how it works, available at https://sparxreader.com/parents/ or by scanning this QR code:







Further videos available for parents to find out more



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A parent's guide to Sparx Maths

What is Sparx Maths?

Student videos

FAQs

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Sparx Maths Homework is an online learning platform that creates personalised maths homework for students aged 11-16.

We believe that practice makes perfect, so each week, your child's teacher selects the topics that have been taught in class and we build a personalised set of questions to match your child's current level of understanding.

Our aim is for all children to strive for **100% completion** of their homework.

By consistently using Sparx Maths, your child can build a solid foundation in maths and achieve their full potential.







Thank you

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