QUEEN ELIZABETH'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

GO 4 Schools – Latest Report

Hopefully you have found the GO 4 Schools website and mobile app useful so far to access information about your child's timetable, homework, behaviour and attendance. Today we have issued the first report for your child. This contains information on 'Aspects of Learning' for each subject:

- Readiness to Learn
- Responsibility for own learning
- Meeting Deadlines
- QEGS Standards

Detailed information on each of these is included in the 'GO 4 Schools Guidance for Parents and Carers document', which is available on the school website: <u>https://www.queenelizabeths.derbyshire.sch.uk/parents/assessment-and-reporting/</u>

You can access the GO 4 Schools website here: https://www.go4schools.com/parents

And your child can also access GO 4 Schools via this link: https://www.go4schools.com/students

A key focus for our school is enabling our students to become more independent, and as such, there is a report aspect: 'Responsibility for Own Learning'. This is a challenging attribute, and as such it will be rarer for students to be given 'Exceeding Expectations'; in many cases students will start the year with 'Inconsistent' as they are starting to develop these skills and develop their independence.

At this stage of your child's time at QEGS, we believe that is important for them to focus on the Aspects of Learning, and answering the two questions:

- What can I do well?
- What do I need to do to improve?

Feedback in lessons (written and verbal) is focussed on these two questions, rather than the grade. At the end of this year, we will use information from internal assessments, alongside external data (CATs and Fischer Family Trust) to determine a 'Flightpath' for your child for each subject (Expected Grade at the end of Year 11).

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Yours faithfully

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