



My Community School

Year 7 Report

July 2009

James Arkil

7C

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Art and Design				Miss H Martin			
Examination %	N/A	Group Average %	N/A	Current Achievement	C	Commitment	2
<p>The data above reflects James's achievements in Design & Technology. James has studied three modules in the subject, the first was the "TV graphics project", then the "iPod project" and finally the "Pencil sharpener project". Through this year James has achieved a level 4, nearly achieving his target level of 5 for the year. James unfortunately failed to achieve his Silver Star award. In Art this year James has achieved a C 2 which is on the level expected for his age group.</p>							
English				Mrs C Eaves			
Examination %	34	Group Average %	65	Current Achievement	C	Commitment	2
<p>James is an able pupil but has shown an inconsistent approach to class work and homework throughout the year. He has, at times, been both a distraction and distracting. However, he is beginning to focus a little more on the task in hand and to take part in class activities. I am sure that if this continues, he will soon reach the level of ability of which he is capable.</p>							
French				Mr G Richards			
Examination %	37	Group Average %	63	Current Achievement	D	Commitment	2
<p>James has struggled with French this year and this is reflected in a low examination result. To help raise his marks he must pay attention to accurately learning vocabulary and verb endings as this will help with written work. James must also try harder to take part in lessons, in particular taking the opportunity to practise speaking. He has often shown good aptitude when he has worked hard in class and this should happen more frequently.</p>							
German				Mr K martin			
Examination %	60	Group Average %	70	Current Achievement	B	Commitment	2
<p>James has produced some very good work this year although his commitment is erratic. At times James lacks concentration and his written notes are often poor. He needs to improve his organisation as he tends to forget his books and to bring in homework. In order to improve James must learn not to chat and lose focus in lessons and he must devote more time to completing homeworks. He has the potential to do better.</p>							
Geography				Miss J langford			
Examination %	32	Group Average %	59	Current Achievement	D	Commitment	1
<p>James's attitude and behaviour in class has greatly improved as the year has progressed. He is more focused and willing to get down to work with a little encouragement. His work when he does apply himself is of a good standard and demonstrates understanding. James does however need to continue to focus on the detail of his work in order to improve his grade. More revision was also in order perhaps? Overall though a steady year.</p>							

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History				Mr R Dobson			
Examination %	34	Group Average %	55	Current Achievement	D	Commitment	3
<p>In terms of extended writing James has remained static on level 3. In order to improve further he must ensure he links his facts back to the question set and improves his conclusion by clearly giving his opinion. In terms of source assessments he has remained at a level 3 - he must use model answers and feedback in order to improve here. He rarely hands in his homework on time and lacks self-discipline in class.</p>							
Latin				Mr B Partridge			
Examination %	8	Group Average %	50	Current Achievement	D	Commitment	3
<p>Work since test: no change This has not been a good year: James has had occasional bursts of energy, but he finds it difficult to work on his own, to work with any real progress, and to learn any material. Things I hope will improve for him as he gets older.</p>							
ICT				Mr H Anstruther			
Current Achievement Grade			C	Commitment Level			2
<p>Areas of study in ICT for year 7 have included Internet, email, word processing, desktop publishing, spreadsheets and databases. The emphasis is on finding things out, developing ideas, making things happen, and exchanging and sharing information. James has made limited progress during the year. He missed the end of year tests and achieved quite low scores in the early testing. He needs to work on improving his knowledge and skills.</p>							
Mathematics				Mrs H Jackson			
Examination %	32	Group Average %	56	Current Achievement	D	Commitment	2
<p>James has put very little effort into his work this year and this is reflected in his poor examination result. He takes far too long to settle down to work in class and has to be encouraged to continue constantly. He is not without ability and can contribute well to the lesson, so he should benefit from being in a small group next year. Areas to focus on are decimal places, ratio, equations and constructing triangles. He must also try to finish the paper.</p>							
Religious Education				Mr J Abelar			
Examination %	36	Group Average %	53	Current Achievement	C	Commitment	2
<p>All pupils have taken part in continuous assessment in Religious Education this year. James has achieved level 3 in his continuously assessed pieces of work this year. This is lower than expected for a pupil in year seven in this school. James must make sure that he improves his concentration so that he can complete tasks to the best of his ability. James's examination result was poor. James needs to improve his examination technique.</p>							
Science				Miss T Charles			
Examination %	59	Group Average %	71	Current Achievement	C	Commitment	2
<p>James is an enthusiastic pupil who asks interesting questions in science. However, James's test results throughout the year have been consistently low. James has also failed to complete homework on many occasions, which, coupled with his frequent poor behaviour during lessons has led James to receive several detentions this year. If James is to reach his full potential he needs to ensure that he fully applies himself in every lesson.</p>							

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Physical Education		Mr C Shilleto	
Overall Achievement	D	Commitment	3
Basketball	D	Rounders	C
Health Related Exercise	C	Rugby	C
Indoor Athletics	C	Summer Option	C
Orienteering	C	Tennis	D
<p>James has shown signs of improvement in his behaviour and when on task he works hard. However James can often lack focus and once he has lost concentration finds it hard to get back on task this can often disrupt the learning of others.</p>			
Music		Miss B Williams	
Current Achievement Grade	C	Commitment Level	2
<p>I am fairly pleased with James's progress this year. He has improved his keyboard skills. He uses GString effectively in composition work and usually has homework ready for marking. Next year James should focus on completing more work set and keeping on task for longer periods of time.</p>			
Form Tutor		Miss L Harman	
<p>James has had a mixed year at My Community School. It is vital that, with support James begins to address some of the issues raised. Setting short term, achievable targets for each lesson will allow him to demonstrate greater levels of concentration and commitment in all his subjects. James must also ensure he uses his planner in every lesson. James is keen to be involved in all aspects of school life and was a valuable asset on Sports Day!</p>			