



The Ferrers School

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Dear Parent or Carer

Year 9 Progress Review Point 1

I am pleased to inform you that the first Progress Review (PR1) for your child is now available to view on MCAS (My Child At School).

How do I sign up to MCAS?

You will need to sign up with the e-mail address that we hold for you. Please enter our school postcode NN10 8LF pick our school from the list and follow the instructions on screen.

We highly recommend you watch the short parent introduction video on the trust website which takes you step by step through the process www.meridiantrust.co.uk/mcas.

The system will invite you to create a password for MCAS. Please note you will need to have a minimum of 8 characters, including an UPPERCASE, lowercase, a number and a special character (such as: !@£\$%&+-).

You can use a web browser via (www.mychildatschool.com) or you can download the MCAS parent app from the Apple and Android app stores.

If you have already downloaded MCAS or have problems logging in please email mail@theferrers.org

All students will now complete an Academic Mentoring session with their tutor within the next two school weeks. The tutor will then contact home to discuss or share any actions that have been agreed.

You will also see that the report contains an 'End of Course Prediction'. This grade is the professional prediction made by your child's teacher based on all the evidence they have about your child's projected attainment. This will include, but is not limited to, work done in class and at home and attainment and progress in tests and assessments. This grade can include a + or - prefix. This indicates that your child is either close to the next grade up (+) and with some additional work could move up or that they need to do some additional work (-) to ensure they secure the grade predicted.

If you have any questions arising from PR1 or with regards to parent's evening, please don't hesitate to contact your child's form tutor or House Office in the first instance.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs M Garrod

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