

# **YEAR 7 PARENTS EVENING**

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# INFORMATION

- Targets
- Assessments
- Grades and Colours



## **KEY STAGE 3**

- Core Subjects- English, Maths, Science and RE.
- Non-Core Subjects- all other subjects studied in years 7, 8 and 9.



# KS3 CORE TARGETS

- The government expects pupils to make a set amount of progress from year 6 SAT's to year 11.
- KS2 data in English and Maths is used, giving pupils with that same starting point a target for **each** subject.
- This is based on National Data for all pupils sitting exams that year.
- This could mean that targets are different for each subject.
- This is always done retrospectively, so we use the previous years data.
- We give end of year targets so we use a scaler to adjust the year 11 target (- 3 grades).



# KS3 CORE ASSESSMENT

- GCSE style questions and papers are used during formal assessment.
- Real grade boundaries are used.
- GCSE grades are given.
- Grades are numbers from 9-0.
- We use 'W' rather than 0 in KS3.



### GCSE Grading

New Grading Structure

Old Grading Structure

9	A*
8	
7	A
6	B
5	
Standard Pass → 4	C
3	D
2	E
1	F
	G
U	U

Grade Boundaries are adjusted each year.

Certain percentage of pupils achieve each grade.

# KS3 NON- CORE



# KS3 NON- CORE TARGETS

Pupils are ranked based on KS2 mean scaled score. They are then assigned a target colour based on their rank position within the year group. This will be the same for all non-core subjects.

Rank	Quintile
1-40	Purple
41-90	Pink
91-140	Blue
141-190	Yellow
191-230	Orange





# KS3 NON-CORE ASSESSMENT COLOUR

For each assessment, in each subject, pupils will receive a score or percentage. Pupils will once again be ranked on their position within the cohort based on their performance in that assessment.

Rank	Quintile
1-40	Purple
41-90	Pink
91-140	Blue
141-190	Yellow
191-230	Orange

Tech Rotation and MFL use the same ranking numbers but are calculated slightly differently.

# HAVE PUPILS ACHIEVED THEIR TARGET?

Once pupils have received their assessed colour they need to compare it to their target colour.

	Quintile
	Purple
	Pink
	Blue
	Yellow
	Orange

Pupils are expected to achieve the same assessed colour as their target colour. If they receive an assessed colour higher on the ladder than their target they have achieved better than expected. If they achieve a colour below then have performed below expected.

# TECHNOLOGY ROTATIONS

For subjects within the technology rotation we have included scores for each subject studied on the Academic Overviews. This is to help identify areas of strength and weakness.



# WHAT DOES IT LOOK LIKE

Key Stage 3 AO example



# WHEN DO YOU GET THIS

AO1- 17<sup>th</sup> December 2019

AO2- 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020

AO3- 14<sup>th</sup> July 2020

<http://www.stgeorges-school.org.uk/340/academic-overview?search=Academic Overview>

