TRINITY ACADEMY
Emmanuel Schools Foundation

Dear Parents/Carers

RE: Homework Policy

I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to inform you of an important update to our school's homework policy, effective from 16th September 2024.

Over the past academic year in an effort to support our students' academic success and instil a greater sense of responsibility, we have been revising our approach to managing homework compliance. Our approach remains the same and I refer you to the letter sent in January of this year.

We have continued to improve our policy and outline of key changes are below:

1. **Homework Detentions**: If a student accumulates two homework demerits in any given subject, they will be assigned a 30 minute Missed Homework Detention.
2. **Detention Schedule**: Missed Homework Detentions will take place every Thursday after school. A student can sit a maximum of two detentions on one Thursday so the latest finish time will be 4.05pm. Missed Homework Detentions will take priority over additional enrichment activities.

The purpose of this change is to encourage timely and consistent completion of homework assignments, which are critical for reinforcing classroom learning and developing effective study habits. Research shows the regular completion of homework assignments can add an additional five months of progress.

We understand that this policy adjustment may require some time for students to adapt, and we appreciate your support in helping them understand the importance of fulfilling their academic responsibilities. If you have any concerns or questions about this new policy, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your cooperation and continued support.

Yours faithfully,

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