

29<sup>th</sup> February 2008

Dear Parent,

**Re: mymaths**

The Mathematics department has recently bought into the mymaths website. This site has a large volume of material appropriate for pupils from years 7 to 11. It is grouped in topic areas, then individual topics and then structured as “lessons”, with teaching material and worksheets for each lesson. We will be making use of this in some classes, but we are especially keen that pupils are aware that it is available for all of them to access at home for mathematics support.

The website address is

[www.mymaths.co.uk](http://www.mymaths.co.uk)

the school login is

rgsw

the school password is

alice

There is a facility for us to set and mark homework online on this site, which we are not currently planning to use. However, in certain cases we will be suggesting pupils make use of this facility, and to this end, will register those pupils on the system. The pupil will then have secondary login and password (which they must keep confidential). The secondary login means that when they do a worksheet online it will be marked and we will be able to review the work they have done on the site.

In the event we allocate such a login and password to your child, we will send a letter home with them to advise you of the fact and to give you the login details.

May I also take this opportunity to advise/remind you that the department runs an open maths clinic every lunchtime, details of which are available around the school and from your child’s mathematics teacher.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries on this matter. My email address is [pje@rgsao.org.uk](mailto:pje@rgsao.org.uk)

Yours sincerely,

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