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Dear Parent/Guardian

Hegarty Maths

The Mathematics Department at Maiden Erlegh Chiltern Edge has been reviewing its online support packages for Mathematics and are proud to introduce Hegarty Maths. Hegarty Maths will now replace all other existing programmes such as MathsWatch/My Maths and will be the primary resource that our Maths teachers use for setting homework and revision. The Hegarty Maths system teaches, assesses and tracks everything needed to learn maths and is shown to have a positive impact on motivation, attainment and engagement.

When face to face teaching resumes, your child will receive a homework/revision task every other week and each homework task will be made up of two parts:

- 1) Watching and taking detailed notes in their book from one of Hegarty's 10-minute videos
- 2) Completing the quiz that follows the video, whilst showing full working out in their book.

How can you support your Child?

Our main focus is on the effort that your child puts into their homework and revision, the care they take with their notes and the pride they take in their work. All notes and all answers to the quizzes must be written in their books (or on one side of A4 paper and bought in) and students should mark their work as they go along on the computer.

Encourage your child to take their time on the written element of the homework.

Remind them it is fine to make mistakes and to retry any quiz they struggle with as this will encourage good habits and take the fear out of making mistakes in maths.

How does my child log in?

Your child will be told by their teacher how to log-in to the site (www.hegartymaths.com).

To help with understanding how to use the Hegarty package, please view the parent/student guide to using Hegarty which is saved under this letter in the [Whole School Letters](#) page on the school website. I hope it is useful and will enable you to support your child with their mathematics at home.

As we have moved to remote learning the Hegarty Maths System will be implemented alongside our live teaching sessions. If you have any further questions or queries then please do not hesitate to email me on s.jones1@maidenerleghtrust.org

Kind regards

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