



# Brine Leas School

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## Progress Report

Dear Parent/Guardian,

As we approach the end of your child's first term here at Brine Leas, I would like to inform you about how we report your child's progress in Year 7 to you.

At the end of each term, you will receive an electronic Progress Report (via 'My Child At School') that will include for each subject:

1. A descriptor that indicates your child's progress: **exceeding expected progress, making expected progress, or more effort and application required to meet expected standard.**

2. A descriptor of the extent to which your child exhibits outstanding learning behaviour. This will be shown as either **always, usually, sometimes or rarely** and the descriptor applies to these statements:

- \* punctual, proactive, positive and equipped
- \* strive to do my best, even when work is challenging
- \* complete my classwork, homework and respond to feedback
- \* respectful to myself, my peers, school staff and the school environment

Students are familiar with 'outstanding learning behaviour', as their learning behaviour cards and merit books are part of the learning behaviour policy.

3. A 'next step'. These are recommendations from your child's teacher, as to what your child should do in order to further his / her progress. The 'next steps' are intended to help you, to help your child. They will inform you of a precise change or improvement your child can make in lessons, in homework or in effort.

I am very grateful to the parents who contributed their ideas and suggestions when we were designing the Progress Reports. If you have any further feedback, after having received the first report, please do contact me on the school number.

Yours faithfully,

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