

Dear Parent/Carer

November 2016

Year 7 Settling-In Report

I hope that you and your child have felt warmly-welcomed at Newquay Tretherras. We were delighted that so many of you were able to attend the recent Academic Review Evening, which I hope you all felt was valuable.

The enclosed report gives you an early indication of your child's attitude to learning within each subject as well as an early grade for their ability in English and maths.

Attitude to Learning is a crucial element of learning and you will see how teachers have judged your child's **Behaviour**, **Engagement** and **Organisation**, as far as their approach to study goes. This is judged as either Excellent, Good, Requires Improvement or Unsatisfactory in each area.

English and maths have also included a judgement on your child's ability in reading, writing and maths against early Year 7 expectations. This judgement is shown on the report as a **Step Grade** and is shown as either Emerging, Developing, Secure or Extending. A '+' next to the grade shows that their ability is almost in the grade above, a '-' next to the grade shows they have evidenced just enough knowledge and skills to gain that grade.

An indication of the current **Attendance Percentage** for your child is given at the bottom of the report. We encourage high levels of attendance as this is a crucial factor in academic success at school.

If you require any more detail, please do not hesitate to contact the school:
Mrs A Thomas, Head of Year 7: intake2016@tretherras.net

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Mrs S Fairbairn
Headteacher

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REPLY SLIP: Please return to your child's Form Tutor

NAME OF STUDENT: _____ **FORM:** _____

I/We have received the report and wish to make the following comments:

Signed: _____ (Parent/Carer)