

THE LEIGH ACADEMY

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DCO/JHW/Tassomai



Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Tassomai revision software to improve Exam grades in Science Examination

We are aware that some of our students find it difficult to organise their revision, in particular:

- Knowing where to start
- Organising time so they revise all topics
- Becoming overly worried about the amount to do
- Doing ineffective revision by simply reading or copying information

We have the opportunity to subscribe students to a new web based service for their Science revision. This website:

- Organises the student's revision schedule for them, they simply need to log on once per day. They have access to testing on the content of the course which should be used in conjunction with their revision guides.
- Tracks their progress through the course, in terms of content and their understanding of each topic
- Will reschedule work to indicate if they are falling behind with revision
- Will adapt the difficulty of questions, to retest weaker areas and add difficulty to areas of confidence
- Progress and areas of strength/weakness are visible to their Science teacher as well as students

We do believe that this will be a useful tool for students whether they are striving to reach the 44 pass grade or even aiming for a 99! We have secured a very discounted price of just £10.00 per student to have access to this software and Tassomai is offering to refund the cost should your child not achieve a 44 grade or better in their GCSE paper (dependent on them completing the work set by the software).

In order to make the most of the resource we would ask for your support in ensuring that your child is completing the work set by logging on each day, it may be helpful for you to set a fixed time of the day that they do this as part of their homework routine. Tassomai will also be used by teachers in lessons leading up to the exam and it will very advantageous for students to have their own logins to maximise the benefit of the topics being covered.

If you would like to purchase the Tassomai software then please pay the £10.00 cost on ParentPay and the academy will immediately set your child up with a username and password allowing them access to the site and app.

If you require further information, please see www.tassomai.com

Yours faithfully

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