

**Online Learning Platform Information Sheet**

**Key Stage 3**

**2023-2024**

This document outlines online platforms that students have access to in order to support their learning. Please note that this is a draft document and is subject to change.

<b>Maths</b>		
Name: My Maths	URL: <a href="http://www.mymaths.co.uk">www.mymaths.co.uk</a>	Parent platform: general access using the school login sibford, password: sphere. Used for online lessons, videos and homework set by the teacher and independent catch up/revision directed by pupils/parents/teachers. All users can search for topics.
Name: Maths Pad	URL: <a href="http://www.mathspad.co.uk">www.mathspad.co.uk</a>	Used for prep. No parent platform pupils have individual login/password.
<b>Science</b>		
Name: Kerboodle	URL: <a href="https://www.kerboodle.com/users/login">https://www.kerboodle.com/users/login</a>	The institution code is fi9. Parents don't have access to the platform. Students have individualised usernames - first name initial + surname all lowercase e.g. tcygal. Their passwords are based on their school ID number (the same as their office 365 log ins). The platform has an online version of the Activate 1 textbook which parents can look at with their students and discuss current learning. Teachers can set online Prep tasks on Kerboodle, which parents can help students access in the 'Assignments' section on their home page.
<b>English</b>		
Name: Bedrock Learning	URL: <a href="https://bedrocklearning.org/">https://bedrocklearning.org/</a>	Students have individual log in names given by English teacher.  More info on Bedrock: Bedrock Learning is a vocabulary enrichment program. It is a self-paced set of lessons which are related to grouped tier 2 and 3 vocabulary (more complex words used in an academic context). It is set once a week as prep or in lessons as a starter.  The students initially complete a baseline test on the system which then moves the students into a Block. Each Block has a set of lessons based on these key words which are put into context, read aloud to the students and then a collection of activities are given to help the student learn the word. At the end of the Block of learning, the student is given a post learning test to see what progress has been made. The process has been proved to be an effective way to interleave learning and repeat the words to embed them into vocabulary use. By completing two lessons a week, Bedrock claim that most progress can be made.  Parents There is a parent log-in for you to track the words your child is learning and how much time they have spent on the system. (Parent log-in details will be given out at parents evening).



<b>MFL: Spanish and French</b>		
Name: Sentence Builders	URL: <a href="http://www.sentencebuilders.com">www.sentencebuilders.com</a>	Each student has their own log in that should be written on the inside cover of their MFL exercise book. Parents don't have access to the platform. The platform is a great resource for reinforcing language and learning vocabulary. Assignments and competitions are set for prep.
<b>ICT</b>		
Name: iDea	<a href="http://www.iDea.org.uk">www.iDea.org.uk</a>	Badge based learning tool for ICT. Parents can sign up, but they will not be able to see their child's progress.
<b>Clubs</b>		
Name: SOCS	URL: <a href="http://www.socsms.com/login/241">www.socsms.com/login/241</a>	Students use their school username and password to access this. A link to SOCS is on the Firefly homepage. A guide to SOCS for clubs has been sent by Michelle Gardener. If you can't access this please contact Michelle directly. Students use SOCS to sign up for lunchtime clubs. Parents can access SOCS to sign students up to before and after school clubs including prep.
<b>Sport</b>		
Name: SOCS	URL: <a href="http://www.socsms.com/login/241">www.socsms.com/login/241</a>	Students use their school username and password to access this. A link to SOCS is on the Firefly homepage. SOCS sport is for students who take part in school fixtures during their games afternoon. A guide to SOCS sport has been sent by Claire Ferley. If you are not able to access this, please contact Claire directly. Students access SOCS Sport to view match day information and team sheets.
<b>Careers / PSHE</b>		
Name: Unifrog	URL: <a href="http://www.unifrog.org/sing-in">www.unifrog.org/sing-in</a>	Username is their school email address, and a password is set when they sign up to the platform. Unifrog is a platform that is used predominantly for careers education and lead by Sarah Read, our Careers Councilor. Students are set "interactions" which they can do either during their own time or during tutor time. This platform is used right up to Year 13 where it is a helpful tool to access all prior achievements to support personal statement writing. There are ways parents can also access this and for more information please contact Sarah Read ( <a href="mailto:sread@sibfordschool.co.uk">sread@sibfordschool.co.uk</a> ).