

# Report Cards 2022/2023



Teaching staff collect and present information on students' achievement and progress at three times during the year. Within school they are called 'Data Collect 1, 2 and 3'.

The teaching staff grade the students' current work, attitude to learning, classwork effort, homework effort and areas for improvement. We then collate the information and this is recorded on our MIS system.

The functionality of our system means that we can share the 'Report Cards' with parents after each data collect. This will now give parents an update on their child's progress and areas for development at three key points during the year.

In addition to this there will be an opportunity to meet teachers at a parents evening to discuss students' progress in more detail.

<b>Data Collect 1</b>	<b>Reports to Parents</b>
All Years	24 <sup>th</sup> November 2022

<b>Data Collect 2</b>	<b>Reports to Parents</b>
Years 7, 8, 9 & 10	24 <sup>th</sup> March 2023
Year 11	27 <sup>th</sup> January 2023
Year 12 & 13	10 <sup>th</sup> February 2023

<b>Data Collect 3</b>	<b>Reports to Parents</b>
Years 7, 8, 9, 10 & 12	14 <sup>th</sup> July 2023

## Targets and Grades Explained

### Years 7, 8 & 9 (KS3)

Here at Ellesmere Port Catholic High School, teaching staff mark the students on a grading system called steps. Students are placed on an initial step following a baseline assessment which gives them an individualised pathway in each subject. As they develop and progress during their time here progress is recorded and graded appropriately.

The steps start at 1c, 1b, 1a, 2c, 2b, 2a – and continues up to 9c, 9b, 9a.

These steps must not be confused with the GCSE grading system or the KS2 levels.

*On the report cards:*

The students 'End of Year Target' is the step that their subject teacher expects them to be working at by the time they finish the academic year.

'Current Grade' is where teachers will record the step that the students are working at now.

### Years 10 & 11 (KS4)

The students 'End of Year Target' is the GCSE grade that their subject teacher expects them to be working at by the time they finish the academic year.

'Current Grade' is where teachers will record the GCSE grade that the students are working at now. The + and – is used to give a better view of how secure the student is within the GCSE grade point.

### Years 12 & 13 (KS5)





The students 'End of Year Target' is the A-Level grade that their subject teacher expects them to be working at by the time they finish the academic year.

'Current Grade' is where teachers will record the A-Level grade that the students are working at now.

**Attitude to Learning, Classwork Effort & Homework Effort** are all:

Outstanding, Good, Requires Improvement or Unsatisfactory

**Current Grade colour in relation to Target Grade:**

-  = Above Target
-  = At Target
-  = Slightly Below Target
-  = Significantly Below Target

**Improvement** areas are also indicated on the Report Cards. They are used to give parents a brief idea of where the subject teacher feels that improvement can be made.

**PPE Grade (if applicable)** is the Pre-Public Examinations Grade (previously known as mock exams).

**The Report Cards will be sent out via email and the Arbor Parent App**

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