



ST JOSEPH'S PREPARATORY SCHOOL
Part of the Edmund Rice Family

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Dear Parent,

Today you should have received by e-mail an invite, rather earlier than expected, to sign up for a free Atom learning account for your child.

We will soon begin using [Atom Learning](#), an adaptive online teaching and learning platform partnered with Galore Park. Atom Learning helps children consolidate Key Stage 2 knowledge and prepare for senior school entry assessments. Where appropriate, we will use Atom Learning's school platform (Atom Prime) to:

- create lessons and homework across English, Maths, VR and NVR;
- set fully adaptive mock tests that will provide an accurate age-standardised score; and
- gain performance insight into year group, class and individual strengths and areas to work on.

YOUR CHILD'S UNIQUE LOGIN

Once you have received the details of your child's account by secure e-mail, you can also create your free Prime Parent Portal directly from your child's account. For any queries, please email support@atomlearning.co.uk and they will be able to help.

Your Parent Portal will allow you to access your child's login details at any time and be able to view their progress. (Note: if you have already set up your Parent Portal, then you can simply log in [here](#)).

CAT EXERCISE

When your child logs in, there will be a short CAT exercise in each subject to complete at their earliest convenience. This exercise helps Atom's technology better understand your child's optimal learning path. (Note: these results are for the parent view only).

HELPING YOUR CHILD ON ATOM

Atom is an adaptive platform which means questions will become more or less difficult depending on how your child is performing. Intervention before a question has been attempted will only lead to the next question being overly challenging.

LINKING YOUR PRIME AND NUCLEUS ACCOUNTS

You can choose to do additional practice through Atom Learning's Home Platform (Atom Nucleus). [Click here for an explainer video.](#) While the School Platform is free of charge, Nucleus starts at £20 per month and there is a 5-day free trial. Nucleus is entirely optional and we hope it is a viable alternative to tuition for those parents looking to do additional practice.

If you do decide to use Nucleus, or you are already using it, I would encourage all parents to link their Prime and Nucleus accounts ([watch this video to see how](#)).

Please do let me know if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely


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