Seaford Head School

Achieving Excellence Together



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Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to introduce the new independent study platform that the French department will be using going forward. It is a very exciting learning platform and is an exciting development for the department regarding the independent study provided for Seaford Head students.

It is called Languagenut.

Why we chose Languagenut:

- It comprises activities at word/sentence/text level
- o It works on all language skills (writing, listening, phonics, reading and speaking)
- It uses exam questions
- It comes with reports so teachers can see what students have completed/what they are struggling with

Support for students:

- All Independent study will be set on Friday, to be completed by the following Friday
- All students at Seaford Head are expected to complete their independent study and the French department require that students achieve an average score of 80%
- We run interventions before school if you feel your child would benefit from support:
 - Y7-8: Friday 8.05-8.35am in the IT Suite with Ms. Ruskin
 - Y9-10: Thursday 8.05-8.35am in Room 2 with Mr. Vidon

• What it looks like for students:

1. Log in and click on assignments: Last term all classes have been able to log in and explore the site at school. If your child was absent when that happened, they should contact their teacher to get their login details.

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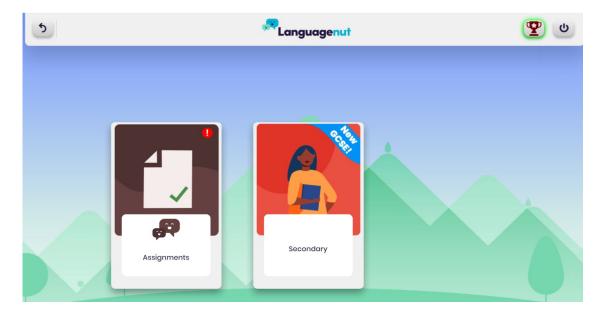


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2. Choose the correct assignment



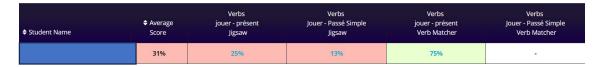
3. Complete all tasks. In each task, students will be able to "Learn/Practice/Quiz". In the learn section, students can see all the vocabulary necessary to score well in the quiz. They can listen to the words and click at the bottom to hide the English, to use the boxes as flashcards.



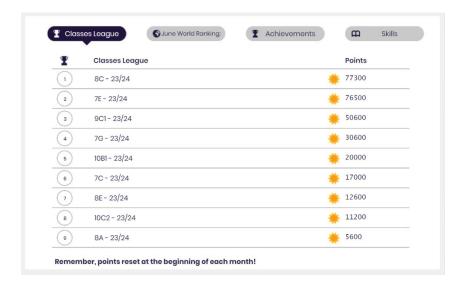
4. For most tasks, students will have to do at least one practice activity in order to take the quiz.



5. Teachers will only see the Quiz results. Only those contribute to the average of 80% we are expecting. The quizzes can be retaken. Some will be harder than others and we expect that students will have to redo some of them. Completing the independent study will be hard at times but should not be impossible! If some tasks cannot be completed for whatever reason, please contact teachers.



6. Rankings and Prizes: In the app, students can see their ranking internationally, compared with other users. They will not be able to see other students' scores. They can also see their class ranking against other classes at Seaford Head School. There are also a range of achievements they can unlock.



We will regularly give achievement points and prizes to students who are performing well and are consistent.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch: michaelvidon@seafordhead.org

Yours sincerely

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