

Dear Parent(s) / Carer(s)

We have a number of digital services available to help your child make progress or to simply share information at Chelsea Academy. Below is a list of those services and how either you or your child can log in. The majority can only be accessed by the students but your knowledge of them is important to help support them with their learning. There are two platforms that you can log into as parents that are detailed below. These are SIMS Parent and Smartparent. Both of these will give you information about your child's timetable, achievements, behaviour points, attendance and with smartparent, their homework tasks (through the linked programme, smarthomework).

## SIMS Parent

*This is where parents can access the information management admin system that we use here at Chelsea Academy. It allows parents to keep their contact details and consents up to date and it allows us to easily communicate with parents about attendance data, achievement and behaviour data, and information about extra-curricular activities.*

Web address	How to log in	Can Parents log in?	Can students log in?	Where can we get logins / passwords / support for this from?
<a href="http://www.sims-parent.co.uk">www.sims-parent.co.uk</a>	Check your email inbox where you should have an invite code from Capita SIMs. Go to the website and register using the same address and enter the invite code.	Yes	No	Via form available on school website ( <a href="http://www.chelsea-academy.org/parent-portal/logins/">http://www.chelsea-academy.org/parent-portal/logins/</a> )

## Smartparent

*This is where parents can access information that is available to our students on the CALC. You can access the Academy calendar, your child's attendance, behaviour and achievement information as well as their timetables and full details of all pieces of Independent Learning (homework) set.*

Web address	How to log in	Can Parents log in?	Can students log in?	Where can we get logins / passwords / support for this from?
<a href="http://parents.realsmart.co.uk">parents.realsmart.co.uk</a>	Go to the web address and set up an account. 'Add an association' (your child). For this you will need a pin number. If you do not have this already, please contact the IT support team (email address on the right). There is a login guide on the website.	Yes	No	A letter should have been given to you or emailed to you at the start of the academic year. If you require this information again, please contact  <a href="mailto:service.desk@chelsea-academy.org">service.desk@chelsea-academy.org</a>

## The Chelsea Academy Learning Cloud (CALC)

*Our online Google driven teacher / student website. Here the students have links to all the digital platforms, the Google suite of apps, latest news, twitter feed, calendar etc. Most importantly, here is where students can see all their IL tasks through smarthomework. It's the green tab on the top row.*

Web address	How to log in	Can Parents log in?	Can students log in?	Where can we get logins / passwords / support for this from?
thecalc.net	Login using the username provided at the start of the year.	No	Yes	All teachers have access to reset your passwords and can share your username with you. Please ask your learning coach to reset your password on the system and your password will become: <i>password</i> .

## GCSEPOD (Year 9-11)

*Video podcasts for all content of nearly every subject in the Academy. Students can watch short videos on a computer, tablet or phone. about subjects/content that they might have found difficult or might have missed in class. They can also use it for revision. You can also download all content so you can watch any time anywhere.*

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www.gcsepod.com	Once on the GCSEPOD website, click 'log in with Google' and if you are logged into the CALC, it will log you straight in. If it takes you to a login screen, simply use the username and password you use for the CALC and your Google products.	No	Yes	As with the CALC username and passwords, all teachers have access to reset your CALC passwords and therefore your GCSEPOD passwords. They can also share your username with you. Please ask your learning coach to reset your password on the system and your password will become: <i>password</i> .

## SAM Learning (Year 7-11)

*Online learning resources, revision materials and assessments that are available in every subject. Great resource for teachers to set homework with and also, for students to select themselves and attempt. Students do not need to wait to be set work, they can simply attempt all tasks in each subject area.*

Web address	How to log in	Can Parents log in?	Can students log in?	Where can we get logins / passwords / support for this from?
www.samlearning .com	Student usernames and passwords use their DOB and the first initial of their first and last name (in capitals). For example 120981SA. They use this for their username and password.	No	Yes	If the username or password is not working, please contact: service.desk@chelsea-academy.org

This guidance does not include the many resources that subjects might use independently, for example Hegarty Maths (Maths), Memrise (MFL) or Tasomai (Science). For support in these programmes, students should see their subject teachers. Again, parents can not log into these services.

I hope this is useful for you to further support the progress of your child. If you have any further general queries, please contact our IT team on: [service.desk@chelsea-academy.org](mailto:service.desk@chelsea-academy.org).

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Ainsworth', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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