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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: My Child At School (MCAS) App

We are excited to announce a significant change in how we communicate with you about your child's education. Starting in September 2024, we will be streamlining our communication systems by replacing our current apps (SIMS Parent App and Satchel One) with a single, comprehensive platform: My Child At School (MCAS), provided by Bromcom.

This consolidation to a single app will significantly enhance your ability to stay informed about your child's education by providing all the information you need in one place.

Through MCAS, you will be able to access a wealth of information, including:

- Attendance records
- Timetables
- On Track points
- Behaviour points and detention information
- Homework assignments
- Progress reports

You will also be able to use the app to keep us updated with any changes to your contact information.

By moving from multiple apps to a single, integrated system, we aim to simplify your access to your child's school information and improve the overall communication between school and home. To get started, we kindly ask that you download the MCAS app to your smartphone. Specific account details for accessing your child's information will be sent to you in September 2024.

As part of this migration, we are also introducing the Bromcom student portal. Please encourage your child to download the Bromcom student app to their smartphone, which will provide them with direct access to their school-related information including homework (they will no longer be using the Satchel One app). Students will be given full instructions on how to access the Bromcom student portal on their return to school in September.





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For help in using both the MCAS parent app and the Bromcom student portal, please view the video tutorials on the following links:

[Parent app tutorial](#)

[Student portal tutorial](#)

MCAS is also available via your internet browser.

We believe that MCAS will greatly improve communication between the school and our families, allowing you to be more involved in your child's education. If you have any questions about this new system, please don't hesitate to contact the school via contactus@rooksheath.harrow.sch.uk

Thank you for your support.

Your sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'L Hyde'.

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