Dear Parent/Carer,

You may be aware that we're using Seneca Learning to support the pupil's independent studies. Seneca Learning offers high-quality online learning courses for students to study from a computer, tablet, or phone. As a school we have upgraded pupils accounts to unlock all premium content. The premium version has several advantages, including access to a larger range of courses, questions, and exam papers, as well as adaptive learning modes to help pupils to focus on the areas they need to improve on.

What is Seneca Learning?
Seneca's online platform can be thought of as an effective & engaging interactive revision guide. Summaries, notes, videos, and lots of different types of practice questions will all be found on Seneca. Seneca covers lots of different subjects at KS3, GCSE and A Level. Seneca courses have been written by senior examiners at the major exam boards.

How often should pupils be using Seneca Learning?
At Park Hall we will be setting pupils assignments on Seneca to complete for homework tasks, however pupils should also be using it beyond what their teacher has set for them. Seneca is a fantastic resource for revision and consolidating topics that have been taught in the classroom. Repeating topics over a long period of time improves memory & understanding, so we recommend using Seneca as much as possible throughout the year. In the run up to important assessments students should use Seneca more often, perhaps every day. During term time, using Seneca whenever they want to learn or practice something new is also a good idea.

Every pupil has a Seneca account, their username is their school e-mail and they set their own passwords. Should a pupils forget their password they should go to https://app.senecalearning.com/reset-password where they will be able to reset their password.

Seneca also provides free parent accounts. The free account allow you to track your child's learning and help make conversations about school and learning easier. Parents/Carers will also be able to see the following information about their child's use of Seneca.

- Time spent learning
- Average score
- Sessions completed
- Correct answers

You can sign up for a free Seneca parent account here: https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/parents
Seneca have made this handy 2-minute video to help you get started
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0aUGBuKDoYE.
Or you can read how to get your free account if you'd prefer.
https://help.senecalearning.com/en/articles/3661316-how-to-sign-up-to-seneca-as-a-parent

 If you have any questions about how Seneca works, you can get support from the Seneca team using the live chat on their website or you can email them at learnmore@seneca.io. I hope you find Seneca's free parent account useful!

Mrs R Churchill
Director of Quality Assurance