

Supporting Your Child At Home

As well as providing appropriate support in school, it is vital that the Most Able students have a range of external support to help them achieve their full potential.

As parents/carers, you can help support your child in a number of ways:

- Providing an effective learning environment at home
- Taking an active interest in their school work (including homework)
- Encouraging discussion and questioning about their education
- Visiting museums, galleries and exhibitions
- Providing a suitable range of information/resource material to study from
- Praising achievement and progress
- Providing the opportunities for extra-curricular development
- Actively encouraging their hobbies
- Do not always focus on your child's obvious strengths, encourage them to sample new activities

Useful Websites to Help Support Most Able Students

www.giftltd.co.uk GIFT is a company providing info and extension workshops/ sessions in all subjects

www.nagcbritain.org.uk The National Association for Gifted Children

www.nace.co.uk The National Association for Able Children in Education

English

www.universalteacher.org.uk

www.s-cool.co.uk

French

www.aboutfrench.com

Humanities

www.lordbillshistory.homestead.com

www.schoolhistory.co.uk

Music

Classic FM & BBC Radio 3

www.soundjunction.org

Science

www.learn.co.uk

www.drkstreet.com

www.newscientist.com

www.rigb.org (The Royal Institution for summer programmes)

Dance

www.henrioguikedance.co.uk

Business Studies

Times 100 case studies

Mathematics

<http://www.nrich.maths.org/public/index.php> <http://nrich.maths.org.uk> (and ASKNRICH)

<http://www.worldclassarena.org/> <http://www.pass.maths.org> (plus online Mathematics magazine)

<http://www.nc.uk.net/gt/mathematics/index.htm> (guidance in G&T Mathematics)

<http://www.m-a.org.uk/> (The Mathematical Association)

<http://www.atm.org.uk/index.html> (The Association of Teachers of Mathematics)

<http://motivate.maths.org/> (Mathematics video conferences for schools) <http://www.funbrain.com>

http://atschool.eduweb.co.uk/u10/num_resources.htm

Technology

www.technologystudent.com (see also their website links)