



Expert guidance on education for girls

Welcome to the first [MyDaughter](#) newsletter of the summer term. This month on the site we have advice on some of the big issues facing parents today such as **Homework** and **Sex Education** - read more below...

As ever we are keen to hear from you. The questions you pose in [Ask a question](#) are often the source of new articles on the site and the 'Add my comment' box is your chance to air your views and exchange opinion with other parents...

What's new on MyDaughter?

The results of the MyDaughter poll '**Homework - how much is too much?**' are in - [click here](#) to see what other parents thought!

It's clear that Homework is an area where parents want help and support, so we have gathered advice on homework timing, organisation and importantly what you should (and shouldn't!) do to help your daughter in the latest in our popular Heads' Tips series. Read our [Heads' Tips on Homework](#) to help you both manage this cross-over area between school and family life.



Most parents would agree that some of the most difficult topics of conversation you will have with your daughter concern sex education. Nevertheless, most will recognise that nothing is as dangerous as ignorance, and ignoring the subject, or leaving it too late, could be a high risk strategy. So '[What should you tell your daughters about sex, and when](#)', and how might this dovetail into what they may be learning at school?

This month we have been answering more of your questions - both emotional and practical. Once again we approach tricky friendship issues in '[Why does my daughter sabotage her friendships?](#)' and '[Why does my daughter get so stressed about friendships?](#)' and then on the hot topic of internet safety we advise on starting points for '[Adding parental controls to your home computer](#)'.



Do let us have your feedback on these by leaving a comment underneath the article - we value your views!



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