



QUEEN'S PARK HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Students and Parents

Remote Learning Update – Year 8

Thank you for your ongoing support and patience as we've all found our way through this past week and back to virtual learning. I hope that by now, you have been able to access your learning and feel that you understand how things should work and what is expected of you.

To clarify things from our perspective, I thought it would be helpful to just outline how we plan to work with you over the coming weeks. For students in years 7-9, there will be a mixture of live lessons and set work for you to complete in accordance with your normal timetable. All work and live input will be accessed via your Microsoft Teams account. I have attached an outline timetable to show where live input will take place for your year group. As a general rule, you will have a minimum of 50% of lessons for each subject which have live input.

Live input will take different forms and will be varied to support both student and teachers in relation to the amount of screen time they are exposed to. Examples will include: full lesson with teacher on screen, teacher input for a period of time and then work set for students to complete, teacher check-ins at various points during the lesson etc. When staff are not live on screen, they will be available to answer questions during the timetabled lesson. Normally this will be via the chat function for the lesson, but staff will let students know the best way to contact them. The exception around live input will be in practical subjects such as drama and PE, where ongoing project based work and challenges will be set. Staff will still be available to contact during timetabled lessons should students require support.

In terms of submitting work and getting feedback, this will be done in accordance with departmental policy so individual staff members will explain their expectations. If you have any problems or concerns around this, please do contact the subject teacher in the first instance. We are currently undertaking the task of collating student exercise books and will contact you to update you on when, where and how these can be collected.

In the meantime, we wish you all well. School is a very strange place without the usual buzz of students around the place, but we look forward to welcoming you all back in the not too distant future and hope that when we do, you feel ready and equipped to continue with your learning. To do this, engaging with your remote learning is paramount. If you have any problems or concerns in relation to accessing work in general, please do let us know. Sending best wishes to you all.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Scanlon

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Live Lesson Timetable:

For the core subjects of English, maths and science, you will need to check your class code.

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	W8WAS Spanish	8a/Ma1 Maths 8a/Ma2 Maths 8a/Ma3 Maths 8b/Sc1 Science 8b/Sc2 Science	E8GRI Music E8MCB Geog G8COG Geog W8NIX Spanish	E8GRI History E8MCB Art	8a/En1 English 8a/En2 English 8a/En3 English W8NIX Tech
2	E8GRI RE E8MCB Spanish G8COG RE 8b/En1 English 8b/En2 English	8a/Sc1 Science 8a/Sc2 Science W8NIX History W8WAS History	W8NIX Art W8WAS Music	8a/En2 English W8NIX Geog W8WAS Art	8a/Ma1 Maths 8a/Ma2 Maths 8a/Ma3 Maths 8b/Sc1 Science
3	8a/En1 English 8a/En2 English 8a/En3 English	E8GRI Spanish G8COG Spanish	8a/Ma1 Maths 8a/Ma2 Maths 8a/Ma3 Maths 8b/En2 English	8a/Sc1 Science 8a/Sc2 Science 8a/Sc3 Science W8NIX Spanish W8WAS Geog	E8GRI Spanish E8MCB RE G8COG Spanish 8b/Ma1 Maths 8b/Ma2 Maths
4	E8MCB Music 8b/Ma1 Maths 8b/Ma2 Maths	G8COG History 8b/Ma1 Maths 8b/Ma2 Maths	8a/En2 English 8b/Ma1 Maths 8b/Ma2 Maths	8a/Ma1 Maths 8a/Ma2 Maths 8a/Ma3 Maths W8NIX ICT W8WAS History	G8COG ICT 8b/En1 English 8b/En2 English
5	8a/Ma1 Maths 8a/Ma2 Maths 8a/Ma3 Maths		G8COG Tech	E8MCB History 8b/Sc2 Science	W8NIX RE W8WAS Spanish



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Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	E8GRI Geog	E8GRI Tech E8MCB Tech 8b/Sc1 Science 8b/Sc2 Science	8a/Ma1 Maths 8a/Ma2 Maths 8a/Ma3 Maths 8b/En1 English 8b/En2 English	8a/Ma1 Maths 8a/Ma2 Maths 8a/Ma3 Maths W8WAS History	E8GRI Geog G8COG Spanish
2	E8MCB Spanish 8b/Ma1 Maths 8b/Ma2 Maths	8a/Sc1 Science 8a/Sc2 Science	E8GRI History G8COG Geog W8WAS Spanish	E8GRI Spanish E8MCB ICT	E8GRI ICT E8MCB Spanish
3	G8COG Music W8NIX Spanish W8WAS Geog	8a/Ma1 Maths 8a/Ma2 Maths 8a/Ma3 Maths W8NIX History	E8GRI Spanish E8MCB Geog G8COG History	G8COG Art W8NIX Geog	8a/Sc3 Science W8NIX Music W8WAS RE
4	8a/En1 English 8a/En2 English 8a/En3 English W8WAS ICT	8a/En2 English W8WAS Tech	8a/Sc3 Science	8b/Ma1 Maths 8b/Ma2 Maths	8b/Ma1 Maths 8b/Ma2 Maths
5			E8GRI Art E8MCB History 8b/Ma1 Maths 8b/Ma2 Maths	8b/En2 English	8a/En1 English 8a/En2 English 8a/En3 English W8WAS Spanish