

Friday, 08 January 2021

**Dear Students and Parents** 

## Remote Learning Update - Year 7

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

Senior Assistant Headteacher





## **Live Lesson Timetable:**

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	-	-	-	-	-
1	G7JOE History G7ROB Spanish W7WOR RE	W7CUR English W7WOR English	E7EMP English	G7JOE History W7CUR Maths W7WOR Maths	E7EMP Music G7JOE Geog G7ROB Art
2	E7EMP Science G7JOE Science G7ROB Science W7CUR Maths W7WOR Maths	W7CUR English	E7EMP Art G7JOE Art W7CUR Maths W7WOR Maths	E7EMP Maths G7JOE Maths G7ROB Maths W7CUR Spanish	G7JOE ICT G7ROB Music W7CUR English W7WOR English
3	E7EMP Maths G7JOE Maths G7ROB Maths W7CUR Science W7WOR Science	E7EMP Science G7JOE Science W7CUR ICT	G7ROB Science W7CUR RE	E7EMP History G7JOE Spanish G7ROB History W7CUR Tech W7WOR Tech	E7EMP English G7JOE English G7ROB English W7CUR History W7WOR ICT
4	E7EMP English G7JOE English G7ROB English W7CUR History W7WOR History	G7JOE Music W7CUR Science W7WOR Science	G7JOE RE G7ROB History W7WOR Spanish	G7JOE Science	E7EMP Maths G7JOE Maths G7ROB Maths W7WOR Spanish
5	E7EMP Spanish G7JOE Spanish W7CUR Geog W7WOR Geog		E7EMP Maths G7JOE Maths G7ROB Maths	E7EMP English G7JOE English W7CUR Art W7WOR Art	





Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	W7CUR English W7WOR English	E7EMP Spanish G7ROB Spanish	E7EMP History	G7ROB Spanish G7JOE Geog	E7EMP English G7JOE English G7ROB English W7CUR English
2	E7EMP RE G7JOE Spanish	G7ROB ICT W7CUR Maths W7WOR Maths	E7EMP English	W7CUR Maths W7WOR Maths	W7CUR Science
3	E7EMP English G7JOE English G7ROB English W7CUR Geog W7WOR Spanish	G7JOE Tech	E7EMP ICT G7ROB RE W7CUR English	E7EMP Science W7CUR English W7WOR English	E7EMP Geog G7ROB History W7CUR Spanish W7WOR History
4	E7EMP Maths G7JOE Maths G7ROB Maths W7CUR Music	W7CUR Science	G7JOE Tech G7ROB Tech W7CUR History W7WOR Geog	E7EMP English G7JOE English W7WOR Music	W7WOR Spanish
5	G7ROB Science W7CUR Maths W7WOR Maths		G7JOE Spanish G7ROB Geog W7CUR Science	E7EMP Maths G7JOE Maths G7ROB Maths	W7CUR Maths W7WOR Maths

