

Y10 Online Learning Update – Week Beginning: Monday 28th September 2020

Please follow your **Week 1** Timetable.

- It is essential that you do 5 lessons a day & produce high quality work. It is an extremely important time in Year 10.
- This is your opportunity to become an independent learner and develop the essential skills needed by pupils who achieve highly and get good qualifications. Hopefully, you will rise to the occasion & impress your teachers
- Please be aware that if work is left incomplete, you will get behind. This will have a huge impact on future learning when you return to school and ultimately your final GCSE / BTEC grade.

Guidelines for Online Learning

- Keep to the times of the normal school day
- Follow your normal school timetable
- Put mobile phones and other distractions away
- Log on to Microsoft Teams and find the correct subject
- Do the work that has been set
- Complete the work in your usual exercise book
- If you have been set an online activity e.g. MyMaths, do this online
- Ensure that your work is complete within the hour
- Have breaks as usual
- Please follow online safety advice and ensure that you remain safe whilst using the internet.
- If you become unwell, you will need to rest and recover. Please let school know. Once you are better, please catch up on the work you have missed

The work set

- Will follow the GCSE / BTEC curriculum lessons that you would have done, had you been in school.
- Will include a range of materials: power points, worksheets, video links, online resources such as mymaths, Mathswatch, ActiveLearn, BBC Bitesize, Quizlet etc
- Will include tasks that may have to be returned e.g. via *Assignments* on Microsoft Teams
- Will ensure a smooth transition back into lessons when you return to school.

Expectations of work

- Read the instructions carefully
- Spend the correct amount of time on the tasks set
- Make your best effort to produce high quality work
- Ensure you give detailed answers
- Submit work electronically as requested by the teacher by the deadline set
- Use reference sources to support yourselves in the completion of tasks
- Re-visit learning regularly to ensure that you can remember the new knowledge covered



Online Chat

- If you are having difficulty with the work or a question, you must use reference sources to try to find the answer
- If there is a sustained difficulty with completing the work, you may contact a subject teacher direct using the 'online chat'
- Messages to teachers must be formal and polite
- Teachers will endeavour to reply to you within 48 hours around their teaching commitments in the classroom
- A teacher may contact a pupil via the 'online chat' for pupil feedback, pupils are expected to respond to the teacher

Password Problems

- Please see the guidance document in the tab on the school website called 'Online Learning'