



Dear Parents/Carers,

4th January 2021

After the initial planning day today, we now have more information to share with you about our remote learning provision. As before, Scholars will be able to access lessons via Teams, work DOES NOT have to be completed on Teams as we have created a system whereby Scholars will be able to get the information they need either on a laptop or via a mobile phone or tablet and use pen and paper to complete the work.

Because our year 11 students are so close to their exams we are ensuring their teachers spend as much time as possible planning and assessing what they do. Because of this aim, year 11's will be expected to follow their usual timetable each day, with the exception of the 8.30-9am session and the 2.50-3.50 session which are intervention slots. It is our expectation that students use this time to revise using GCSE Pod and their study guides.

Each lesson should take an hour to complete and be assessed using a Quiz on Microsoft Teams - again this can be easily accessed through any mobile, PC, laptop, or tablet. Students should ensure they take a break at 11am and 13.15pm as they usually would.

We will be in contact with any families who are entitled to free school meals tomorrow with information on how to access these.

Yours sincerely

Damian Belshaw
Head of School