



## **Student and Parents Expectation for Remote Learning**

### **1. Remote Learning for absent students isolating due to Covid symptoms or to any sickness absence:**

In the event of a student being absent from school due to the above reasons, work will be set for students online to help continue with their learning remotely away Rhyddings.

#### **How will the school provide work for my child so that they do not fall behind?**

School work will be provided with links for the majority of their curriculum subjects. These are online tasks resources set by the teachers. In most cases the work will be a short video and only require a pen/pencil and paper to complete and can be accessed by a mobile phone tablet or laptop/PC. The majority of the links will be via the DfE approved Oak National Academy and are led by trained teachers.

#### **Where will I find the work for remote learning?**

The tasks and activities will be published weekly on the school's website in the Learning page under Student Work for Closure.

<http://www.rhyddings.co.uk/student-work/>

This will be in a summary PDF (format) document for each year group that will list the subjects with accompanying subject topic description and online links for that week.

This will make it accessible for both students and parents.

If there is a reason where a student cannot access the work for technical reasons then we urge parents to contact the school and request a paper of copy of any work that is available. This will be sent out by post but may be slightly delayed, we still expect the work to be reasonably attempted by students.

#### **What will my child be studying whilst absent and will it be similar to what they are learning in school?**

Work will closely follow the topic/s that students would be learning in school and will be available from the school website at 9.00am on Monday of each week.

Students will be expected to complete the work for all their subjects and bring it in to school when they return to school. All work should be presented with the students name, subject, date and title of the work.



If students have any questions about the work then they can attempt to contact the subject teacher via email and the teacher will assist, subject to their teaching timetable commitments back in school.

### **How should my child organise themselves for remote learning?**

We would suggest students keep to their normal routine as would in school, so to follow their timetable as best as possible. So, the time that your child would normally have a subject lesson on a set school day we would suggest using that time for any subject work set.

## **2. Remote Learning in the event of closure for all students within a Bubble:**

### **How will the school provide work for the whole bubble in the event of a closure of my child's bubble?**

Students are to engage in their normal lesson timetable at the normal school times. E.g. if a student in Year 8 has English lesson 1 on a Monday they will be expected to be online at 9.15am on the Monday morning for their lesson.

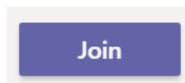
Teachers will deliver online live lessons for students as if they were in school. Due to the nature of some practical subjects this may not always be possible e.g. Physical Education lessons.

These Live lessons are available via our Microsoft Teams app that can be accessed via a mobile phone, tablet or laptop/PC.

Students have been given training in using this platform whilst in school. Lessons will be started from the "Chat" facility within each subject Team and teacher will provide a reminder in the "Chat" facility.



Students join the Live lesson (or "Meeting" as they called in Teams) by clicking the button the appropriate time (see left).



Students do not need to go on to the lesson any earlier than the usual time.

Staff will record the live session and make these available in the event of a student not being able to attend the lesson for genuine reasons.

### **What will the Live Lessons look like?**



Within the Live lesson staff will provide a 10-15 minutes introduction and explanation of the work and then lead students to the work to be completed in Assignments or Chat section of Teams, or on external links.

This will be the work that students are to complete for the remainder for the lesson duration (up to one hour in total).

**What if my child needs help after “Live” part of the lesson or doesn't feel confident to speak up during the Live part?**

Staff will remain available online for the remaining duration of the lesson time to provide any support, although their microphone and camera maybe switched off. Students can also contact them by the “Chat” facility.

**How will the school know if my child is in the lesson?**

Our teachers will forward their registration lists from the online sessions to the Attendance Officer to monitor attendance and follow up any absences.

**How will the school deal with any online behaviour in Live lessons?**

Any issues with behaviour during live sessions should be recorded using our behaviour system and appropriate rewards and sanctions issued. We take any behaviour falling below our expected standards very seriously and will be followed up.

**What if the teacher is not available due sickness?**

In the event of a member being absent it may not be possible for the Live lesson to go ahead and students will be sent links to online resources or lessons via the Oak National Academy or other appropriate resources.

**What if my child is unable to access to access the work due to technical reasons?**

If there is a reason where a student cannot access the work for technical reasons then we urge parents to contact Year / Continent Leader at school and request a paper of copy of any work that is available. This will be sent out by post but may be slightly delayed, we still expect the work to be reasonably attempted by students.