



Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Science shadow Curriculum for home learning

I would like to take this opportunity to inform you of the home learning arrangements for Science and highlight the support that is available to students in the event that they are unable to attend school.

Microsoft Teams

Work has been uploaded on to Microsoft teams for all students. This is in the format of a termly overview and the work is designed to cover both content and skill development over the course of each term. Lessons are sequenced in an order to aid progression and there are a range of activities to accompany online lessons led by specialist teachers. Each online lesson should take between 50 – 60 minutes to complete. At the end of each unit, there is a short online assessment that must be submitted in order for us to effectively monitor individual progress and address any areas for development. The link to these assessments can be found on the termly curriculum overview on Teams but students will also receive an assignment notification for these when they are due.

Support

A video guide on how to use the Science curriculum overview document has been uploaded to all classes on Teams to support students in accessing this work. Support materials and learning outcomes for each unit are hyperlinked to the curriculum overview to further support learning. GCSE students (years 9 – 11) will shortly receive an email with log in details for our new Collins Connect platform where they will be able to access online textbooks for Biology, Chemistry and Physics. A video guide on how to use the Collins connect platform has also been uploaded on Microsoft Teams for the GCSE groups.

Further to this, some students may find that they need individual support to fully understand some topics. In the first instance, they should seek assistance from their subject teacher via Teams who will be happy to help them.

Should you have any further questions then please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A Heath'.

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