

Thursday 11th June 2020

Dear Parents, Carers & Year 12 Students

Provision For Year 12 From Monday 15th June 2020

I hope this finds you well?

As outlined in my correspondence last week, the subject staff at school have been busy preparing for our first set of Google Meet lessons for our Year 12 students.

Each subject has been asked to use either a morning or afternoon session based on their timetabled sessions each week. The timetable below sets out this provision:

Monday AM	Tuesday AM	Wednesday AM	Thursday AM	Friday AM
Sociology Block D Mrs Bland 10.30am-11.30am	Art Block E Mrs Latimore 9am-11am	Computer Science Block A Mr Remillard 8.40am - 10.40am	Law Block B Mr Benoit 9am-11am	Graphics Block C 11.30am Individual / small group seminar
Business Studies Block D Miss Laidlaw/Mrs Parkin 9.30am-11.30am	Food Science Block E Mrs Hertzberg 9am-10am	Chemistry Block A Ms Holmes 11.25am-12.25pm	Physics Block B Mr Sharratt 8.40am-9.40am	Chemistry Block C Dr Stephenson 9.40am-10.40 am
Psychology Block D Miss Durrant 9.30am-10.30am	History Block E Mr Crease 11am-12pm	Forensic Science Block A Mr Benoit 9.15am-10.15am	Geography Block B Mrs Walker 9.40am-10.40am Mr Simpson 10.40am-11.40am	Forensic Science Block C Mr Gomersal 9.15am-10.15am
Design Engineering Block D Mr Clarke/Mr Bell 11.30am-12.30pm	Psychology Block E Mrs Mitchell 9.30-10.30	English Literature Block A Mrs Alderson/ Mrs Boddy 10am-12pm	Politics Block B Mr Crease 9am-10am Mrs Parker 10am-11am	
		English Language Block A Mrs Davies 9.30am-11.30am	Psychology Block B Mrs Mitchell 9.30am-10.30am	

Monday PM	Tuesday PM	Wednesday PM	Thursday PM	Friday PM
Psychology Block B Mrs Mitchell/ Miss O'Connor 12.30pm-1.30pm	Sociology Block D Mrs Mitchell 1.30pm-2.30pm	Biology Block C Mrs Solk 1.15-2.15 Mrs Fullerton 2.15-3.15	Maths Block E Mr Dale/Mrs Stubbs 1pm-3pm	Maths Block A Mr Power/ Mr Dale 1pm-3pm
Graphics Block B Mr Bell 1.30pm-2.30pm	Biology Block D Mrs Farren 1.15pm- 2.15pm Mr Punt 2.15pm-3.15pm	Forensic Science Block C Mrs Harrison 2.15pm-3.15pm	History Block E Mrs Bland 1.15pm-2.15pm	Chemistry Block A Dr Burgess 1.15pm-2.15pm
Physics Block B Mr Gomersal 2.15pm- 3.15pm	Psychology Block D Mrs Mitchell 12.30pm-1.30pm	Graphics Block C Mr Bell 1.30pm-2.30pm Individual/small tutorial groups	Further Maths Block E Mr Power/Miss Butterworth 1pm-3pm	Forensic Science Block A Dr Burgess 2.15pm-3.15pm
	German Block D Mrs Baker 1.15pm-2.15pm Mrs Helliwell 2.15pm-3.15pm	RS Block C Mrs Kenny 1.15-pm 2.15pm Ms Askew 2.15pm-3.15pm	Psychology Block E Miss O'Connor 12.30pm-1.30pm	Computer Science Block A Mrs Langstaff 1.15pm-2.15pm Mr Remillard 2.15pm - 3.15am
		Chemistry Block C Miss Holmes 1.15-2.15		Business Studies Block A Mr Elsworth 1.15pm-3.15pm
		Geography Block C Mr Kenyon 1.10-2.10 Mrs Walker 2.10-3.10		
		Economics Block C Mr Benoit/Mrs Parkin 1pm-3pm		
		Forensic Science Block C Mrs Harrison 9.15am-10.15am		

Students will know from their existing Year 12 timetables which option blocks their subjects take place in. For subjects where the subject is taught in more than one option block students will need to make ensure they are accessing their correct block.

You will notice that some subjects have split their provision between two staff. This will reflect possible different topics/specification modules which each staff member is responsible for. Please note that at times these splits take place on separate block days. For example, Block A Chemistry will have a 1 hour session on Wednesday with Miss Holmes and the second hour of that block will be taken by Dr Burgess when students would have Chemistry timetabled for a Friday afternoon. The reason for this is to enable staff to support our ongoing Year 10 provision and our Key worker/Vulnerable worker programme we have in school every day.

For our students who attend Sherburn High School for lessons they will continue to receive high quality remote learning materials provided by staff, with some subjects providing G-Meet sessions. In addition, staff will be providing pre-recorded videos to enhance these materials which could be in the form of giving introductions for new learning, or feedback on submitted work. We would like to take this opportunity to thank SHS staff for their continued support of our students.

In order for students to access Google Meets, it is compulsory for parents/carers **and** students to acknowledge they will comply with the **Acceptable User Agreement (AUA)** which you can find [HERE](#)

If this is not signed then the Google Meet provision will not be available. Staff will have a list of all students who have had the AUA signed and will know who to invite to their on-line provision.

Deadline for completion of the Acceptable User Agreement: Midday Saturday 13th June 2020

Staff have been preparing for ways in which their subject will best use this time to support the Year 12 Remote Curriculum and may include some of the following over the next 5 weeks:

- Whole class 'live' teaching;
- Starting a session with consolidation and then move on to explain the work to be completed for the next week;
- Setting a paper/assessment task to be pre-read and then discussed;
- 'Tutorial' sessions with smaller groups within a subject group;
- Starting a session with a 10 minute face-to-face input, then signing off for 30 minutes whilst students complete a task before signing back on again for 15 minutes to check students' understanding;
- A talk through by the teacher on a resource projected onto students' screens such as a Powerpoint or practical demonstration;
- Watching a YOUTUBE clip together and pausing to add commentary and/or take questions;
- A Q&A session
- Any combination of the above, and/or other models.

Please note that Google Meets will be recorded for students unable to access the provision at that time so they can access these at a later date. When the recorded resource has been completed by those students the staff member who has set up the Google Meet will be able to delete it.

Students will be sent an invitation via their school Gmail account when the member of staff sets up the meeting. This will allow the students to join for a timetabled session. A register is recorded by Google Meet so if for any reason a student is unable to attend please email the lead member of staff and Mrs Knapton (r.knapton@tgs.starmat.uk).

I hope this information allows our students to schedule their working week effectively. Students will also be emailed a blank timetable by the Sixth Form team so they can plan their remote learning around their Google Meet times. Mrs Knapton will email a new Google-Meet timetable each week based on our Week 1 and 2 provision so that parents/carers and students know exactly the Google Meets being offered each week. She will also be offering a number of sessions which students can join to help with the UCAS process and will let students know how they can sign up for these through her weekly bulletin.

If you have any queries, please email Mrs Knapton (r.knapton@tgs.starmat.uk) in the first instance.

Please also be advised that we (and Sherburn HS) are considering the shape of the curriculum if we are allowed to invite all sixth form students back from September. We are very aware of the anxieties from students and parents about 'falling behind'. Be assured that staff will be working to ensure that all students are in the optimum position in advance of the in-year assessment points, coursework deadlines and examination season in summer 2021.

Whilst writing, I thought you might like to see some recent drone footage of the school which we are using as part of our remote Year 6 into Year 7 induction programme. This cost the school (me!) a bottle of reasonably priced wine and I hope it gives you a sense that your school is still here and we cannot wait to welcome all Year 12 (13) students back. The music score is an original composed just for us. I hope you enjoy it: [CLICK HERE](#)

Regards,

Mr A Parkinson
Headteacher