



# Essential Guidance For Working From Home

Bassaleg School - 2020

# Importance of Working From Home



## ESSENTIAL INFORMATION TO YEAR 11 AND 13

- Though GCSE and A Level Exams have been cancelled all courses must be completed
- Grades will be awarded based on the evidence that schools can provide about each pupil and we must have a full evidence base for each learner
- To move onto the next stage of your education you need to be sure that you have full knowledge of the material at your current level
- Though the absence of exams may make it hard to motivate yourselves, the school must be able to provide evidence for potential grades, which will rely in part on the work done over the next few weeks.

# What is Available to You?



- The main way for pupils to access school work is via **Google Classroom**
- Each pupil should be a member of a Google Classroom for each of their classes
- Class teachers will regularly post work on Google Classroom which will replace class learning
- For exam classes teachers will post work which you can then upload and receive feedback.

# What is Available to You?



- The **Bassaleg School website** is being updated to host a wide range of materials to support all learners in addition to Google Classroom
- Core subject material will be available for learners in Years 7 – 9 including:
  - National Test Practice Papers
  - Skills Building Work
  - Science, English and Maths Material / Project Work
  - **Essential Year 9 GCSE English Literature Preparation**
- There is also revision guidance for GCSE / A Level Pupils



# What is Available to You?

- There are other **online portals** that pupils can use to support learning:
- Hegarty Maths <https://hegartymaths.com/>
- Maths DIY <https://www.mathsdiy.com/year-2-to-year-9-procedural-tests/>

# Expectations ...



- **What you can expect from us:**
- Regular work uploaded on Google Classroom
- Assessment and feedback of work for pupils in years 10 – 13
- For years 11 and 13, some of this will form the basis of our evidence for exam grades
- A wide range of materials which are created to directly address any gaps in learning, either in preparation for future exams or to provide an evidence base

# Expectations ...



- **What we expect from you:**
- Remember that the school day comprises of 5 hours of learning, we expect your work from home to replicate this as much as possible
- Login to Google Classroom regularly and keep up with posts from teachers
- Take responsibility for your learning: your future steps in education will depend on your ability to apply the skills and knowledge that your teachers are setting work for over the next few weeks.

# Please Consider ...



- While teachers will try to respond to queries and feedback on work which is due to be assessed, they may have commitments which mean they are working at unusual hours: be patient
- While coronavirus is active staff may fall ill and not post work, if this is the case, please use work on the website or access prior learning material



# Please consider ...



- Follow the advice regarding where you go and who you see:
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dSQztKXR6k0>

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- We need to look after ourselves and each other, our wonderful partners at Newport MIND have provided this link for some clear, calm and helpful support and advice.
- [https://www.mind.org.uk/information-support/coronavirus-and-your-wellbeing/?fbclid=IwAR37Ak6u2nBVRVeeW1YfAX7w3rqP88mD9nh\\_Isy0j1r80JnSMeObYROM5fw#collapseaefc0](https://www.mind.org.uk/information-support/coronavirus-and-your-wellbeing/?fbclid=IwAR37Ak6u2nBVRVeeW1YfAX7w3rqP88mD9nh_Isy0j1r80JnSMeObYROM5fw#collapseaefc0)

