



School Closure: Year 9 Parent and Student work

Week beginning Monday 23 March 2020

Instructions for parents and students.

The expectation during the school closure is that students should be working for 2 - 3 hours per school day.

This pack contains an overview of the work that has been set for students. Links to resources and websites are also included.

The contents of this pack will also be uploaded to [Show My Homework](#) every Monday morning by teachers whilst this school closure continues.

If you have any queries regarding the work set, then please contact the relevant member of staff (email addresses are included in this pack). Do not contact staff via Show My Homework.

Resources such as paper, exercise books etc. will be available from reception if needed.

Please check your student emails once a day for any important messages.

'How to...' guides and an overview of work set for Year 7, 8 and 9 are available in the Home Learning section of the school website.

English

Tasks to complete:

Writing – Complete **slide 4** of [this creative writing Powerpoint](#) (Ctrl+Click).

- Save your work on your computer, or in your school Office365 / OneDrive account in a new file or folder for your English work.
- Each week complete the activity on next slide.

Reading: Non Fiction – Choose one of the online news websites below to:

- stay up-to-date with UK and international and local news
- read a range of other stories which interest you
- alternatively, listen to podcasts and video clips to keep you informed about the world around you.

Ensure you read or listen to reliable sources – don't fall for *fake news*, which is often exaggerated and alarmist.

Reading: Fiction – Take some time out to do some extended reading for pleasure. Try to explore new stories and magazines.

- If you haven't already joined [Cornwall Library](#), you can join online from [their website](#).
- Then register with [BorrowBox](#) to read books or listen to audiobooks online for free.
- Register with [PressReader](#) and [RBDigital eMagazines](#) and [RBDigital eComics](#) to read to read newspapers, magazines and comics for free with your Library card.
- Alternatively, ask your parents or carers to join [BookBub](#) or [OpenLibrary](#) to download free or very cheap books to your smartphone, kindle or tablet etc.
- Want inspiration? Look out for the titles or authors listed in this [top 100 recommendations](#) for a story which catches your eye.

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar – Keep practising your basic skills to maintain or improve the accuracy of your writing, and to build up your vocabulary.

- Spelling – learn the word lists and spelling patterns in [Spellzone](#) units, and complete regular tests and games. Use [Dictionary.com](#) to check the meaning of new words.
- Punctuation and grammar – revise and practise the rules using [BBC Bitesize](#). Then ask someone to read out (dictate) a passage for you to punctuate and DIT. Think carefully about your paragraphing too.

Links to resources:

Click the links in the document above.

Who to contact if you have a problem:

Your class teacher:

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Head of English:

chpoole@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Spellzone Support:

kaolivey@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Maths

Tasks to complete:

Tasks will be set for you on SMHW by your maths teacher. The tasks may involve My Maths so make sure you contact your maths teacher if you don't know your personal log in details.

Links to resources:

<https://liskeard.satchelone.com/school/home>

www.mymaths.co.uk

School username: liskeard School Password: isosceles

Who to contact if you have a problem:

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9X2 – Mrs Ollerenshaw clollerenshaw@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

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9Y4 – Mrs O'Connell aloconnell@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Science

Tasks to complete:

Seneca Learning: Teachers will set assignments on Seneca Learning for individual groups via Show My Homework. This will be in line with what you have been doing in class and will enable you to complete your learning for the year

GCSEPod: Teachers will set assignments on GCSEPod for individual groups via Show My Homework. This will be in line with what you have been doing in class and will enable you to complete your learning for the year.

End of Year Exam Preparation: Mrs Inger has set revision tasks and resources on SMH for all students to use to prepare for their end of year exam. This includes guidance for key information and revision resources. Please only print what you need!

OPTIONAL IDEAS:

Science Fair House Competition: Science is everywhere and there are a huge number of experiments which can be done at home. Students can use the powerpoint presentation which will be set on Show My Homework for ideas and guidance for their project. Students can choose their own project or work through a project on the website. When we get back to school, we are going to hold a Science Fair to celebrate students' projects and there will be prizes for the best entries. Students can present their work as a poster or a powerpoint display. Please send us pictures of your work and of you doing your experiments!

NB: Please discuss your child's project with them and do not leave them unsupervised when carrying out their experimental work. You must follow the safety guidance given on the website for each project idea.

Science Documentaries: There are a huge number of documentaries available on platforms such as BBC iPlayer, Netflix, 4OD etc. This is a great way for the family to get together and discuss Science based issues.

Links to resources:

Access to past papers:

Biology: <https://www.physicsandmathstutor.com/biology-revision/gcse-aaa/>

Chemistry: <https://www.physicsandmathstutor.com/chemistry-revision/gcse-aaa/>

Physics: <https://www.physicsandmathstutor.com/physics-revision/gcse-aaa/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z8r997h>

<https://www.gcsepod.com/>

<https://www.senecalearning.com/>

<https://www.sciencebuddies.org/science-fair-projects/project-ideas/list>

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languages

Tasks to complete:

Each year group will be assigned a work booklet on Show My Homework. The work is either revision of work that you have already done or tasks which develop your understanding of topics and grammar. Try them all!

Please read the instructions carefully.

You should attempt all tasks. Try not to leave gaps, have a go, take a risk!

Each booklet contains work for one week, each booklet has a comprehensive vocabulary list at the beginning of each booklet.

You do not need to print the booklet, please save and then send your completed booklet to MFL@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk, ensure that your teachers initials are in the subject line (DLW for Mrs Williams, IMG for Mrs Gilbey, ELL for Mrs Lofthouse and CDU for Mrs Ussher)

Links to resources:

[Wordreference.com](http://www.wordreference.com) for help with verbs and vocabulary.

[BBC KS3 bitesize](http://www.bbc.com/learningenglish/ks3) for information clips and self-assessment.

[Quizlet](http://www.quizlet.com) for review and practice – search by topic e.g. KS3 French /Spanish places in town
Create your own Quizlet set!

Who to contact if you have a problem:

Year 9 French and Spanish contact - dewilliams@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

History

Tasks to complete:

Develop your knowledge and understanding of the Holocaust. This will build on work in class and add another aspect to what you have already covered.

The work set focuses on the persecution of the Jews by Hitler and the Nazis. Read the A3 sheet that has been scanned in for you and you can access from the resources and choose one of the following tasks:

- Produce a spider diagram using the headings on the sheet as branches and then add details
- Answer the questions on the sheet to consolidate your understanding.

Links to resources:

A3 sheet: https://liskeardschoolcomm-my.sharepoint.com/:b:/g/personal/sipollard_liskeard_cornwall_sch_uk/EbrDPzau7LdPgCw5BjvGSr8BXescfkMqeLHtkctnz1xBdg?e=bNBDmi

Optional extra information: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zkfk7ty/revision/1>

Optional Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dl-PUfTBjzU>

Who to contact if you have a problem:

Mr Pollard – sipollard@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Mr Glasgow – anglasgow@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Geography

Tasks to complete:

This week we would like you to research the flood that happened in Boscastle on 16th August 2004.

We would like you to find out;

- Where Boscastle is.
- Why did the river flood?
- What were the effects of the flooding?

Links to resources:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8m5CO1KIDgU> upto 11 minutes

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zgycwmn/revision/3>

Who to contact if you have a problem:

Mrs Baker – subaker@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Ethics, Philosophy and World Views

Tasks to complete:

Muslim Identity – Key Terms

You will need to read textbook page 219 (see links to resources below)

- 1) Read the key concepts in the purple key concepts box
- 2) Produce two mind maps of these key concepts:
 - First mind map to show the terms and their definitions only
 - Second mind map to show images representing the terms only
- 3) Using the second mind map only, try saying the key concepts and their definitions from memory. Repeat this until you know the key concepts and definitions well.

Links to resources:

You will need page 219 of the textbook, called 'Islam key concepts'. This is available on your SMH, which you can log into as normal, or follow the link and select the correct document https://liskeardschoolcomm-my.sharepoint.com/:f:/g/personal/sustrong_liskeard_cornwall_sch_uk/EuqAO9BBNAJOIJYTPGXdx4BMCC98_OEEbnrFHFLP3PyKA?e=c279B9

Who to contact if you have a problem:

Mrs Strong sustrong@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Technology

Tasks to complete:

Food - Provenance Task – seasonal food

Textiles – Complete all stages of making the wall hanging and complete the design write ups.

Product Design & Engineering – 1) Read the information and answer the questions on the Health & Safety pdf pages uploaded to SMHW and 2) Research smart materials, producing a brief power point on your findings.

Links to resources:

Note that details of each home learning task for each Technology subject, including any links, will appear on SMHW.

Arrow Up: Gain further knowledge and do fun quizzes using these Design & Technology sites:

<https://www.the-warren.org/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zfr9wmn>

<http://www.technologystudent.com/>

Who to contact if you have a problem:

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Textiles PeCurnowMorris@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk or ClNaysmith@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Product Design CaWard@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Engineering (Electronics)

AnYoxall@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk or tohurldwell@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

ICT

Tasks to complete:

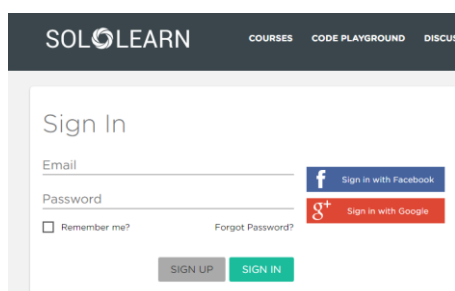
1. For students that have chosen Computer Science as an option AND anyone that is interested in coding. This is an ongoing project and so will not be done in one lesson.

- Programming is required for the GCSE therefore it would be great if you become more familiar with Python Programming. If you sign up to the website 'Sololearn' you can then work through each of the programming tasks.

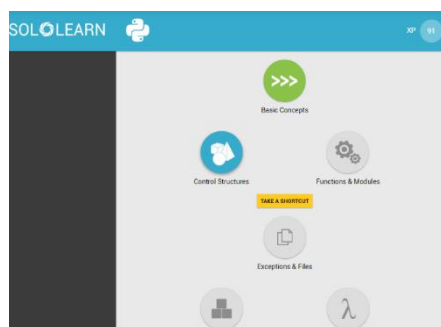
First open the website and click **sign in**.



Second **sign up**



Third- chose the **Python course** and complete the different topic areas.



2. Computers in the modern world-

- Read through the powerpoint that is on SMH and then complete the 2 worksheets titled 'Ethical and other issues.'

Links to resources:

<https://www.sololearn.com/>

Who to contact if you have a problem:

Mr Morgan damorgan@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Creative Arts Subjects

Tasks to complete:

Art: Art: A task sheet will be uploaded to SMH. This sheet presents 5 tasks and should be completed over three weeks. After three weeks a new sheet will be posted on SMH which develops your learning. On your future return to school this work will form the starting point for practical work in the lesson.

Drama: It will be great for you to study different backstage roles in the theatre – The Theatre Makers! This directly links to GCSE and A Level Drama course content and is a great way to learn about different ways you can get into theatre as a career. Find out about the following roles; what they do, what their responsibilities are and what it's like as a career:

- Set designer
- Costume designer
- Hair and Make-up artist
- Sound designer
- Lighting designer
- Puppet designer

You can display your work as a poster, a PowerPoint or as notes. This task will take you longer than one week so can roll over to the next week if needs be.

Music: Research a piece of music that features elements of 'fusion' between styles. What is the piece of music called and who is performing it? Which styles have been fused? What features are still evident from both pieces? Can you describe these features in detail? (use the 8 elements of music to guide your answer). Which features were used in this selected piece that were also evident in your work on Pachelbel and Coolio?

Students who have opted for GCSE/BTEC Music are to do extra work please:

GCSE – focus on practising a piece to perform to the class in September. This will be on your main instrument.

Music BTEC: Using the [BBC Bitesize](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/) website, research specific areas that interest you within Music. There are many areas to choose from, and you can test yourself throughout. Be selective and re-do assessments if you score poorly.

Links to resources:

Drama: As well as finding out general information on the web, The National Theatre website and YouTube channel is really useful and will have further links to other theatre companies. BBC [Bitesize](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/) is also a great resource.

Music: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zpf3cdm>

Who to contact if you have a problem:

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Mrs Schooling gschooling@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Drama: Ms Farrow hefarrow@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Music: Mr Bond mabond@liskeard.cornwall.sch.uk

Physical Education

Tasks to complete:

1. Stay fit and healthy at home. Tune into Body Coach TV on YouTube with Joe Wicks where every week day he will be hosting a 30minute home PE session.

2. The Long-Term Effects of Exercise on the body

You are a reporter for the Cornish Times. You have been asked to write an article on the long-term benefits of taking part in physical activity/sport to try and get more school children active.

Remember to include:

- How exercise improves your Respiratory system over time.
- How exercise improves your cardiovascular system over time
- How exercise improves your muscular system over time
- How exercise improves your skeletal system over time.
- Sporting role models
- Pictures.

Links to resources:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1>

<https://www.s-cool.co.uk/gcse/pe/how-the-body-obtains-its-energy/revise-it/the-effects-of-exercise>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zcn6sg8/revision/1>

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