

Dear Parent / Carer,

Below is a list of the expectations of the work being set by your child's teacher:

- Work will be set at least once a week for each subject either via Show My Homework or on Google Classroom
- Year 11 and 13 should still be set work this week, after Easter bridging materials will be provided – more information to follow
- Staff will set tasks that have realistic, manageable and achievable time frames and volume of work
- If staff do set your child a long term project, this will be broken down into smaller sections
- Where possible staff will provide links to relevant websites and add attachments to help support the task your child has been set
- If you do not have a printer at home, this is no problem – your child can complete any tasks in their exercise books or folders or on paper
- Staff will be frequently checking their emails and messages on Show my Homework and will endeavor to reply to any messages as soon as possible – if you do not receive a reply from your child's teacher within 3 working days please contact the relevant Head of Department
- Staff will let your child know if there is a specific task that needs to be sent back to them or completed in a certain way
- Staff will be monitoring the use of SMHW and Google Classroom and may contact you if there has not been any activity on your child's account

On the distance learning page which can be accessed through the school website, I have also added an area which will include enrichment activities that students can also be doing at home to keep them busy and to do something a bit different and that will also help them learn a new skill whilst social distancing or self-isolating. These will be updated regularly – keep an eye out. Below I have listed the direct link to the school website where useful documents can be found regarding distance learning.

- <https://plymstockschool.org.uk/distance-learning/>

Many thanks for your continued support.

Stay safe, best wishes



Miss B Evans
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