



Year 8 Independent Study Plan 8. Week Beginning 01/06/2020

Welcome to module 6! Home learning will continue throughout this module. You will need to plan your time carefully to make sure you are able to complete the work set. A good idea is to complete a task set by the subjects you have on your timetable each day; so if you have Maths, History, Science, Art and Music on Monday, they would be the focus of your work for that day. We also recommend that you read every day; a comic, a magazine, a chapter or a full book! Please remember to check the Home Learning area of the website and the subject pages on Sharepoint for tasks and challenges, and ensure you have completed all the work from the previous home learning packs.

Please remember to share your home learning with your teachers. You should continue to demonstrate an excellent attitude to your learning by attempting all tasks to a good standard. If you have completed work please email it to your subject teacher using your school email. A list of staff emails can be found in the Student Support area of [Sharepoint](#). If it is not possible to email, please keep your work together ready to show staff when you are able to return to school, and let us know what you have done during the weekly phone call. We look forward to seeing your work, and have restarted the subject and house points to recognise the great work we are seeing and hearing about.

New for module 6, each subject page now has a discussion board called ‘Home Learning Help’. This area will allow you to ask your subject teachers and classmates for help with any of the home learning tasks you have been set. The SMSC folder also contains a discussion board for each form group. This will allow you to keep in touch with each other. A guide to using the discussion boards can be found in the Student Support page on [Sharepoint](#)

Additional Learning resource links are available in the Home Learning section of the website, including <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons> and <https://www.thenational.academy/> which both provide video lessons and online resources which are freely available. Challenges and interesting opportunities will regularly be posted on the Pembroke Academy Facebook and Twitter pages. These include art and technology challenges, links to virtual tours of museums and zoos, workouts, online learning programmes and free books.

Subject	Home Learning Task (please go to the subject sharepoint page to access the resources and links)
Assembly	While we cannot meet as a whole school for a weekly assembly, there are a number of important messages that are being shared across the nation. Please log onto https://www.thenational.academy/assembly and watch the recorded assembly each week.
Whole School Challenges	<p>The History department would like you to keep a diary about your experiences of the COVID 19 (Coronavirus) pandemic – your experience of daily life, your thoughts and feelings about the current situation and how it is impacting upon the way you live, your family, friends and relatives. Full details can be found on the History Sharepoint page: Enrichment Projects</p> <p>We are creating a Pembroke time capsule to record this unusual time. A time capsule template with lots of ideas of things that you could put in it has been created. You will need to change fonts, add backgrounds and make it personal to you. You can use all of the ideas, some of them, or none of them if you have ideas of your own - it is YOUR time capsule. A link to the document can be found on the Science Sharepoint. If you would like to include your time capsule in the Pembroke capsule, please email your work to Mr Wilson gwilson@prioryacademies.co.uk. If you would like to add objects to the time capsule, please bring them when school reopens.</p>
Family Challenges	<p>Don't forget to check the Competitions and Challenges page in the Home Learning section of the Pembroke Website. Here you will find a series of challenges including the Drama Olympics, Olympic Alphabet fitness and Art challenges.</p> <p>https://www.priorypembroke.co.uk/page/?title=Challenges+and+Competitions&pid=162</p>

Maths	<p>Please go to the maths SharePoint site. Here you will find the Maths 5 a Day tasks and some mini video lessons created by staff at Pembroke, please watch/complete these in order (there are activities within the lesson for you to do). As well as the videos there will be a worksheet of questions for you to complete (with answers provide for self-marking). Please keep any work you do to be collated into a folder once we return.</p> <p>Any problems please e-mail sburnett@prioryacademies.co.uk</p>
English	<p>KS3 Greek Mythology Booklet</p> <p>For this module, Year 8 will be learning about Greek myths. It is really important you know about these as it will help you develop a deeper understanding of the things you will read in lessons. We will be releasing a few lessons every week to build your knowledge over time. Everybody needs to email their teacher at the end of each week with all of the lessons for that week completed. If you have completed your work on paper you could email a photograph of your work. If you cannot email, please tell the member of staff who calls each week so they can update your English teacher. All English teacher emails can be found on the English Sharepoint page.</p>
Drama	<p>Students are to complete the Costume Design challenge. You must design a costume for the given brief and then make it with objects you can find around their house. The full task and instructions can be found on the Drama Sharepoint page</p> <p>All completed work must be emailed over to rlawson@prioryacadmies.co.uk – this includes the story ideas for your visual story (Even if you don't necessarily want to perform / feature in the piece).</p>
Science	<p>There are 3 Home Learning Posters on Science SharePoint Year 8; one for each of Biology, Chemistry and Physics in the relevant folders</p> <p>All students have to complete one Biology, one Chemistry and one Physics task (any order) per week. If you want some feedback on the task email it to your science teacher.</p> <p>New tasks available from 18/5/20</p>
Geography	<p>Environmental Regions - What is an equatorial Climate?</p> <p>Please read the information and either create a 2 minute video, explaining what an equatorial climate is, giving examples of places with an equatorial climate or read the text and answer the activities.</p> <p>Copies of the textbook pages and tasks can be found on the Geography Sharepoint page</p>
Reading	<p><i>Girl on a Plane</i></p> <p>There is a video of Mrs Coggan reading this extract on YouTube (the link is available on Sharepoint). For any student who cannot access the video, this does not matter: you can read the extract instead. When you have watched/read the extract complete the tasks on the accompanying worksheet. Please send all completed work to jcoggan@prioryacademies.co.uk (if possible).</p>
History	<p>World War 1: The Home Front. Using the sources and information provided, complete all tasks. Full details available on the History Sharepoint page</p> <p>Additional projects and Enrichment opportunities are available on the History Sharepoint page including: previous workbooks; 'Meanwhile Elsewhere'; 'Meanwhile They'; Documentaries you can watch; and museums you can visit virtually (with a project)</p>
MFL - Spanish	<p>Go to the MFL Sharepoint Student Page. In the Year 8 folder you will find 2 worksheets that must be completed. <i>El abc de la comida</i> and <i>frequency adverbs food</i>. The instructions are on the worksheet itself.</p> <p>Additional learning: https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/spanishindex.html</p> <p>You will need to access this website through the Google Chrome browser or it might not work otherwise. Complete exercises and games in Caminos book 1</p>

ICT and Computing	<p>Resources are available on the ICT Sharepoint page</p> <p>TASK 1: Research a series of 'ICT in the News'</p> <p>TASK 2: Create an A-Z glossary of ICT Key words</p> <p>TASK 3: AWESOME ANIMATION TUTORIAL BOOKLET</p> <p>TASK 4: New Task – Touch Typing Tutorials</p> <p>TASK 5: New Task – Office Software Video Tutorials</p>
Art	<p>Watch the presentation on youtube https://m.youtube.com/watch?feature=youtu.be&v=43t05TIKypQ and follow the instructions in creating your own responses to artist Raku Inoue. If you have your sketchbook at home then research the artist and find out about his work. Perhaps have a go at drawing some of his images – they are amazing!</p> <p>I look forward to receiving a ppt of your work. You can also download an app called Kaleidacam which allows you to create patterned images from your photo's which you can then create a piece of gift wrap from in the same way on ppt.</p>
Technology	<p>1) Read through, watch the videos and carry out the daily lesson for Design Technology on BBC Bitesize Extreme designs https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zvxwqp3 Complete the Activity 1 on Bitesize: flat-packed furniture task. Then if finished complete activity 2 on Bitesize: CAD and CAM advantages and disadvantages. This continues on from what we have learnt about CAD from the Beach Hut project and help you understand CAM (Computer Aided manufacture).</p> <p>2) Investigative activity- How can we take a traditional material, such as paper and improve its strength at home? The power point that goes with this activity can be located on the technology area of sharepoint.</p>
PSHMRE	<p>1. A number of people live every day with a disability. Some of those disabilities are visible, while others are hidden. Find out how Difference is Normal by completing this Oak National Academy PSHMRE lesson. https://www.thenational.academy/year-7/pshe/difference-is-normal-disability-awareness-year-7-wk4-1</p> <p>2. You can also Focus on your mental health and wellbeing by completing another daily challenge from the grid. Tick them off as you complete them. You could make a scrapbook or journal with photos and notes of the challenges completed.</p>
PE	<p>Keeping active at home is very important.</p> <p>The PE department have put together a series of challenges and links to activities you can complete at home. You can find the details in the PE sharepoint page: PE at Home</p>
Careers	<p>Complete the STEPS booklets to help consider future careers and employment. A copy of the booklet can be found within the Careers area of Sharepoint</p>
Music	<p>Create your own listening task to share with your family friends. Choose your favorite song and try to create a range of questions. You might like to include questions about the instruments, the tempo, how many beats are in a bar, what is the missing lyric, how long is the song, who is the artist etc. the best sets of questions will be shared with everyone so don't forget to present your work neatly.</p>
New Challenge Introduction to Latin	<p>Latin is a root language for the English language. While it is no longer in common use, it helps us to understand our language and make connections when learning new technical vocabulary. If you would like to challenge yourself to learn a new language, please log onto https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-7/latin#subjects (scroll to the bottom of the page to find lesson 1, and then work your way up the page.)</p>