



**Year 8 Independent Study Plan 10. Week Beginning 15/06/2020**

**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.

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Home Learning Task (please go to the subject sharepoint page to access the resources and links)</b>
<b>Assembly</b>	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. This week's assembly is all about Togetherness and supporting each other. We have a speaker from the Holocaust Education Trust, Vera Schaufeld, who came to the UK as a child refugee on the Kindertransport. The issues and subject matter are sensitive, and this assembly has been designed for age 9+. To access the assembly please go to <a href="https://classroom.thenational.academy/assemblies/togetherness/">https://classroom.thenational.academy/assemblies/togetherness/</a>
<b>Whole School Challenges</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Pembroke Time Capsule 2020.</li> <li>2. Drama Challenge: You have been set a challenge to work on an individual piece of performance work. This can be anything from a dramatic speech, an interpretative dance, a song, a physical movement sequence – anything! Performances should be a minimum of 30 seconds in length and can include content of your choosing. If you wish to enter, you should record a short 30 snippet of your performance and email your entry to Mr Lawson, who will then judge all of the entries received. The deadline for this is <b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2020. There will be a prize for the winning entry (or entries).</b> – <a href="mailto:rlawson@prioryacademies.co.uk">rlawson@prioryacademies.co.uk</a></li> </ol>
<b>Family Challenges</b>	Don't forget to check the Competitions and Challenges page in the Home Learning section of the Pembroke Website. <b>New this week you will find the National Portrait Gallery competition, closing date 18<sup>th</sup> June.</b> <a href="https://www.priorypembroke.co.uk/page/?title=Challenges+and+Competitions&amp;pid=162">https://www.priorypembroke.co.uk/page/?title=Challenges+and+Competitions&amp;pid=162</a>

Maths	<p>Please go to the maths <a href="#">SharePoint</a> site. Here you will find the Maths 5 a Day tasks and some <b>mini video lessons</b> 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). <b>Please keep any work you do to be collated into a folder once we return.</b></p> <p>Any problems please e-mail <a href="mailto:sburnett@prioryacademies.co.uk">sburnett@prioryacademies.co.uk</a></p>
English	<p>KS3 <a href="#">Greek Mythology Booklet</a></p> <p>For this module, Year 8 will be learning about Greek myths. The focus this week is Lesson 7-8, looking at The Iliad: through a speech from 'Troy' and how myths influenced later writing using Beowulf.</p> <p><b>Everybody</b> 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 reminded that all work that is already on <a href="#">SharePoint</a> should be completed and emailed over to Mr Lawson – <a href="mailto:rlawson@prioryacademies.co.uk">rlawson@prioryacademies.co.uk</a></p> <p>Your Drama Home Learning for Module 6 will consist of a variety of theory based activities, leading up to a practical project for the final two weeks of term. The work being covered will also help you for when we return back to school.</p> <p>For this week, I would like you explore the PowerPoint within the <a href="#">Home Learning folder</a>, focusing on different types of staging and overall stage positioning. I would like you to work through the PowerPoint, ensuring that you are familiar with the different types of stage and stage positioning, as well as understanding the different benefits and disadvantages.</p> <p>You should make notes on the different stage types and where to position yourself on the stage, as we will be exploring them during our work in year 9.</p> <p>I would also like you to look at the Glossary that has been included. Using this, I would like you to simplify this in a way that makes it easier for <b>YOU</b> to understand.</p> <p>After you have completed the PowerPoint, I would like you to test your knowledge on the quiz, which again can be found in the <a href="#">Home Learning folder</a>.</p> <p>When completing elements of practical work, I understand that it can be difficult to evidence it. Therefore, please could you email Mr Lawson informing him of any practical task you are completing.</p>
Science	<p>Click the link below and complete the 3 lessons this week. Open the PowerPoint first and then use the other resources as it says.</p> <p><a href="#">Year 8 Science Home Learning week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> June</a></p> <p>If you have any issues, please email <a href="mailto:gwilson@prioryacademies.co.uk">gwilson@prioryacademies.co.uk</a></p>
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environmental Regions - What are Tropical Rainforests? Please read and using the information in the "How has vegetation adapted" section, design a make believe plant that would be able to survive in this ecosystem. Annotate your plant describing and explaining its features. Copies of the textbook pages and tasks can be found on the Geography <a href="#">Sharepoint</a> page.</li> <li>• For the next two weeks I would like you to complete some of the activities that I have downloaded from The Geographical Association website. These geographical activities have been designed specifically for the lock down and can be divided into HOME, GARDEN &amp; LOCAL AREA. These can be found on <a href="#">Sharepoint</a>.</li> </ul>
Reading	<p>If you have not yet, please watch the video of Mrs Coggan reading <a href="#">The Colour of Humanity</a> by Bali Rai from last week or read the pdf (on <a href="#">Sharepoint</a>) and answer the questions in the accompanying worksheet. Please also take a look at some authors reading their own empathy shorts for you on this link: <a href="https://www.empathylab.uk/empathy-read-aloud">https://www.empathylab.uk/empathy-read-aloud</a> and write down how you felt when watching. Please email Mrs Coggan if you can with your thoughts on both.</p> <p>Please send all completed work to <a href="mailto:icoggan@prioryacademies.co.uk">icoggan@prioryacademies.co.uk</a> (if possible).</p>

History	<p>World War 1: Why did the War end? Using the sources, video links and information provided, complete all tasks. Full details available on the <a href="#">History Sharepoint</a> page</p> <p>Additional projects and Enrichment opportunities are available on the History <a href="#">Sharepoint</a> 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 <a href="#">Sharepoint</a> Student Page. In the Year 8 folder you will find 2 worksheets that must be completed. The instructions are on the worksheet itself.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Vocabulary Practice Spanish</i> worksheet</li> <li>• <i>Y8 Task</i> worksheet.</li> </ul> <p>Additional learning: <a href="https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/spanishindex.html">https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/spanishindex.html</a> 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 <a href="#">Sharepoint</a> 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> <p><b>TASK 6: New Task Use the tutorial to create a games using SCRATCH</b></p>
Art	<p>Photography: <a href="https://www.startaskill.co.uk/course-area.html">https://www.startaskill.co.uk/course-area.html</a></p> <p>Follow the series of lessons on the link above introducing the basics of photography. This is absolutely ideal if you are considering GCSE Photography or GCSE art &amp; design in the future or are already doing so. Your own photographs when mounted up will sit nicely in your portfolio as part of component 1 of the course. In fact if they are awesome then we can enlarge them and put them on display in frames in the hall. Save all your photos to your own user area in school and we can print them when you return.</p> <p>I hope you enjoy working through these lessons and taking fantastic photographs as a result. No flashy camera needed either - all can be done using your phone.</p>
Technology Timber	<p>Read through the 'Health and Safety Info' sheets then complete the 'Health and Safety worksheets'</p> <p>The Home learning Worksheet booklet has been updated, please check to make sure you have completed all tasks within this.</p> <p>Copies of all tasks can be found in the Technology <a href="#">Sharepoint</a> page.</p>
Technology Food	<p>Complete the "Imported of Local Ingredients?" worksheet. A copy can be found this the Food Home learning folder on the Technology <a href="#">Sharepoint</a> page</p> <p>Please send any completed tasks to <a href="mailto:gbaker@prioryacademies.co.uk">gbaker@prioryacademies.co.uk</a> (if possible)</p>
PSHMRE	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. As we continue in a socially distanced world, online communication is very important, however it brings with it a number of dangers. Please complete the Oak National lesson on <a href="#">Online Safety</a></li> <li>2. You can also Focus on your mental health and wellbeing by completing another <a href="#">daily challenge</a> 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.</li> </ol>
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 <a href="#">sharepoint</a> page: PE at Home: PE at Home: <a href="#">PE Games</a></p>

Careers	Complete the STEPS booklets to help consider future careers and employment. A copy of the booklet can be found within the Careers area of <a href="#">Sharepoint</a>
Music	<p>Can you complete the <b>A - Z of Music Challenge</b>?</p> <p>You can complete the challenges in any order, and should aim to complete at least 2 per week.</p> <p>Please send any completed tasks to <a href="mailto:gbaker@prioryacademies.co.uk">gbaker@prioryacademies.co.uk</a> (if possible)</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 <a href="https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-7/latin#subjects">https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-7/latin#subjects</a> (scroll to the bottom of the page to find lesson 1, and then work your way up the page.)</p>
Live Theatre Opportunities	<p>During this time of uncertainty, it's impossible to watch a piece of live theatre, especially within a theatre. As a result of the Coronavirus Pandemic, theatres across the UK have come together to make theatre performance available for you to watch from the comfort of your own home! A handy spreadsheet of the different performances currently available for you watch has been put together for you, within the <a href="#">Live Theatre</a> folder on SharePoint. This document will be updated regularly, ensuring that you are kept up to date with the different performances that are available.</p> <p>So... why not have a family movie night? Dress up nice, grab some snacks and replicate the theatre experience from the comfort of your living room!</p> <p>It is also worth keeping an eye on the following websites as they are updated daily, with links to shows that are made available for only a short period of time.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Theatre at Home - <a href="https://www.nationaltheatre.org.uk/nt-at-home">https://www.nationaltheatre.org.uk/nt-at-home</a></li> <li>• The Show Must Go on, Youtube - <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCdmPjhKMaXNNeCr1FjuMvag/videos">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCdmPjhKMaXNNeCr1FjuMvag/videos</a> (this week's show is The Wiz!)</li> <li>• <a href="https://www.franticassembly.co.uk/">https://www.franticassembly.co.uk/</a></li> </ul>