What equipment will I need?



Your Home Learning Exercise Book

A blue or black pen

A purple pen

A pencil

A ruler

Earphones (Not essential)

FAQ

How will I know when live lessons will happen?

They will happen at the same time as they would in school so check your timetable. You will also get a message on Teams the day before.

What can I do if I don't understand something?

You can type a question into chat or message your teacher.

What should I do if my equipment fails and I miss parts of the lesson?

All lessons are recorded by the teacher and this will appear on your Teams page for 20 days. Therefore you will be able to re-watch the lessons again.

Behaviour Expectations

We have the same high expectations of your behaviour online as we do at school.

- Be organised and on time.
- Follow all instructions first time
- Self-regulate
- Do not make inappropriate comments or use foul language (verbal or written using the 'chat' function)
- You must not make any recording of the lesson (Video/ or sound) or take any screen shots.
- Try your best
- Contribute positively
- Listen attentively
- Ask questions using the chat function in a sensible way

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Taking Part in Lessons Online



Why Live Lessons?

Your teacher is the most valuable resource you are given. They are highly skilled and full of the key knowledge that you need to learn. Time with your teacher can never be underestimated! In fact, it is well known that attendance to lessons has the biggest impact on successful GCSE grades. Therefore we are delivering live lessons so that you are still able to benefit from your teachers' expertise.

FAITH

This is the perfect opportunity for you to demonstrate our FAITH values to your family and show them how important they are.

Fellowship

Support your peers by following the rules and making sure that you are punctual.

Aspiration

Challenge yourself to tackle work that appears difficult.

Integrity

Be responsible for your own learning

Tenacity

Attend all live lessons and complete all class work even when you become tired.

Humility

Accept advice and guidance from your teacher.

How will each lesson be organised?

- 1. Start Now! Task.
- 2. Learning Objective and Key Words
- 3. Key knowledge
- 4. Questions
- 5. Independent Task

Each lesson will begin with a "Start Now!" task

You will then be given the **learning objective.** Make sure you make a note of this and any **key words** in your home learning book.

Your teacher will then **explain the key information** that you need to learn. They will give you time to **ask questions** and you can do this by typing them into the chat function.

Remember that all lessons are recorded and we have the same high expectations of your behaviour as we do in school.

Your teacher may ask you to type in an answer to the chat and they may wish you to do this at a particular time. Please listen carefully and follow instructions.

At the end of the lesson, your teacher will set an independent task that will make sure that you have met the learning objective.

You must submit this by the deadline.

How can I be a successful online learner?

The evening before lessons begin

- Check your timetable and look at the times of each live lesson.
- Make sure that your device is fully charged.

Each day

- Get up at your usual time, have breakfast and set up your work station in a quiet place.
- Make sure you let any family members know the timings of your live lessons.
- Ensure that you choose appropriate clothes just in case your video screen switches on at any point.

During the lesson

- ◆ Logon to the lesson in good time.
- Switch the microphone and camera off.
- Follow your teacher's instructions.

After the lesson has ended

 Complete the follow up task and submit at the agreed time so that your teacher can assess your progress.