

Online Resources for Supporting Students with Remote Learning at Home

Resources to Support English / Literacy

<https://www.pobble365.com/>

Key stages: key stage 3 and key stage 4

Description: a new image is published each day as a basis for creative writing. Story starters, questions and drawing ideas are provided

Registration: not required

<https://app.senecalearning.com/courses?Price=Free&Age+Group=GCSE&Subject=English+Language>

Key stages: key stage 4

Description: a range of downloadable resources covering the GCSE curriculum, categorised by examination board.

Registration: not required

<https://theday.co.uk/subscriptions/the-day-home>

Key stages: key stage 3, key stage 4 and key stage 5

Description: a daily newsletter for parents and carers at home with children, helping to enrich learning with real-world knowledge and skills.

Registration: is required

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/this-terms-topics>

A range of curriculum resources and activities to support KS3 and beyond

Resources to Support Maths

<https://www.bowlandmaths.org.uk/>

Key stages: key stage 3

Description: downloadable assessments on a range of subjects, including sample answers and assessment tips.

Registration: not required

<https://corbettmaths.com/contents/>

Key stages: key stage 4

Description: a range of videos and downloadable questions categorised by topic and predicted grade.

Registration: not required

<https://mathigon.org/>

Key stages: key stage 3 and key stage 4

Description: interactive maths resources that allow teachers and parents to track student progress and set activities.

Registration: not required

<https://mathskitchen.com/topics>

Key stages: key stage 4

Description: an interactive GCSE revision website. Resources are categorised by topic, including video lessons and practice questions.

Registration: not required

<https://maths.org/step/welcome>

Key stages: key stage 5

Description: the STEP Support Programme is offered by the University of Cambridge to help university applicants develop their advanced mathematical problem-solving skills and prepare for STEP mathematics exams. Assessments are downloadable.

Registration: not required

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/ipad-apps-for-learners-with-dyscalculianumeracy-difficulties/> Range of

downloadable apps to support numeracy

HYPERLINK "https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year"

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A range of lessons for years 7-11 containing a range of resources and curriculum content

Resources to Support Cognition and Learning

https://www.callscotland.org.uk/common-assets/cm-files/posters/ipad-apps-for-learners-with-dyslexia.pdf?fbclid=IwAR0rPAJhx_ENORxXQUuyB5LVJ5vZZ23rAsIYojw4V9OaIFHJOebHdXCBLJ8

A comprehensive list of apps that are available to support a variety of individual needs and skills

<https://highlandliteracy.files.wordpress.com/2018/02/paired-reading-for-teachers.pdf>
Reading comprehension strategies

<https://www.nessy.com> There is a free trial that you can sign up to. Contains activities to support spelling, writing and processing of information. Mainly for KS3 pupils and younger.

<https://highlandliteracy.files.wordpress.com/2017/10/cued-spelling.pdf>
Support with spelling commonly misspelt words

<http://www.catchingfoxes.com/sites/www.catchingfoxes.com/files/Paired%20Writing.pdf>
Support with paired writing between pupil and parent/ carer

<https://www.bdadyslexia.org.uk/>
Information and support on Dyslexia for all age ranges

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/covid19-school-closures>
A range of resources for all ages/ KS1-4 - some are free at present.

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/addressing-reading-difficulties/>
A poster on how to support reading challenges and where to look for free resources.

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/chromebook-accessibility-and-learning-tools/>
An information poster on how to use your Chromebook to support learning

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/chromebook-apps-and-extensions-for-learners-with-dyslexia/> Information on apps and extensions that can be used with your Chromebook

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/ict-to-support-learners-with-dyslexia/>
An information poster on how to set up ICT to support learning

Resources to Support Communication and Interaction

<https://www.autism.org.uk/services/helplines/coronavirus/resources/helpful-resources.aspx> A range of different resources and links to support pupils and parents at this challenging time of change, including resource packs, ideas for activities and how to support mental wellbeing.

<https://www.leedscommunityhealthcare.nhs.uk/our-services-a-z/speech-and-language-therapy2/speech-and-language-therapy-toolkit/> A range of resources to support many aspects of communication including attention and concentration, expressive language and social communication skills.

<https://www.thecommunicationtrust.org.uk/resources> A range of resources for all Key Stages to support communication and language for learning.

<https://managing-change.middletownautism.com/> A range of resources and practical activities to help support anxiety around change to normal routines

Using Assistive Technology to Support Learning

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/mystudybar/> Free suite of applications that can be downloaded to your PC or USB. MyStudyBar is designed to support the study cycle from planning and structuring thoughts and ideas to support reading and writing.

This can be downloaded to support students on their computer;

<https://www.loom.com/share/31adead79b8d42bfac03b0b415c2fb8e>

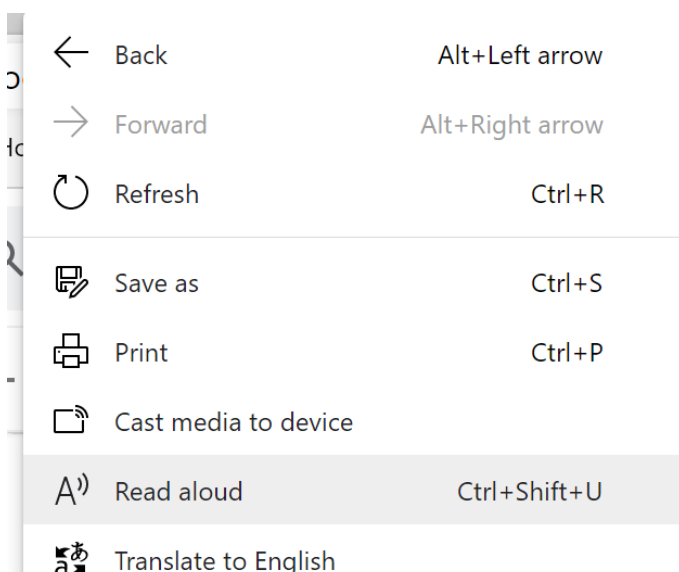
<https://chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/read-aloud-a-text-to-spee/hdhnadidafjejdhmfkjgnolgimiapl?hl=en>

Text to speech app which can turn text into audio speech on any website.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ovuS_SzDi-U&feature=youtu.be a video tutorial on how to use office 365 to support your learning, including reading aloud, changing background colour and how to focus on one section of text at a time. How to use immersive reader and the dictate function

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/making-the-most-of-notes/> how to make the most of the Notes app on the iPad to support and enhance learning

Using edge the read aloud function is found in the settings demonstrated below:



Resources to support Sensory and Physical needs.

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/using-the-ipad-to-support-learners-with-physical-difficulties/> How to make the best use of your iPad and apps

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/using-the-ipad-to-support-learners-with-visual-difficulties/> How to use built in features to support learning

<https://www.callscotland.org.uk/common-assets/cm-files/files/info-cards/using-siri-speech-recognition.pdf>
how to best use speech recognition software

Resources to Support Social, Emotional and Mental Health

<https://youngminds.org.uk/>

Young Minds UK: Offers advice, information and blogs on promoting good mental health during times of isolation and lockdown:

<https://bit.ly/2wxCAMO>

SecEd author Dr Pooky Knightsmith offers support for mental health and wellbeing via her YouTube channel, including a recent post on ways to guard good mental health in light of the coronavirus outbreak

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ME5IZn4-BAk&feature=youtu.be>

A video from the Anna Freud Centre in how pupils can find support during this time of school closures and disruption.

<https://www.bps.org.uk/news-and-blogs>

Key stages: key stage 3 to key stage 5

Description: advice on dealing with school closures and talking to children about COVID-19.

Registration: not required

<https://www.childrenssociety.org.uk/coronavirus-information-and-support>

Key stages: key stage 3 to key stage 5

Description: information and support on different aspects of mental health and wellbeing.

Registration: not required

<https://riseabove.org.uk/topic/my-mind/>

Key stages: key stage 3 to key stage 5

Description: videos with tips on gaining confidence, dealing with anxiety and coping strategies from other young people.

Registration: not required

www.cerebra.org.uk – resources to support children with anxiety

<https://www.elsa-support.co.uk/category/free-resources/> Range of free resources to support mental health and wellbeing for a range of ages

<https://www.kooth.com/> Online support for mental health and wellbeing.