



Remote Learning

Important Information about Remote Learning in SCHS

Beginning Monday 11th January 2021

Dear Parent,

As we prepare to enter another period of remote learning, please be ensured that your feedback from our lockdown experience last year has been invaluable in helping us plan and co-ordinate the learning offer from Monday 11th January.

We hope that you find the following information helpful:

- The majority of remote learning will take place through Microsoft Teams via GLOW. Help videos to assist with accessing these platforms can be found in ClickView here: <https://clickv.ie/w/y6cp> and also here: <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/in/schsdigital/>
- Teachers will provide a variety of resources, including recorded lessons followed by learning activities. Links to additional relevant online activities will also be communicated in class Teams. Pupils attending the Hub will engage in exactly the same learning as those at home. They will be accessing the remote learning in ICT rooms supervised by a member of staff.
- Support and feedback for pupils is available via Teams or email during the school day and each subject will be offering live online subject specific support sessions at various times throughout the week (schedules for S1-3 and S4-6 attached). Pupils will receive details of how to access these sessions via their teachers on Teams. Some subjects may issue learning packs and this will be arranged with parents/pupils.
- We will be tracking pupil engagement closely and will be in touch with parents, if their child has not been engaging in assigned tasks, to offer extra support.
- The Remote Learning Overview (attached) contains all the information such as how tasks will be issued and when/how they should be submitted each week.
- If a pupil requires a password change for GLOW or any learning materials then please contact us using the following email address: instcolumbas@glowscotland.onmicrosoft.com
- We are keen to continue to gather views via pupil and parental questionnaires and will adapt/improve our approach based on the results of these surveys.

We recognise that remote learning can present a variety of challenges for families. Therefore, please do not hesitate to get in touch if we can offer any further support. We are here to help!

Yours faithfully,

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