



Dear Parents/Carers of Year 11 pupils,

As you will know, since school closed on 19/03/20 pupils in Year 11 have received consolidation and revision work from their subject teachers via googleclassroom and stanwell webmail. This was initially planned for a two week period leading up to the Easter holidays in the hope that school would be able to resume after the Easter break. The pandemic unfolding around us sadly makes that impossible, and so staff are working hard to plan and create more structured and developed resources in order to support your child's learning over what may be an extended period of time.

Since the cancellation of this summer's examination session was announced, we have decided with Year 11 pupils to focus instead on preparing them for A Level subjects of their choice. Staff have created bridging units designed to develop students' wider knowledge and skills in the subjects they may wish to choose for Year 12. Heads of Department will email the year group and students will need to follow the instructions on the emails to sign up for the courses which interest them. This process does not commit the student to taking the subject at AS level and should be viewed instead as an opportunity to gain an insight into that subject.

The new arrangements will start from Monday 20/04/2020 which is the date of the first day of the summer term after the Easter holidays.

Pupils are not expected to complete all the work for each subject on the same day it is set. We are keen to emphasise to you that we do not want to cause stress to the pupils at this very unsettling time. Our aim is to provide a routine and structure for the pupils. Staff members are working on providing material that will help pupils make progress with their learning, including recorded video content that will explain key concepts and demonstrate examples.

Subject teachers and Heads of Department will communicate with the pupils via googleclassroom and Stanwell webmail.

Please do not hesitate to contact your child's year tutors to inform them if there are any family circumstances that may prevent your child from completing work for a period of time. We would like to wish all our pupils and their families well at this challenging time, thank you in advance for your support.

Kind Regards,
Stanwell School