

Farleigh Further Education College Educational Offer during Period of Exceptional Measures for Covid-19



Example of communications between student and staff regarding work progress

Key Principles:

Our Educational Offer during this period has been shaped with the following key principles in mind:

Personalisation

We have provided a bespoke learning package to meet the individual need of all students, covering curriculum areas that they would access within college. These have been planned and implemented by teaching staff who have taken into consideration the following aspects.

- ❖ Their home-learning environment and capacity of parents/carers – availability of resources such as electronic equipment, stationary and craft supplies, availability of individual adult support.
- ❖ Their preferred methods of learning
- ❖ Current data – Progress to date has been taken into account when setting the

Relationships:

Maintaining contact and good relationships is paramount in order to support the young person and family at this time. It will also ensure a smoother transition back into college post COVID. Staff are assigned to make contact with students through phone calls, emails, posted packages. Some staff are now providing Zoom sessions to students to help them with set work. Senior Leaders are responsible for ensuring that teachers set and monitor the work set. All contact with home is recorded within an 'daily communication log' spreadsheet document that all the tutors have access to as Netscaler is now in place for all the team.

Hello Francis,

Well done on completing your maths past papers and homework and submitting these on time you're a super star! Once again great talking to you today so here is a recap – Today – Carry on with unit 13 questionnaire booklet, finish this today and submit. Wednesday – Unit 32 –

Sustainability – carry on working through the log book, try your best to complete it today – Remember you have a guidance book. **Remember treat each day like a college day, get up and carry on with your assignments ok – Always check your college emails daily and check for any new uploads on Moodle.**

Take regular drink and snack breaks (not too much chocolate) Take care, Jacqui

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Our Offer Education:

Each young person has a bespoke package of home learning which includes features from below:

- ❖ Access to tutors and SLT when required. Regular contact from Tutors and LSWs by email and phone calls. Additional telephone communication from Learning Support Workers for some individuals.
- ❖ Suggested weekly and daily routine provided to students via letter from Head of College
- ❖ Work packages have been sent by post
- ❖ Daily uploads through online learning platform – Seneca and Kerboddle
- ❖ Recommendation of websites and other online learning platforms have been given to students
- ❖ Teaching staff are using Seneca Learning Platform, googleclassroom and Zoom to conduct, track and set work for students.
- ❖ Educational Pastoral Lead and LSWs are in regular contact with students checking on their welfare. LSWs have been assigned specific students to make regular contact. Evidence of contact is also being put in their student files by the LSWs.
- ❖ Googleclassroom is being used as an interactive source to support.
- ❖ All tutors are signed up RNIB book share which enables students to: listen to books with high quality text-to-speech voices, hear and see highlighted words on screen, read with digital braille or enlarged fonts, create physical braille or large print, ready directly from your internet browser and more!

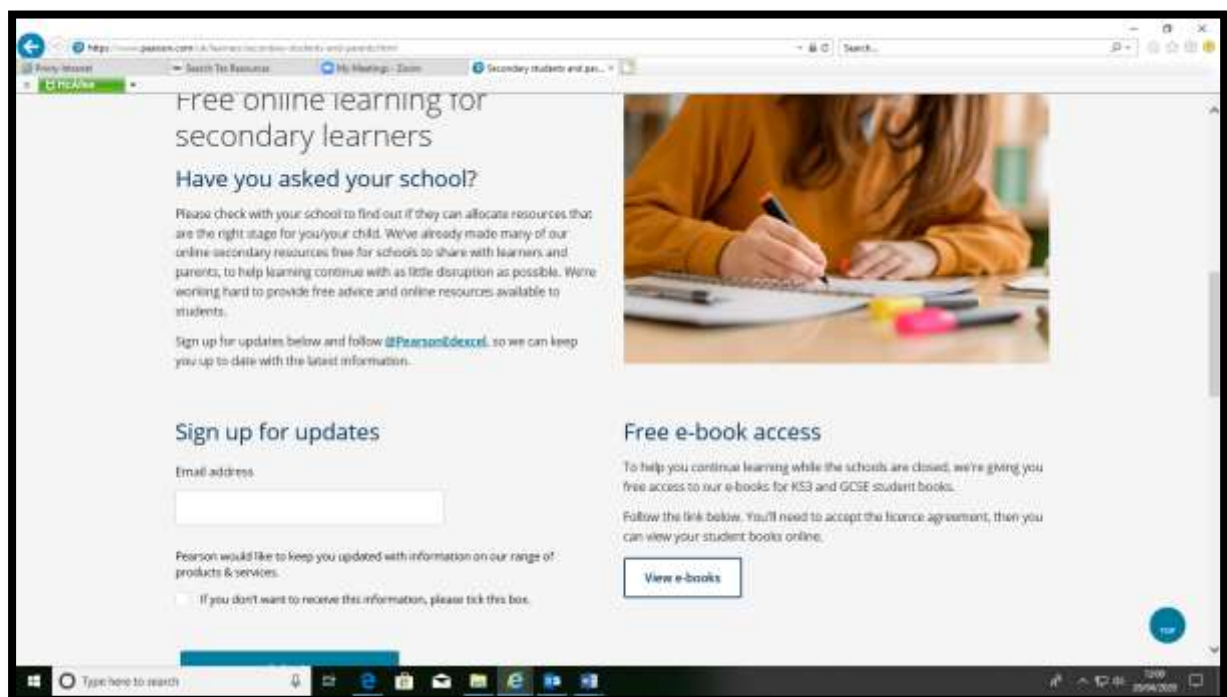
Residential Support/Input:

- The Residential Teams are all in regular contact with their students either via email, phone and some staff have set up online gaming sessions.
- Staff are supporting with menu planning, recipes and portion control and putting in a place a daily structure
- Support staff are in daily contact with all day and residential students

Therapy Support:

- The Therapy Team are holding weekly sessions with their students via Zoom or Skype.

Examples of learning/platform opportunities our students currently have on offer and are being used by Tutors.

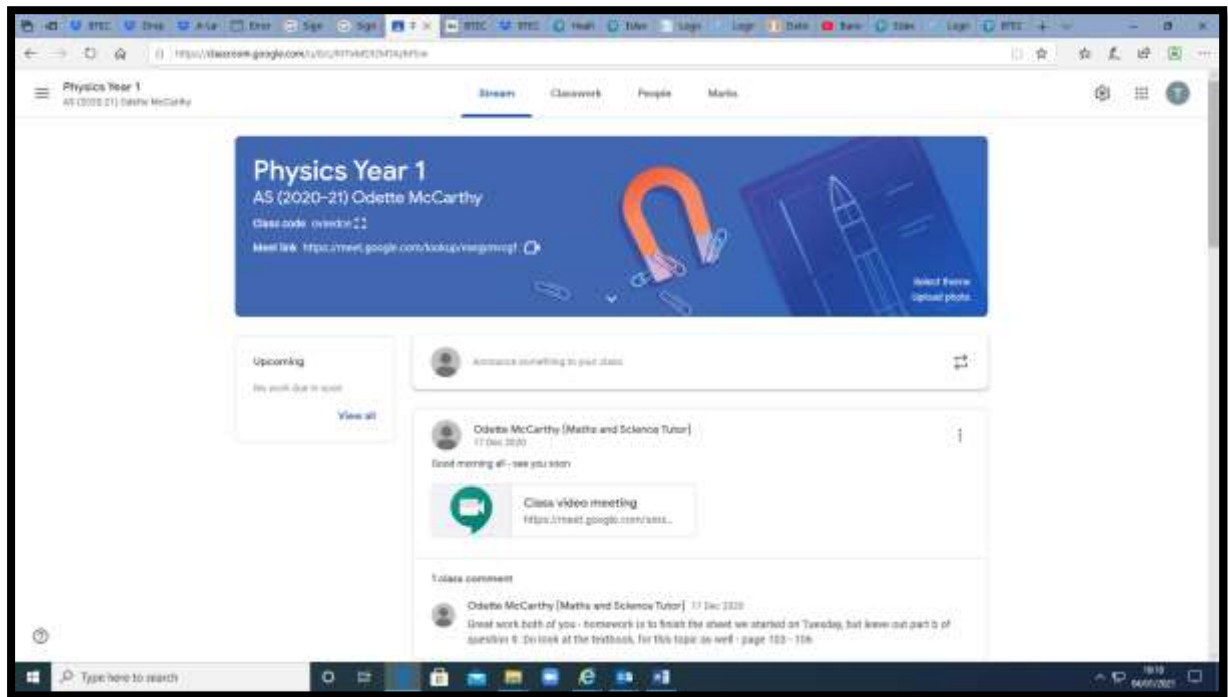
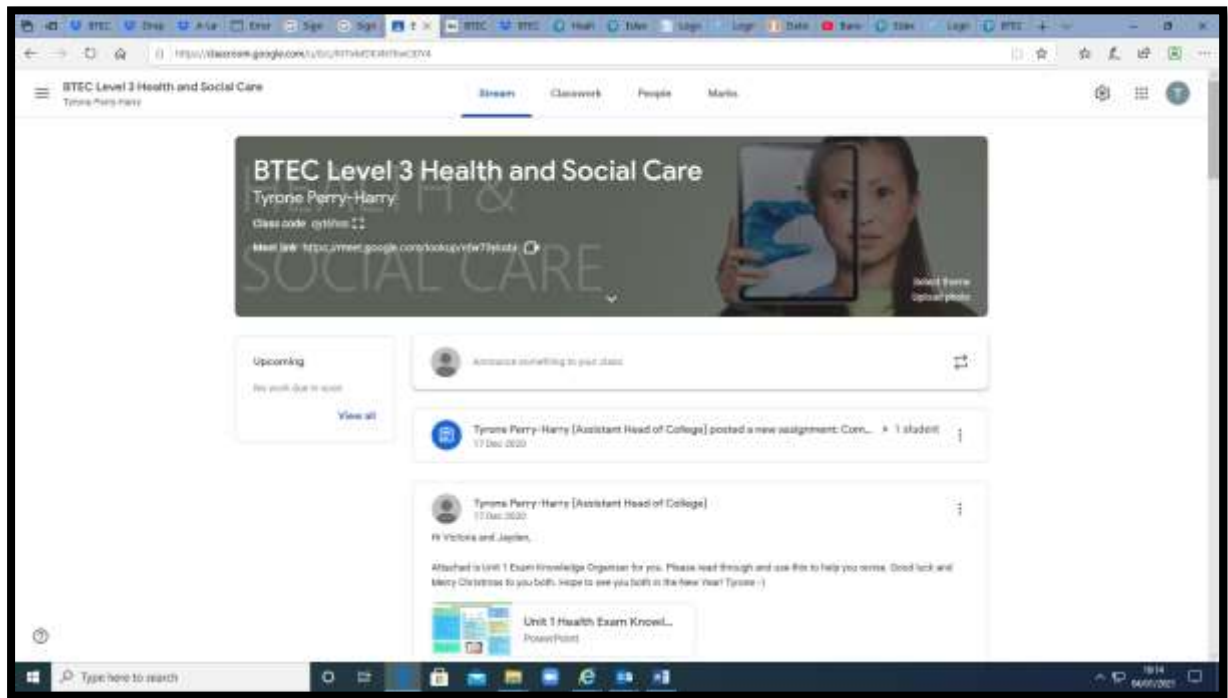


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The screenshot shows the Seneca website homepage. The browser address bar displays <https://www.senecalearning.com/>. The page features a blue header with the Seneca logo and navigation links for 'Join now', 'Login', and 'Sign up'. The main content area is titled 'The fastest growing homework & revision platform in the UK'. Below this, it states: 'Pick from 1000+ IGCSE, KS3, GCSE & A-Level courses based on exam board specifications. We've condensed the content to what you actually need to know for your exams. Your teacher can also create classes and set homework for any revision topic on the study platform creating the perfect lesson plan.' A green 'Find a course' button is positioned below the text. On the left, a smaller version of the website interface is shown, displaying a search bar and a grid of course cards. At the bottom, the text 'What people say...' is visible. The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the system clock as 10:46 on 20/06/2020.

The screenshot shows the Kerboodle login page. The browser address bar displays <https://www.kerboodle.com/login>. A green banner at the top contains a warning message: 'Adding students to Kerboodle: We're seeing a large increase in the number of users being added to Kerboodle, and some users may experience a delay when logging in as a result. We are working on a solution as quickly as possible, and apologise for any inconvenience caused.' The main content area features the Kerboodle logo and the text 'Lessons, Resources, Assessment, and Kerboodle Books'. Below this is a 'What is Kerboodle?' link. To the right, there is a login form with fields for 'Username/Email', 'Password', and 'Institution Code', followed by a green 'Log in' button and a 'Trouble logging in?' link. The background of the page is decorated with colorful circles. The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the system clock as 10:46 on 20/06/2020.

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Farleigh College – Online learning ideas

Active Learn

To help you continue learning while the colleges are closed, we're giving you free access to our e-books for KS3 and GCSE student books

<https://preview.pearsonactivelearn.com/app/AcceptTerms?returnUrl=/app/library>

General GCSE Activities

BBC Bite size www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize

S cool Revision <https://www.s-cool.co.uk/>

Kahoot – Interactive Revision and Quizzes <https://kahoot.it/>

Quizlet <https://quizlet.com/en-gb>

Safeguarding

The safety and welfare of our students remains a clear priority for all staff – especially with regards to current and ongoing arrangements where not all students are attending the college site.

For any concerns about the safety or welfare of any young person, please see the college website where the 'OP06 Safeguarding Children' and 'OP08 Safeguarding Adults' Policies are located to make contact with any of the Designated contacts for Safeguarding.

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North Parade Team showing support for the NHS and Keyworkers

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We love the NHS - Done by our resident Gardner!