



# Year 11 Newsletter 3

## 14<sup>th</sup> May 2020



### Welcome to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Year 11 Closure Newsletter!

*Thank you to all who read last week's newsletter and also got in touch with achievements and news. We will continue to deliver good news, tips, websites and important information during this lockdown period.*

#### In the National News this week...

##### Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May marked 'International Nurses Day'

This marked the International Day of the Nurse and the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth of Florence Nightingale.

The World Health Organisation (WHO) joined hundreds of partners worldwide to highlight the importance of nurses, especially in this period of time and to thank nurses for everything they do.

The theme for this year was '*Nursing the World to Health*'

On Tuesday at 8.30pm, the public were asked to 'shine a light' to recognize the efforts of all nursing professional around the world.



#### In the world of Year 11 ...

- 1 student has been tutoring their sister and supporting her through their school work
- 1 student organized and ran an online quiz with all donations being given to the NHS!

FANTASTIC NEWS TO HEAR!

#### WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

*Please share with us any achievements or things you think you've done well. This could be a picture or something they are proud of, please send in to Mr Bacon and we can place in the newsletter to share positive news.*



#### Top Tip of the Week



**'Continue to stick to a routine'**

It is easier than ever to slip into bad habits

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Continue to stick to a routine.

Wake up at the same time.

Exercise at certain points in the day.

Keep yourself busy.

## Work Based Learning platform for Students to use ...

Free Courses are available through a new FREE online platform, 'The Skills Toolkit'.

Courses on offer cover a range of levels, from everyday Math's and the use of email and social media to more advanced training.

All courses are available online and are flexible so students can work through at your own pace

Take a look yourselves:

<https://theskillstoolkit.campaign.gov.uk>

### 'Kimberley 6<sup>th</sup> Form'

Those students who are coming back to Kimberley 6<sup>th</sup> form:

Continue to check Show My Homework for updates.

We as a school are currently putting together a plan to start setting work that will help prepare you for September.

If you have any questions or issues, please contact the 6<sup>th</sup> form team

### Look after your Mental Health

Stay connected to people – think about how you can stay in touch with friends and family.

Try phone calls, video calls or social media – whether it is with people that you normally see often or connecting with new and old friends.

[www.kooth.com](http://www.kooth.com)

Free, safe and anonymous online support for young people

### Mrs Smith's Thought of the Week...

Always End the Day With a Positive Thought.  
No Matter How Hard Things Were,  
Tomorrow's a Fresh Opportunity to Make it Better.

### The best websites and apps to support lockdown learning...



Helpful Websites for all subjects:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>

<https://www.thenational.academy/>

<https://app.senecalearning.com/courses>

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

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

<https://www.pinterest.co.uk/>

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



Helpful Apps:

iMathematics

GCSE 9-1

Memrise

Chegg Flashcards+

iMindMap

GetRevising

Pocket Notes



### Mr Straw's Quiz of the Week...

Film: Which film is the highest grossing film of all time?

Music: Which artist was the most streamed artist on Spotify in 2019?

Places: How many countries are there in the world?

General Knowledge: What is the name of the piece of plastic at the end of a shoelace?

News/Current Affairs: Harry and Meghan recently stopped their royal duties, but which county were they Duke and Duchess of?



YOUNG MINDS

