



Broad General Education (S1-3) – Learning at Home

The majority of pupils will be accessing GLOW and their on-line learning on Microsoft Teams but if you are having any issues please check out the Distance Learning page on our school website:

www.beeslackhigh.co.uk or contact us by email Beeslack_hs@midlothian.gov.uk

The following timetable has been created to help our pupils plan and access new learning activities each day and allows the 'due dates' for assignments to be staggered. As previously intimated in our parent/carer update, we appreciate that families are sharing devices; to make this manageable, we recommend that pupils aim for between 2 and 3 hours of work per day. However, if this is too much then please reduce it. Equally, if a pupil feels willing and able to do more than this would not be discouraged. Learners work and progress at different rates and everyone is operating in different circumstances, which we fully appreciate.

S1

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Art Social Subjects Maths	English Science Music Support for Learning	Modern Languages PE Computing Science - (includes Digital Literacy)	Home Economics CDT RME	Literacy PSE Drama

S2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
English Science Music Modern Studies Support for Learning	Art History Maths	Home Economics CDT RME Geography Drama	Literacy Computing Science Modern Languages	PE PSE

S3

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Music Biology Computing Science History	Art Chemistry Practical Woodwork Modern Studies	English Geography French Physics PSE Personal Development Award Support for Learning	PE Maths German Design and Manufacture Drama	RME Music Tech Home Economics



Teachers will post work on the days allocated for each subject. They may arrange a time to be on-line with their classes on the day allocated. This may include the following:

- Delivery of content
- Answering questions
- Supporting understanding

This is a guide only and we understand that timings and device availability in families may be difficult. Please do not worry about this; teachers can still be contacted through their glow email and through the general posts section of the class Team.

What a Online Learning Lesson Might Look Like

Below is an abbreviated example of what a singular learning activity **might** look like. **This is an example only and teachers will organise learning that best suits the delivery of their particular subject.**

- Text or recorded video/audio introduction to the task (5 minutes max)
- Learning intentions and success criteria shared with the activity resources
- Pupils have the opportunity to clarify their task in the comments of an assignment
- Pupils complete assigned learning activities
- Pupils submit their task for feedback
- Teachers review the task and provide feedback
- Teachers use the information gathered to plan next steps

Please note that teaching staff will also be working from home and may be managing access to family ICT devices and their own child care.

For single teacher subjects it is entirely possible that a teacher is delivering content to all pupils in a year group. The maximum number of pupils in a year group is 148 pupils.

Home Learning top tips

Here are our recommendations;

- Try to have a structure and a routine for the day
- Pupils should work at a pace they and parents/carers feel comfortable with. Pupils should not feel they need to complete everything immediately
- Due dates for assignments are set as a guide; if your son/daughter thinks they won't complete the work by that date they can contact the teacher and let them know
- Pupils can contact their teachers during 'normal' school times. They can do this openly with all their peers in class on the general posts section for each of the class teams they are in or by emailing their teacher using their Glow email.
- If you feel your son/daughter is not coping with the work it's ok to reduce the amount of work they complete



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- These are not normal circumstances and pupils should try to complete between 2 and 3 hours of work across the course of the day – again don't panic if this is not possible
- Learning can take many forms e.g. reading, cooking, exercise, listening to music etc. YouTube (if used well) is also a wonderful tool for learning!

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