



Subject	Independent Learning Tasks	Frequency
Art	Students are expected to do at least 90 minutes of work involving: drawing from primary and secondary sources using a range of different materials, collage work, researching using the internet or books, photography, visiting areas of interest, painting and writing about their own or others' work.	Weekly
BTEC Sport & BTEC Dance	Students are expected to complete tasks at home and conduct their own independent research on topics covered in class. This is then used to complete and/or improve assignments.	Weekly
Citizenship	<p>Year 11 students will be given exam practice essays to complete. Students will be completing peer assessment of essays in class every three weeks, and these will be given as independent learning to resubmit if below their target level.</p> <p>Year 11 students will be completing their research for their Controlled Assessment in the first term.</p>	<p>Monthly Fortnightly</p> <p>Weekly</p>
Drama	<p>From September to October, Year 10 students will be rehearsing rolling freeze frames in small groups which is to be completed in school</p> <p>From October to December, Year 10 students will attend rehearsals for the Christmas concert (in school)</p> <p>From January to February, Year 10 students will be learning audition pieces for the main production at home and in school</p> <p>From March to April Year 10 will be attending rehearsals for the Easter concert in school</p> <p>From April to June Year 10 will be working on production skills in school and at home</p> <p>From September to March Year 11 students will rehearse in small groups, planning practical work for GCSE exam at home and in school</p> <p>From April to May Year 11 will be set written paper questions.</p>	<p>Weekly</p> <p>Weekly</p> <p>Weekly</p> <p>Weekly</p> <p>Weekly</p> <p>Weekly</p> <p>Weekly</p>
English	<p>Year 10 students will be given GCSE English Literature revision on the play or novel they are studying in lesson time. For GCSE English Language, students will be provided with mock tests in order to prepare them for the examination in Year 11.</p> <p>In Year 11, students will be given GCSE English Literature revision booklets on 'An Inspector Calls', 'Of Mice and Men' or 'To Kill A Mockingbird' and AQA's poetry anthology, 'Moon on the Tides'. For GCSE English Language, students will be provided with a revision booklet and mock tests in order to manage timings in the examination.</p>	Weekly
Geography	Students are expected to complete tasks at home and conduct their own independent research on topics covered in class. Additional independent learning is set once per topic.	Weekly

Food, Graphics, Resistant and Materials	Students will be expected to attend LILAC to bring themselves up to date with their work. Students will be set one piece of design/drawing independent learning. Students studying food will be expected to prepare their ingredients. Students will be given revision homework.	Weekly Fortnightly Fortnightly Weekly
History	Students will be given one GCSE question. All GCSE independent learning will be given to students at the start of the year with deadline dates for each one. All of this independent learning can be found on the blog and will be submitted through the blog.	Weekly
ICT	Students will use Thomas Telford (ttsonline) to support their learning. Students are expected to use the ICT rooms (by arrangement) to complete or improve their work and to meet and exceed their target grades. Students will be given a past exam paper to complete.	Fortnightly
Languages	Students will be given weekly reading/writing tasks or speaking preparation as well as ongoing vocabulary learning tasks using vocabulary lists from the GCSE specification. Students will be given preparation for writing or speaking assessments which will be completed under controlled conditions and is worth 60% of their final grade.	Weekly
Maths	Students should spend 30 minutes either on mymaths or on independent learning set on Show My Homework.	Weekly
Music	Students in Year 10 will be given theory homework in term one covering the Areas of Study and practical independent learning in preparation for solo performances. In term two students will be given theory independent learning covering Western classical music and Popular music and practical independent learning in preparation for ensemble performances. In term 3, students will be given research and preparation for Unit 2: composition and appraisal. Students in Year 11 will be given research and preparation for Unit 4 (composition) in term one In term two students will be given practical independent learning covering all outstanding coursework In term three, students will be given revision for Unit 1 (exam)	Weekly
GCSE PE	Students will be set one piece of independent learning linked to the topic they are studying. It will usually take the form of an extended answer to a past exam question.	Weekly
RS	Students will be set an exam style question to complete at home.	Fortnightly
Science	Students will set one piece of independent learning every two weeks linked to the topic they are studying. It will take the form of a research project, longer style exam question or consolidation questions.	Fortnightly
Vocational	Students will be set research tasks and case studies to complete.	Fortnightly