**Remote Learning from January 2021**

**Provision at Pudsey Grangefield School**

### How will my child be taught remotely?

### We use Google Classroom and Google-meet in order to provide live teaching across Key Stages 3 to 5. All lessons will go ahead as normal with the exception of PSHE where work will be set online and Core PE. Collapsing these lessons helps us to make staff available to supervise the students of key workers in school.

Every lesson, Class Charts will be used to record and inform parents of attendance at live lessons. Every lesson in Year 11 to 13 and at least once a week in Year 7 to 10, teachers will check submissions in the classrooms and use Class Charts to award positive engagement or let parents know when the required work has not been completed.

We will continue to mark and return work. It is important to recognise that feedback can take many forms and may not always mean extensive written comments for individual children. For example, whole-class feedback or quizzes marked automatically via digital platforms are also valid and effective methods, amongst many others. Teachers will mark and assess key pieces of work over Google Classroom according to our Marking and Feedback Policy 2020-2021 - <http://www.pudseygrangefield.co.uk/about-our-school/policiesforms/>.

The Year Team will use Class Charts data in order to make supportive calls to parents and encourage families to make the most of the opportunities provided by live teaching.

### How long can I expect work set by the school to take my child each day?

### Lessons run to the following timetable:

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| **Period 1** | 8.50am – 9.50am |
| **Period 2** | 9.50am – 10.50am |
| **Period 3** | 11.10am – 12.10pm |
| **Period 4** | 12.10pm – 1.05pm |
| **Period 5** | 1.40pm – 2.40pm |

In Year 12 and 13, homework will be set as normal. Revision work will be set in Year 11. In Years 7 to 10, students may be asked to complete lesson tasks but formal homework will not be set in order to allow students to have a much-needed break from screen time.

## Accessing remote education

## At present, the school has been able to provide 183 Chromebooks to the school community to help ensure that all students can access live lessons. We are also able to provide internet access where this may present a barrier to learning.

Should parents or carers require any further support, they should contact school reception at contactus@pudseygrangefield.co.uk who will put them in touch with the relevant Year Team.

Our website offers a range of advice on how to support students in working remotely.

<http://www.pudseygrangefield.co.uk/for-parents-carers/working-from-home/>

## Additional support for pupils with particular needs

## We recognise that some pupils, for example some pupils with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND), may not be able to access remote education without support from adults at home. We acknowledge the difficulties this may place on families, and we will work with parents and carers to support those pupils. We have already made special provision for a number of our students who are now able to access online teaching and learning. Please contact the school reception at contactus@pudseygrangefield.co.uk if you feel that your son/daughter requires further support and we will ask a member of our team to contact you.

**Pastoral Support**

Our Pastoral Teams continue to work hard to support students across all year groups. Please get in touch and we’ll do whatever we can to help through this challenging period.

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