14th May 2021

Dear Year 11 Student

Re: Year 11 Blended Learning Arrangements from Monday 17th May

Firstly, we would like to offer our thanks to for remaining positive, preparing yourselves for your next steps and working hard to achieve your very best in the recent Reviews of Learning despite the obstacles you have faced.

Further to our letter of Friday 30th April, we write to confirm arrangements for the next two phases of Year 11 provision after the suspension of normal timetables from Friday 14th May.

Phase 1 - From **Monday 17th May** in lieu of regular lessons, we have produced a number of resources and a range of activities (<u>linked here</u> via our school website) that you should engage in to prepare yourselves for your next steps and in some cases support you in obtaining your chosen route.

For students moving into Sixth Form the GCSE Pod resources along with **Bridging Units** will form a vital part of your induction to Sixth Form and will prepare you well for studying at KS5. You can logon to GCSE Pod by clicking on the 'Sign in with Office 365 button' then selecting any of the subjects you have chosen to study in the Sixth Form and then going to the 'Get Ready for KS5' pods.

For students entering the workplace, an apprenticeship or pursuing others routes such as college, we would signpost The Skills Toolkit and in particular the **Pixl Courses** which are as series of 22 narrated learning opportunities ranging from the development of skills such as Motivation and Organisation for the workplace, to Engineering and Entrepreneurship. You will also find a range of links to other useful areas from UCAS, Future Learn and the Open University to name a few.

Whilst not all of the activities provided will be appropriate for you we expect you to pick and choose the activities that are most appropriate to for your next steps.

We will expect you to undertake the first phase of this provision remotely, working from home, but will also provide a bookable supervised area of the school for you to undertake this work independently should you wish to do this. Spaces will be limited and should be booked 24 hours in advance with Mrs Frampton (Attendance Officer) via the following e-mail address <u>attendance@hayes.bromley.sch.uk</u> You will need to report to the Sixth Form Silent Study area in normal uniform to register. Students accessing this provision will be expected to remain on-site throughout the school day; you should otherwise not come onto school site during this time unless specifically invited to do so by a member of staff.





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Phase 2 - After half term, and from **Monday 14th June** we will be running a two week programme of in school, face to face sessions focusing on 'Taster Lessons' and 'Study Skills' for Sixth Form along with practical support and guidance for those of you who have not yet confirmed onward routes or are moving onto other destinations. A full programme of events will be published in due course along with guidance on how to book onto each of these sessions.

Your tutor will continue to be in contact with you via your school email address and will continue to provide ongoing support on a range of issues should you need it.

We look forward to working with you over the coming weeks as you engage in the range of activities on offer, both on line and face to face, and look forward to joining you at your celebration event planned for the afternoon of Thursday 24th June.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Moulton-Brady Year 11 Achievement Co-ordinator

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