**Remote Learning Update**

**Purpose**

The intended outcome for remote learning is to ensure that all pupils are able to access our curriculum whilst learning whilst not being on-site at school. This will ensure that no pupil is negatively affected by the consequences of remote education.

For effective home learning to occur, our remote learning expectations mirror those of our in-school expectations for both staff and pupils. To support the delivery of effective teaching and learning though, there are a set of additional protocols that all participants should adhere to. As well as our school behaviour policy, please see below:

**Protocols for remote learning**

**All pupils will:**

* Access Google Classroom daily.
* Follow their normal timetable, where possible, in order to provide structure to the day via pre-recorded lessons and live sessions.
* Turn off their microphones when in a live lesson.
* Turn off their cameras when in a live lesson.
* Use the chat function to ask relevant and appropriate learning questions.
* Agree to follow all typical school rules on appropriate conduct and behaviour.
* Understand that any poor behaviour may mean that they are removed from live sessions.
* Not share Google Meet codes with anyone else.
* Be suitable dressed for live sessions.
* Complete all work set to the best of their ability and submit work when required.
* Use their first name and surname when joining a teacher’s online classroom.

**Parents will:**

* Encourage and support their child's/children's work - including: finding an appropriate place to work, checking that set work is completed by the end of each day and ensuring that the normal school timetable for the day is followed, where possible.
* Ensure a device and internet connection is available for their child to participate. If support is required, please contact school via [office@deantrustrosebridge.co.uk](mailto:office@deantrustrosebridge.co.uk) and we may be able to assist.
* Contact the form tutor/Head of Year if there are any concerns.
* Help and support the school to address any poor choices that may be made by your child when remote learning.

**Available tools for home learning**

* Google Classroom (<https://classroom.google.com/>).
* Google Meet
* Screencastify
* GCSE Pod
* MathsWatch
* Oak Academy
* BBC

**Safeguarding**

This guidance document is supported by the safeguarding policy in place at Dean Trust Rose Bridge. In addition, the usage of video teaching is governed by the acceptable use ICT policy for all members of our community.

* Parents should not involve themselves in the live lesson. By bringing staff instruction into the home, the lessons can feel different. The same rules of communication apply as if this were a regularly taught lesson, meaning that the interaction in these lessons are between the teacher and the pupils alone.
* Learning should remain appropriate. One-to-one video sessions with students are not allowed as this opens staff up to a high level of potential risk. The minimum group size for a video session would therefore need to be 3 and pupils should not initiate conversation with staff.
* If a pupil has a safeguarding concern or worry, they can get in touch with their form tutor or the school office via [office@deantrustrosebridge.co.uk](mailto:office@deantrustrosebridge.co.uk). Alternatively, in an emergency, they can call the emergency services on 999, or for Childline call 08088005000.