## Whole Year group isolating

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The following guidance applies if a year group are not in school due to the number of students self-isolating. If the students are not in school due to staff shortage then independent work will be set.

## Remote education will be in place for the year group not in school.

- o Students will have live lessons via Microsoft Teams following their normal school timetable.
- All subjects will be taught via Teams with the exception of KS3 Dance and KS3/4 Core PE lessons. In these cases, a list of suggested activities will be sent home which students can participate in.
- o Tutor time will happen daily and will be a live 20 minute session via Teams.
- During the course of a normal school day, students would have transition time between lessons which
  also acts as a brain break. It is also important that this downtime is built into the timetable when
  students are engaged in online learning. Therefore, online lessons will be 45 minutes and will follow
  the following schedule:

Period		Lesson times
Tutor time		0830 - 0850
1		0900 – 0945
2		1000 – 1045
Break		1045 – 1115
3		1115 – 1200
4		1215 – 1300
Lunch		1300 – 1400
5		1400 – 1445
6	Sixth Form only	1500 – 1545

- Where there are double lessons, these will start at the scheduled start time and run for 90 minutes. For example, a double lesson P2 and P3 would start at 10:00 and run to 11:30. This would mean that the breaktime for these students would happen slightly later (11:30 12:15).
- o In the event of teachers being absent through illness or if self-isolation means that childcare for the teacher's own children prevents live lessons, teachers will set work for completion via Teams, which may contain an element of pre-recorded video teaching.