

THE CLEEVE PARK CALLER



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HOY Welcome– Ms Tangi



Welcome back– and what better way to contact you all than with a brand new fortnightly Newsletter!

It seems very strange to be welcoming you back to the summer term via an email. Usually it would be in the assembly hall where I would be moaning about uniform, footwear and make up - I hope you are wearing your blazers!?? I hope you are all well and had an enjoyable, if not unusual Easter.

As we all learn how to deal with the current situation, it is important that we do not let the opportunity to learn pass us by. Due to this, we have moved to a virtual way of working using SENACA (more to follow on page 2) it is very important that you stay focussed and motivated as this time next year, you will be sitting your GCSEs and we do not want you to forget the work completed this year.

Whilst we want you to remain focused, remember that learning is not just about doing the work that we set you. Read a book for pleasure, mow the lawns, make lunch for the family - all of these are valuable skills too, so take time to ensure you take you look after your wellbeing by doing the things you enjoy and find fun.

We will be sending you this newsletter every two weeks where I will be letting you know key information and other news, but should you have any other questions or need any additional help, please email me on tangik@cleevepark-tkat.org



In order to keep you motivated, we are setting you a learning challenge... over the next two weeks, the top 5 students who spend the most learning hours on Seneca will win an Amazon voucher.

If you are not sure what SENACA is or how to access it, please email me: tangik@cleevepark-tkat.org

BEHIND THE HEADLINES

BBC's education programmes launch

The BBC's new education service to help children keep learning through the lockdown will be launched today. A series of lessons will be made available over 14 weeks, featuring a host of celebrities including footballer Sergio Agüero, Danny Dyer, One Direction star Liam Payne, Sir David Attenborough and former shadow chancellor Ed Balls. The stars will be featured in 20-minute lessons tailored to each of the UK nations' curriculums across six age groups.

SCHOOL CLOSURES

Minister insists there is no date for schools reopening

Education Secretary Gavin Williamson has said he cannot give a date for when English schools will reopen, and there are "no plans" to open their doors over summer. There had been reports that schools could reopen on May 11. Mr Williamson said five "tests" must be met before education establishments could reopen including a fall in the daily death rate from coronavirus, reliable data showing the rate of infection was decreasing to "manageable levels", and being confident any adjustments would not risk a second peak.



We are pleased to announce that we have two new members of staff joining us at Cleeve Park:

Mr Liam Singh, who is a Physics specialist and joins us from Saint Martin's in the Field as our Head of Science, and Ms Shannon Boyle, our new Head of RS from Townley Grammar school.



ONLINE RESOURCES

Century Tech—English, maths and science resources for primary and secondary students.—
<https://www.century.tech/explore-century/parents/>

Twig and TigTag Education—Free resources for students aged 4-16.—
<https://www.go.twigeducation.com/covid19-global>

BBC Bitesize—Lots of free resources here with videos and quizzes, too.—
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>



Well done to the following students who have signed up to the most Seneca classes. You will be issued your prize when we return to school :

- 1) Connie Ashman
- 2) Alfie Boyle
- 3) Molly Lewis Kelly
- 4) Vasanth Subramanian



Last week, Public Health England launched their new campaign focusing on mental health advice on their [Every Mind Matters platform](#) to support people's mental health and wellbeing, particularly through this period of lockdown.

There are very useful resources for parents and students to access at home:

<https://www.nhs.uk/oneyou/every-mind-matters/>

We know that being physically well is one thing, being mentally well is another thing entirely. The main concern which comes to mind, regarding mental wellbeing at the moment is online safety

As children and young people will be spending more time online due to the lockdown, the risks increase significantly. The National Crime Agency is already reporting increased offending and the National Cyber Security Centre is reporting significantly increased scams and other criminal activity.

So, here are some top tips for staying safe online:

10 INTERNET SAFETY TIPS FOR PARENTS

1 Don't block all access to technology. Help your child learn to use tech **safely** and **positively**.

2 Take an **interest** in your child's favourite apps or sites. Co-view or co-create at times.

3 Be the parent. You're in charge. Set **boundaries** and consider using filtering software.

4 Create a family media **agreement** with tech free zones such as cars, bedrooms, and meals.

5 Teach your child what **personal information** they should not reveal online (YAPPY acronym).

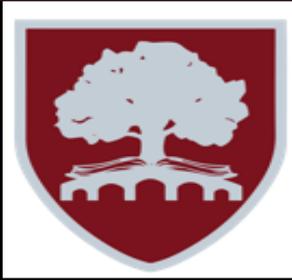
6 Help your child learn to **filter** information online and navigate fact from fiction.

7 Navigate digital **dilemmas** with your child. Avoid using devices as rewards or punishments.

8 **Balance** green time and screen time at home. Focus on basic developmental needs.

9 Don't support your child to sign up for sites with **age restrictions** (e.g. 13+) if they're underage.

10 **Learn more:** Explore reliable resources for parents so you can educate yourself.



SENECA

Learn better, faster, free.

REMEMBER: All your teachers are available to support and help you with your work– simply drop them an email!

Useful school email addresses:

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In year 10, the main learning platform that we are using to support you with your own learning is Seneca.

Many of you have signed up to Seneca already but there are still large numbers of you that have not. If you have not done so already - please sign up. It is a very simple process - go to www.senecalearning.com, select sign up and enter your details.

Make sure that you enter your school email address and choose Cleeve Park so that your teachers can see what has been completed. To join your class, select classes and assignments and join class, then key in the codes provided below:

There are a number of subjects who will still be setting work on Ruler. If you are completing work on ruler, please remember to email the work to your teacher.

All staff emails are on the school website. Your teachers and myself are here to help you, so if you need anything, please email.

| OPTION SUBJECTS | SENECA LINK |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Business Studies | pcr34lfu5n |
| Computer Science | loi7tl5zfe |
| 10A French | f9rw8a35rj |
| 10C French | csbevvd9y3 |
| Geography | sfjhqzv88x |
| History | 1ys701ot46 |
| PE | 59vojadq7a |
| 10C Product Design | t48460yb6o |
| 10a Product Design | 3ui2lsmb20 |
| Sports Science | bmu122ub5g |

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| Dance | Ruler |
| Drama | Ruler |
| Music | App - Focus on Sound |
| Hospitality and Catering | Ruler |
| Art | Ruler |
| Photography | Ruler |

| CORE SUBJECTS | SENECA LINK |
|---|-------------|
| English 10X1 | s4h5ykr4gi |
| English 10X2 | rmk0zjjz7e |
| English 10X3 | tbocz7uue4 |
| English 10Y1 | dv4lhhyujq |
| English 10Y2 | 41psmzjxrs |
| English 10Y3 | tn2chlbrxt |
| Math - Foundation Revision (X2, X3, Y2, Y3) | wzlchsbcbu |
| Math - Foundation Assessment (X2, X3, Y2, Y3) | t72w9yv4k |
| Math - Higher Revision (X1, Y1) | r9tagnt24 |
| Math - Higher Assessment (X1, Y1) | yjgkxyzbud |
| RS MCN | 0dmg6hx9cm |