



20 April 2020

Dear Year 11 students,

I hope you are all keeping busy and that you are not too disappointed about the circumstances we find ourselves in. This is a really difficult time and seeing this first hand with our current yr13 students really did bring this home to me. I know you must all be feeling exactly like they did but, now you have quite a bit of free time on your hands, I am sure you are all looking to put this to good use. We have therefore decided to set you your sixth form transition work now instead of after enrolment in the summer, which is what we would usually do. The purpose of setting this work is to help prepare you for the demands of A' level study both by becoming more independent in your learning and giving you a taster of what your subjects will look like next year. This will certainly help if you are still debating which subjects to take.

To help you structure your time and manage this work effectively, we will set transition tasks for each subject you wish to study. Your first task will go live on the sixth form section of our school website on **Friday 24th April**. Your parents will receive a text message with the password to access this work, once it is all uploaded. For the benefit of external students, we will write to you with further details of where to find this once the work, and how to access it, has been uploaded. We will also set you another task after the May half term. This gives you two chunks of work per subject for you to complete. We advise that you complete the tasks for the subjects you wish to take. Staff will then ask for them during your first week of sixth form and they will form part of your enrolment.

The latest indication from the government is that GCSE results will be released on Thursday 20th August 2020 as originally planned, and so we will operate enrolment as usual. Once you have collected your grades you will then be able to sign up to your A 'level / BTEC courses, providing you meet the entrance requirements stated in your offer letter. Please rest assured that we will look at special cases on an individual basis in the light of the unprecedented circumstances this summer. If you have any queries about your place then please do contact me at hjennings@lymmhigh.org.uk.

We look forward to you joining us once school opens, and I cannot wait for the sixth form areas to be bustling with the life you all bring to it.

Please do take care and do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any queries

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H Jennings'.

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