

Hayle Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers

Due to high levels of staff absence at this time, Hayle Academy will be partially open for the remainder of this week: to students in Years 11 and 7 only. I am very sorry that we have had to make this decision, and fully understand the difficulties this may cause for our families, however we cannot staff classes adequately with the current level of teacher absence.

Teachers will set work for their classes using Show My Homework. Work will be set in line with our students' timetables, in English, Maths, Science, Geography History and Spanish in Years 8 and 9 and in English, Maths, Science and option subjects in Year 10. Teachers will set work that will take around 45 minutes to complete and will provide clear instructions and ensure that work can be completed with the resources available to students. Should your child have any difficulties with the work set, then please email enquiries@hayleacademy.net and your child's teacher will provide further guidance and support.

All students in Years 7 and 11 who are not self isolating or unwell, should attend school as usual. I am anticipating at this stage that the disruption to schools will continue for some considerable time, so we would strongly encourage all students who are able to, to attend school as usual.

Please be assured that we will do all we can to minimise the impact on our students, to provide work, and to help them to continue to make progress in their learning. These will be challenging weeks ahead of us, and the support of our families is very much appreciated. Parents with questions can contact a member of our team through the enquiries@hayleacademy.net email or by phoning us on 01736 753009. We will keep parents full updated with any further developments over coming days and weeks.

Yours faithfully

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