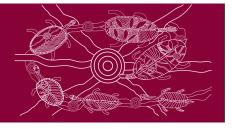


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Parent Information - Learning from Home

Our staff have been working hard to develop a suite of learning resources and options for students to undertake from home. The school has developed and will continue to develop resources to support student learning at home.

Whether your child is at school or at home, the aim is for all students to access appropriate learning material. At Hawkesbury High School, this means accessing learning activities and material on Google Classroom. In some cases, work can be mailed home.

Parents can support their children at home by:

- Establishing routines and expectations.
- Defining a space for your child to work in.
- Monitoring communications from teachers.
- Beginning and ending each day with a check-in.
- Taking an active role in helping your children process their learning.
- Encouraging physical activity and/or exercise.
- Checking in with your child regularly to help them manage stress.
- Monitoring how much time your child is spending online.
- Keeping your children social, but set rules around their social media interactions.

Additional information on Learning at Home and how to support your child can be found on https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-from-home/advice-to-parents-and-carers

The school has put in place the following protocols to support student learning from home:

- Teachers will regularly set work through Google Classroom.
- The expectation is that students will log on to Google Classroom each day and complete the work by the due date.
- Student learning activities will equate to the following, per week: Years 7-10 Courses – 3 hours each for English, Maths, Science, HSIE 2 hours each for Electives and PDHPE
- Students are expected to check their school email each day.
- Teachers will respond to student enquires in a timely manner.
- Feedback on submitted work will be provided on a weekly basis.
- Communication with students will be via Google Classroom or the Department (@education.nsw.gov.au) email account, in school hours.
- If students are unable to access Google Classroom, support will be available via email at <u>Hawkesbury-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au</u>

I encourage you to access the Learning at Home resource which provides practical advice to parents and carers on how to best create and support a productive learning environment in the home.

Marie

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