YSGOL CWM BROMBIL
FORGING FUTURES TOGETHER

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Below is a list of learning activities that the children can do at home. We have recently ensured that all departments have put subject specific material on the pupil sharepoint **Resources page**. This can be found at:

http://bit.ly/YCBSharepoint

In the event of a school closure, teachers will put subject specific tasks on the Classcharts homework app. Remember, parents can log on to check tasks set.

In addition, below is a set of guidelines and resources that will assist your children in maintain their learning progress whilst at home.

Learning:	What the pupils can do:	Further Information and Ideas:
Daily reading of their home reading books Years 7-9	All pupils have a library book. Pupils need to spend time reading at home either with an adult or alone. Reading should be completed twice daily for around 15- 20 minutes.	Following completion of each book, pupils should complete the quiz on Accelerated reader: http://bit.ly/YCBAccReader
Bedrock vocabulary Years 7-11	Pupils need to complete two sessions of Bedrock per week. Each session should take no longer than 15 minutes.	https://ysgolcwmbrombil.npted.org/bedrock.html
Years 7-8	This site has spelling activities based on sounds and vocabulary lists.	https://www.spellzone.com
Hegarty Maths	All pupils can access their accounts They should spend 30 – 60 minutes working through the appropriate tasks.	Here is the link to the Hegarty Maths page.: https://ysgolcwmbrombil.npted.org/hegarty.html
Other Maths Websites		www.wjec.co.uk/question-bank/question-search.html www.mathsdiy.com www.corbettmaths.com www.mathsbot.com www.jonesthesum.co.uk www.khanacademy.org www.mathsmadeeasy.co.uk

		www.onmaths.com www.mrbartonmaths.com www.mathsgenie.com www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize
Science	GCSE revision booklets are available on the resource sharepoint page. There is a spreadsheet in the resource sharepoint with excellent links to many science resources. BBC bitesize is an excellent online resource for all ages.	Here is the link to BBC Bitesize: http://bit.ly/YCBSharepoint https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize To reinforce learning: Free Science lessons channel on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqbOeHaAUXw9II7sBVG3_bw To test Physics understanding: https://gradegorilla.com/ - timed quizzes
Cymraeg	Resources are on the pupil sharepoint	http://bit.ly/YCBSharepoint
Art	A useful website	http://felt-tip-pen.com/art-teaching-resources-you-can-access-anywhere/
Computer Studies	Here are resources for pupils in various year groups:	**GCSE Computer Science:** https://www.w3schools.com/ https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/znywvk7 https://teams.microsoft.com/ https://cscircles.cemc.uwaterloo.ca/ https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rlid=595 https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rlid=2947

		https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rIid=2953
		GCSE ICT:
		https://teams.microsoft.com/
		https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zprwdmn
		KS3 Computer Studies:
		https://teams.microsoft.com/
		https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z8mtsbk
		https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zvc9q6f
		https://smallbasic-publicwebsite.azurewebsites.net/
Yr7	All Year 7 pupils have knowledge organisers. There are also a list of websites in these booklets to support further learning.	Here is a link to an electronic version of the booklet which can be downloaded and / or printed: https://ysgolcwmbrombil.npted.org/Knowledge.html

List of useful learning websites	These websites are ones that are recommended by subject teachers to enhance learning either in general or in subject specific areas.	Khan Academy https://www.khanacademy.org Especially good for maths and computing for all ages but other subjects at Secondary level. Note this uses the U.S. grade system but it's mostly common material. BBC Learning http://www.bbc.co.uk/learning/coursesearch/ This site is old and no longer updated and yet there's so much still available, from language learning to BBC Bitesize for revision. No TV licence required except for content on BBC iPlayer. Futurelearn https://www.futurelearn.com Free to access 100s of courses, only pay to upgrade if you need a certificate in your name (own account from age 14+ but younger learners can use a parent account). Seneca https://www.senecalearning.com For those revising at GCSE or A level. Tons of free revision content. Paid access to higher level material. Openlearn https://www.open.edu/openlearn/ Free taster courses aimed at those considering Open University but everyone can access it. Adult level, but some e.g. nature and environment courses could well be of interest to young people. Blockly https://blockly.games Learn computer programming skills - fun and free. Scratch https://scratch.mit.edu/explore/projects/games/ Creative computer programming Ted Ed https://ed.ted.com All sorts of engaging educational videos National Geographic Kids https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/ Activities and quizzes for younger kids.

			Duolingo https://www.duolingo.com Learn languages for free. Web or app.
			Mystery Science https://mysteryscience.com Free science lessons
			Crash Course https://thecrashcourse.com You Tube videos on many subjects
			Crest Awards https://www.crestawards.org Science awards you can complete from home.
			iDEA Awards https://idea.org.uk Digital enterprise award scheme you can complete online.
			British Council https://www.britishcouncil.org/school-resources/find Resources for English language learning
			Big History Project https://www.bighistoryproject.com/home Multi disciplinary activities.
			Geography Games https://world-geography-games.com/world.html Geography gaming!
			The Artful Parent https://www.facebook.com/artfulparent/ Good, free art activities
			DK Find Out https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/?fbclid=IwAR2wJdpSJSeITf4do6aPhff8A3tAktnmpaxqZbkgudD49l71ep8-sjXmrac Activities and quizzes