Year 8 Summer Tasks



Subject	Task
3D Design	Create a mind map of different Olympic medal designs over its history. (See google slides for breakdown of tasks)
	 Create a medal design for this year's Tokyo 2021 Olympics. You need to design both the front and back (See google slide for information)
Art	Title: The Sea project
	 Collect or take images of the sea for example the beach, shells & water.
	 Research the Artist Maggi Hamblin. Find out 10 interesting facts, collect or draw images of her work.
	Present your work in an interesting way either on paper or you can us ICT
Design &	• Research different types of textiles/fabrics. You could use the internet or look at clothes labels to see what the fabrics are and what they are
Technology	made from. Make a sample page with samples of fabric, the name of the fabric.
	 Collect samples of wood or find out about the different types of wood. Produce an A4 page of your research. What is the difference between deciduous and coniferous trees?
	Collect different styles of fonts. Produce an A4 page of the different styles with their names.
English	 Creative Writing - write a description or short story based on any of the following topics: stormy weather, lion-taming, lost in the desert, colourful food. Be sure to use vivid, sensory description and structure your response in a way that is interesting to your reader. Choose 5 things that you can touch from where you're sitting. Write a story using all 5 items.
	 If you were frozen in a block of ice for a million years – what would the world be like when you got out?
	 Design a poster or information leaflet for tourists to visit your home village or town.
	 Try to read as many books as you can, ideally one a week (6 in total) during the summer holiday. Write a short book review for each book you read and give it a star rating out of 5.
Food &	Cook a high protein dish
Nutrition	
French	Review vocabulary from the knowledge organisers from the Autumn, Spring and Summer terms.
	Complete the Quizlet sets for the autumn vocab, summer and spring.
	 Watch a film in French or listen to some French music (ask HFR if you'd like some ideas!)
	Try out some baking by using some French recipes (ask HFR for more info!)
Geography	 watch the episode 3 from Ade in Africa - it is about development in Africa - what success is Africa having and problems/challenges does Africa still face?
	 https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m0002p4d/africa-with-ade-adepitan-series-1-episode-3
German	Review vocab from each unit that you have stuck into your class books
	Revise vocab on memorise
	 Practise some German cooking and translating a recipe (linked to food unit in textbook)
Mathematics	 Please login to Mathswatch. If you have forgotten your password please contact Ohare@tgschool.net

	Complete the targeted task questions allocated to you.
Music	Ask your parent or guardian what their favourite album of all time is. LISTEN to the album. Now input the name of the band
Wasie	into https://www.music-map.com/ and listen to another band from what comes up. Did you like what you heard? Can you now recommend
	this to your parents or guardian
	• Listen to a piece of classical music and use this as inspiration for another creative activity. You could write a poem, go for a walk, draw a
	picture.
	Watch this video of a drummer using junk to create his instrument. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TViLxRIUBDM Can you create
	something like this of your own? Video it and share it with your friends.
	Choose one of your favourite songs and then search for the same song but performed by someone else. (BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge is good)
	for this) How different are they? Do you prefer the new version? Why not look at other songs performed by the new artist.
Physical	Target Challenge: Use a rolled up pair of socks and throw them in a bucket/bowl/bin
Education	Easier: Start from 1m away <u>Harder:</u> Take a step back every time you get them in.
	Circuit Challenge: Complete the following exercises:
	• 10 press ups / 20 squats / 10 sit ups / 10 burpees / 30 seconds plank - Repeat 3 times.
	Easier: Start with fewer of each. <u>Harder:</u> increase amount or number of times you repeat
	Dance Challenge: Learn a dance routine!
	Choose a dance you like, or find a tutorial on youtube, watch and practice, practice!
	Steps Challenge: Try to complete at least 10000 steps a day for a week.
	Easier: Reduce the number of steps. <u>Harder:</u> Increase the number of steps
	Running Challenge: Complete a 5km run.
	• <u>Easier:</u> Start with a 1km run and build up by 200m <u>Harder:</u> Time the run and try to improve your time;
Religion,	Read 'I am Malala' Malala Yousefzai or watch 'He named me Malala' (PG)
Philosophy &	Read 'The complete Philosophy Files' Stephen Law
Ethics	BBC ethical questions : https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkdk382 Read / watch and write your own answer to each ethical question
Science	One of the first topics you will learn about next year is: Cell Biology
	 Go to the KS4 Science section of BBC Bitesize (<u>Cell biology - GCSE Combined Science Revision - AQA Trilogy - BBC Bitesize</u>)
	Revise the three sections on Cell Structure, Cell Division & Transport in Cells
	Watch the videos #1-9 on the Cognito youtube channel (54) GCSE Biology (9-1) - YouTube
Spanish	(JKe) Go to your Y8 Google Classroom to find a range of ideas and resources, including login details and usernames etc.
	• (LHu) Watch one or more of the stories from this selection. Use this link: https://www.youtubekids.com/search?q=toycantando+cuentos.
	Write a list of vocabulary in English and Spanish with key words and phrases from the story.
	• (LHu) Complete any Quizlet sets that you haven't finished yet. Follow this link to your class: https://quizlet.com/class/15610425/
	• (LHu) Try a Hispanic dance, food, drink, or watch a TV series or film (use subtitles) and write a review in English (add pictures and some
	phrases in Spanish too).
Wellbeing	Switch off all social media 30mins prior to going to bed.

For all
students
during your
time away
from school.
Try these
daily routines

- Eat something for breakfast within half an hour of waking up even if just tea & a biscuit.
- Take a half hour walk everyday walk a neighbours dog for example.
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