

Year 9 Independent and Personal Learning Schedule – October to December 2011

DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

There will be an Independent Learning Assignment this half-term.

This is an extended project. Pupils will be given instructions to assist them to complete the project. Key dates as follows:

- **To be set: week beginning 4 November 2011**
- **Deadline for pupils to submit assignment: 5 December 2011 - A half
10 December - B half**
- **Feedback will be given: week beginning 9 January 2011**

Contact for Technology: Mrs East – c-east@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

ENGLISH

Pupils will complete Controlled Assessments as follows:

- **Pen Portrait week beginning 7 November 2011**
- **Non-Fiction & Media week beginning 5 December 2011**
- **Prose week beginning 23 January 2012**

In preparation for Controlled Assessments we would expect students to be drafting work as well as working on other homework set.

Contact for English: Mrs Williams - k-williams@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

MATHS

Homework will be set once per week.

Contact for Maths: Mr Liddle – j-liddle@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

SCIENCE

The Science Independent Learning Project will be set next term. Individual homework may be set depending on topic and class.

Contact for Science: Mr Swinnerton – r-swinnerton@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

HISTORY

Pupils will receive personal learning once a fortnight. The tasks will consist of research work, reading and comprehension or source skills practice.

Contact for History – j-hill@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

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HUMANITIES

Pupils will complete a project. Students will work on this project throughout the half-term.

Contact for Humanities – n-bott@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

GEOGRAPHY

Students will complete an Independent Learning Assignment next term. Homework may be given as required by the unit of teaching.

Contact for Geography – r-swinnerton@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

LANGUAGES

Homework will be set weekly. Homework will include learning, comprehension, research, preparation, writing or creative activities.

Contact for MFL – Mrs Sturgess – e-sturgess@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

ICT

No personal learning will be set in Year 9 as pupils will follow the DIDA course.

Contact for ICT – Mr McKenzie – c-mckenzie@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

No personal learning is set in Year 9 although students are strongly encouraged to participate in 20 minutes of physical activity a day as a minimum expectation.

Contact for PE – Mr Greenwood – a-greenwood@wolgarston.staffs.sch.uk