



Tiverton High School

Weekly Student Bulletin

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Covid 19 Update

It is so important that we follow the instruction from the government:

Everyone must stay at home to help stop the spread of coronavirus.

There are very few reasons anyone should leave the house at the moment. To get necessities like food and medicine, for one form of exercise per day, to help a vulnerable person, or to go to work if absolutely required.

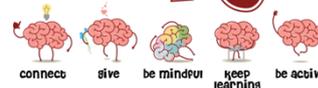
Stay Home, Support the NHS, Save Lives.

Unfortunately, we are not in a position to say when schools will re-open, we will work on the advice and guidance from the government and keep you informed of any updates.

During this time, please keep going with your studies, check the website and stay safe at home.



Well-being



Healthy habits are things that keep you physical, mentally and emotionally healthy. Cooking good food and exercising each day are just some of the things that can help you maintain physical and mental health. But things like limiting screen time, getting good sleep and showering each day are also things that can help maintain your overall fitness.

Don't forget your Tiverton Take 5. This week pick 2-3 healthy habits which you are going to stick to for the next 7 days. Maybe try drinking 2 litres of water every day or have you tried Joe Wicks or other daily workouts?



Exam grading update

How will my exam grades be awarded this summer?



Your teachers will give the exam board a **centre assessed grade** – the grade we think you would have got in the summer.

It will be based on classwork, homework, PPEs and any coursework you have done.

The government have asked us not to ask you to do any more assessments or coursework.

Your teachers will also have to **rank** the students for each grade. E.g. Who is most likely to get Grade 5? Who is least likely to get Grade 5?



We are not allowed to share this information with you.



The exam boards will use this information to award you a grade.

They will also look at how well you did in your last exams (SATs).

They may change the grade that we give to them.

What happens then?



You will get your results in the summer. We hope that this will be earlier than the normal results day, but we don't know yet.



You will be able to use your results to go to college in the normal way. They will be treated exactly the same as regular exam results by everybody.



If you are unhappy with your results, you will be able to appeal. We don't know any details yet.

Or, you will be able to sit exams for real in the autumn. We don't know the dates yet.

You have brains in your head
You have feet in your shoes
You can steer yourself in any
direction you choose.



**Respectable, Co-operative, Fair,
Resilience, Confidence, A Voice.**