Remote Learning at HGS

The Essential 3

- 1) Avoid the risks of too much teacher talk. Give students enough 'silent time' in a lesson to concentrate on and complete the task.
- 2) Limit the amount of new knowledge each lesson. If the pace of a lesson feels a bit slow to you as an expert then it is probably just right for students as novice learners.
- 3) Knowing what to expect in a lesson is reassuring for students. At the start, make clear what they will be doing and what you will be looking for.

Live Lesson Components



Meet and greet

Warmly welcome students as they enter the digital classroom. Use positive framing and reassurance.



Review and retrieval

Review prior learning to help activate and secure key knowledge. Address gaps and misconceptions.



Present

Present new knowledge in small steps. Share lesson goals. Connect to the big picture. Teach key vocabulary.



Model and scaffold

Share success criteria and use worked examples. Use scaffolding for difficult tasks.



Practice

From guided to independent practice. Opportunity for 'Silent time'. Check for understanding.



Assess and feedback

Talk through model answers. Student self-assessment. Time for green pen improvement. Highlight key learning.

Students with SEND will be supported as usual through the application of 'reasonable adjustments' within remote lessons

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Getting the most from Microsoft Teams

Click the links to access the 'How To' Guides

- Setting up meetings and managing settings on the iPad Also Set meetings to repeat every 2 weeks
- Disabling the chat function for a class on Teams
 through web version this only activates when
 you set up meetings using the 'Share to Channel'
 function on the iPad or 'Add Channel' on the
 web.
- 3. <u>Downloading attendance details from a Meeting</u> on the web version
- 4. Checking attendance and length of time in meetings through INSIGHT this will only work if you have set meetings using the 'Share to Channel' function on the iPad app or 'Add Channel' on the web.
- 5. <u>Setting whole class questions/poll within Teams</u> on the iPad
- Sharing a Whiteboard to Collaborate with <u>Students</u> – This requires use of the web version to activate
- 7. <u>Using the New Breakout rooms</u> this requires the Teams app on the PC to set up



Live Lessons in Practice	
How can I easily connect with each student at the start of a lesson?	Take a register orally allowing you to check that everyone can be heard.
How can I get my students on task quickly when they may join at slightly different times?	Share a 'starter slide' which includes a welcoming statement from you and clear instructions about a starter task. This makes for a calm, purposeful start to a lesson.
What strategies can I use to review prior learning?	 Five recap questions on a slide as a starter task which could also be uploaded to Showbie for easy checking. A Socrative Quiz set up in Showbie. A recall/retrieval task set in Classkick or a teacher led task in whiteboard.fi.
How can I ensure that student questions aren't missed?	• Tell students how you would like them to communicate with you at each stage of the lesson. This may vary depending on the activity. For example, hands-up can be used in Teams or Classkick and the chat or a comment in Showbie can be used during silent time.
How can I help students to access written text in a lesson?	Share the text on your screen and read through with the class. Underline and annotate key words as you go.
How can I ensure students know what to do?	• After giving your instructions ask a couple of students to repeat back to you what the task is, how long it is and what you are looking for. Clarify a second time and remind students where helpful resources and scaffolds can be found.
How can I see student work during independent tasks?	 Classkick allows you to see students work in real time. In Showbie direct students to press 'done' to submit work as they progress rather than wait to the end.
How can I quickly gauge student thinking or understanding?	 Add a Forms survey into the chat in Teams, get students to add an answer in the chat or 'like' an option from those you have provided, after a 3-2-1 countdown, so they aren't influenced by others. Use a Socrative quiz in Showbie or equivalent.

Live Lessons and Wellbeing

- Plan screen break reminders into lessons. Every 20 minutes remind students to look up and out.
- Alternate screen-based work with work on paper or in exercise books where possible.
- Finish Period 1, 3 and 5 lessons 5 minutes early and encourage students to stand-up, stretch, get a drink of water, walk about etc.
- Remind students to charge their iPads at the end of period 4, over lunch.
- At the end of the day, encourage students to take some exercise and to take a break. Recommend the PE department's resources. Share how you are managing (intending) to do this.

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