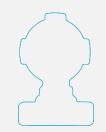


Ysgol Gyfun Gymraeg Llangynwyd KS5 Parent/learner guide

What happens if pupils need to self-isolate?





What happens if a bubble group has to self-isolate?

This guide will explain the following:

What is meant by self-isolation?

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Check In sessions





What is meant by self-isolation?

If a learner has to self-isolate, Public Health Wales state that they must stay at home for a specified period of time.

There are only 4 reasons why a learner will have to self-isolate (duration in red):

Reason 1: They are awaiting COVID test results (2 / 3 days)

Reason 2: They have tested positive for COVID (10 days)

Reason 3: They have been in close contact with a person who has tested positive (14 days)

Reason 4: A member of their bubble group has tested positive (14 days)



How will I learn whilst self-isolating at home?



Reason 1: Learner is awaiting COVID test results (2 / 3 days)

Carry on with homework tasks as normal.

Reason 2: Learner has tested positive for COVID (10 days)

Subject activities and resources will be posted on Google Classroom. Subject teachers will direct learners to the tasks. As a guide, learners should try to follow their normal timetable to help organise their time at home.

Reason 3: Learner has been in close contact with a person who has tested positive (14 days)

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Reason 4: A member of their bubble group has tested positive (14 days)

Learners will switch to their Home Learning Timetable





Home Learning Timetable

What is it?

As the majority of lesson in KS5 are extended over two teaching periods, unlike KS3 &4, learners in KS5 will follow their usual timetable during the home learning period. During this time there will be 3 types of lesson format

Webinar

Live Session

Self Study



Home Learning Timetable



What is a Webinar?

A Webinar is a recorded session where the teacher will present information and set tasks for the learners to undertake. As these are recorded sessions, the learners can pause them to take notes and to answer any questions set. If necessary, learners will also be able to watch the webinar more than once to further aid their understanding. Teachers will direct learners to these lessons on Google Classroom/Microsoft Teams.

What is a Live Session?

When possible teachers will arrange live lessons where learners will be asked to join through Microsoft Teams / Google Classrooms. The teacher will host the lesson and lead students through the work as well as offer an opportunity for discussion.

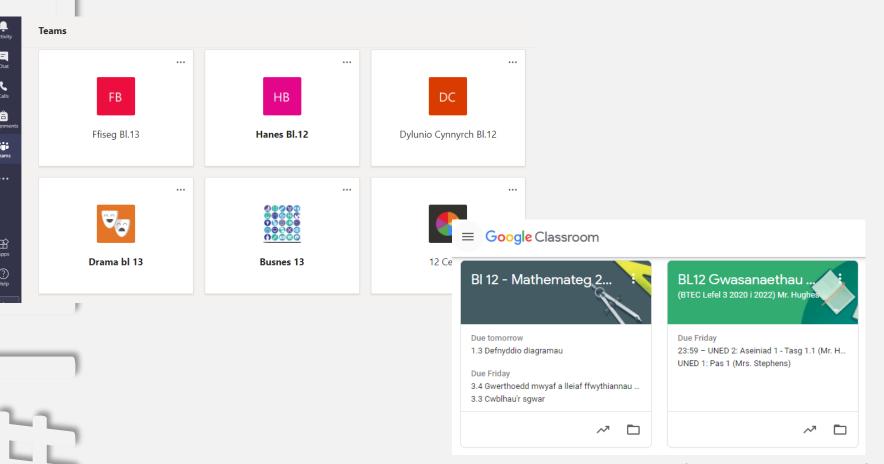
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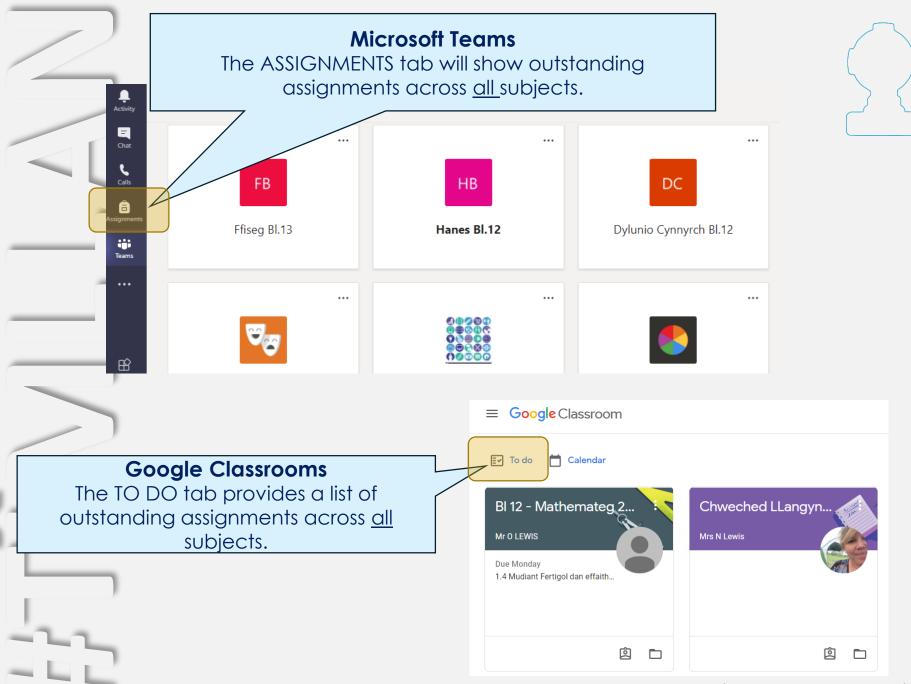
Self study is when learners work on any tasks that have been set by teachers during the webinar or following the Check In session.

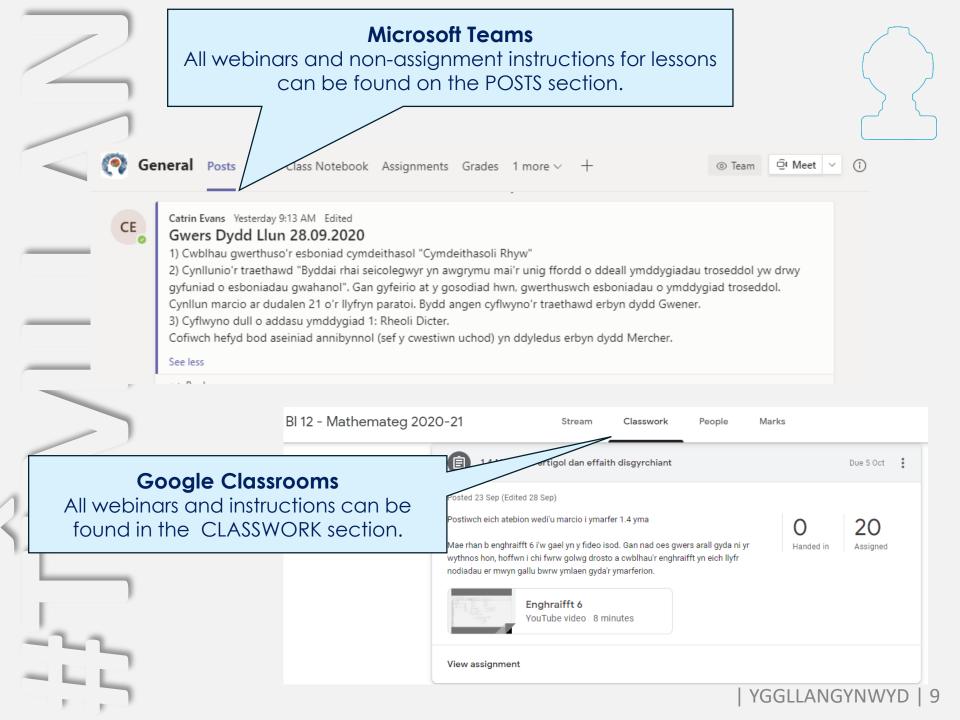
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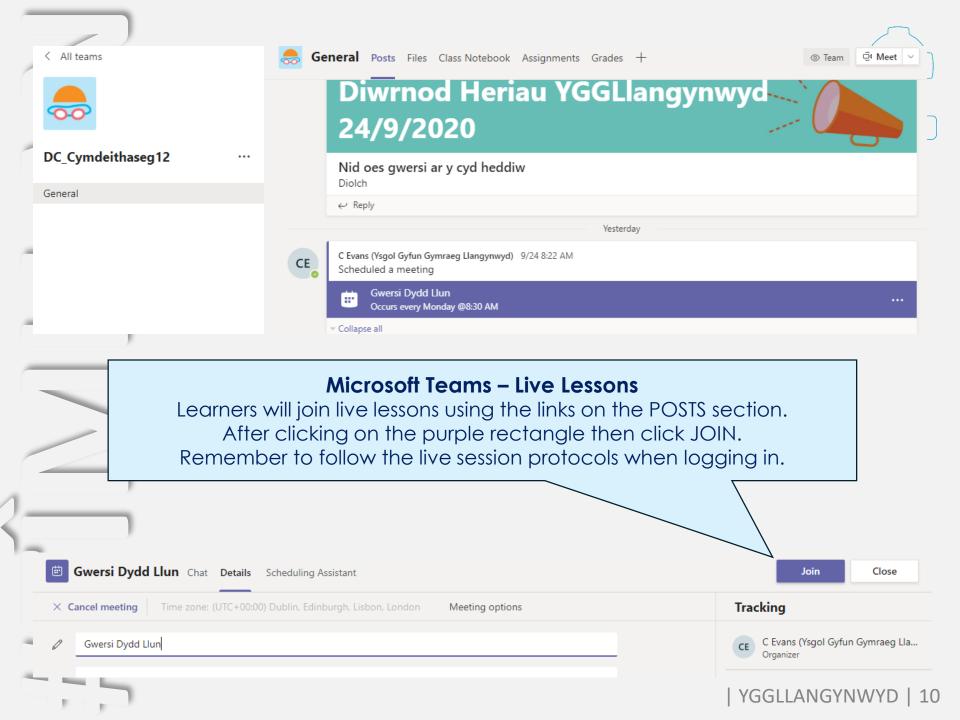


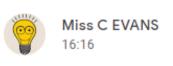
By logging in to Microsoft Teams / Google Classroom learners will see their subject classes.











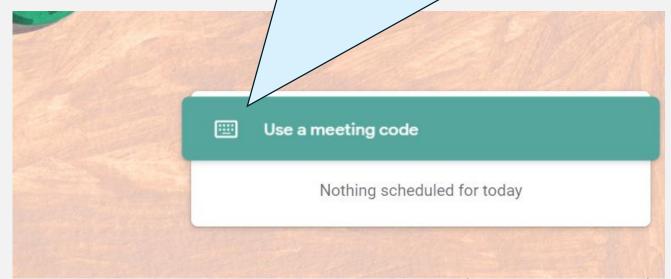
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Google Classrooms – Live Lessons

The teacher will share the Lesson code with the class on the STREAM and then the learners will be asked to use this code in Google Meets to join.

Remember to follow the live lesson protocols when logging in.







Home Learning Timetable

How will it work?

The Home Learning Timetable will begin 24 hours after a year group has to begin to self-isolate.

This means that if a year group begins self-isolation on a Tuesday, the timetable will begin on Thursday of the same week.



Live Session Protocols

Learners should attend all sessions, making sure they are ready to log in on time for the sessions. A Class Code for the session will be shared on the subject Classrooms. If for some reason a learner is unable to make the session, they should contact their teacher through the Private Comments section to let them know. A register will be taken for each session.

Whilst learners do not have to wear school uniform to the session, they should be properly dressed in appropriate clothing. They should treat it like a non-uniform day in school.

Expectations of behaviour are exactly the same as in the school classroom. Poor behaviour could lead to a learner being removed from the session.

Learners should ensure they are in a suitable location with an appropriate background for a school situation. If they could work in a communal area in the home, for example the living room/dining room, then they should do so.

Learners should be prepared for every session, ensuring that they have all necessary books, notes, resources and materials to hand. Learners should also make sure that they have sufficient battery charge, power leads, etc.

Learners should always join the session with their camera turned off and the microphone muted.

Once attendance has been recorded the teacher will explain how the session will run. Learners will be asked to contribute to the session in different ways depending on the content of the session. A learner might need to turn their microphone on / off during the session.

These sessions are prepared for specific learners and should not be shared or viewed by anyone else beyond the designated year group of Ysgol Gyfun Gymraeg Llangynwyd.

In line with Welsh Government guidance, all sessions will be recorded.