



Sandringham School

'Everybody can be Somebody'

Bridging work for year 13

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Subject	Activity 1/Link/Description	Activity 2/Link/Description	Activity 3/Link/Description
Art	<p>To further develop knowledge and understanding of contexts listen to podcasts from The Royal Academy Website. Select ones that relate to your personal area of interest:</p> <p>https://www.royalacademy.org.uk/articles/tag/podcasts</p>	<p>Watch Exhibition on Screen free streaming opportunities:https://exhibitiononscreen.com/. Learn about keys artists and make studies from their work.Spend time visiting The National Gallery online and complete a virtual tour: https://www.nationalgallery.org.uk/visiting/virtual-tours</p>	<p>Sign up to Future Creatives online and participate in their free online classes: https://www.arts.ac.uk/subjects/fine-art/short-courses/teenagers/future-creatives-online-11-to-17-year-olds</p>
Biology	<p>Complete one or more OpenLearn courses. These are free courses from the Open University which you complete at your own pace, working towards a certificate of participation. Most range from around 4-24 hours of study, and have a whole host of topics from Animals at the extremes, to Forensic science and fingerprints, to Gene therapy. Check both the Nature and Environment and Science, Maths and Technology sections for a full range of courses.</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses/full-catalogue</p>	<p>Watch TED talks linked to Biology. These are short powerful talks of 18 minutes or less that cover a whole range of biologically current topics, from "A new type of medicine, custom-made with tiny proteins", "Grief and love in the animal kingdom" to "The fascinating world of phantom limbs". This link takes you to the science section: https://www.ted.com/talks?sort=newest&topics%5B%5D=Science.</p>	<p>Listen to podcasts: The Infinite Monkey Cage (https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b00snr0w/episodes/downloads); The Life Scientific (https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b015sqc7); 60-Second Science (https://www.scientificamerican.com/podcast/60-second-science/). Create a twitter account and follow relevant Biology organisations e.g. Royal Society of Biology, New Scientist, Nature, BBC Science News etc. Use New Scientist or Biological Science Review to research an area of Biology not covered by the specification.</p>

Business Studies	<p>The open university has a range of online courses ranging from 6 hours to 20+ hours. They are free to access. Select activities/ courses linked to Business and Money (for example there is a course on leadership) or Society, Politics and Law has economics based courses (the labour markets and discrimination topic looks interesting)</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses/full-catalogue</p>	<p>Future learn runs a range of Business based courses, which may be of interest</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses?filter_category=8&filter_course_type=open&filter_availability=started&all_courses=1</p>	<p>Watch some Films (MoneyBall, Big Short; I Daniel Blake) or TV (Dirty Money on Netflix, Dragon’s Den on BBC; Inside the Factory on BBC)with a Business theme. Read some Business Books, about real businesses. Here are links to some good books. Pick one and read it.</p> <p>https://www.businessinsider.com/influentia-business-books?r=US&IR=I</p> <p>https://www.independent.co.uk/extras/indybest/books/non-fiction-books/best-books-for-entrepreneurs-2018-beginners-all-time-a8277266.html</p>
Chemistry	<p>University of York has a pre-university page with links to videos and topics that first year students have found difficult in the past and the textbook that they recommend for their course. It is all free.</p> <p>https://www.york.ac.uk/chemistry/undergraduate/newstarters/step-up/</p>	<p>The open university has a range of online courses ranging from 6 hours to 20+ hours. They are free to access. Select activities/ courses linked to Science, Maths and Technology</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/science-maths-technology/free-courses/?filter=date/grid/668/all/all/all/</p> <p>. For example birth of a drug is a level 3 course with 4 hours, or maybe the science of alcohol which is a level 1 course and has 24 hours.</p>	<p>Harvard University has an introductory online course Principles of Biochemistry. Principles of Biochemistry integrates an introduction to the structure of macromolecules and a biochemical approach to cellular function. It is 15 weeks long with 4-6 hours of self study. It is free.</p> <p>https://online-learning.harvard.edu/catalog?keywords=Chemistry&op=Search</p>

Computer Science	<p>Harvard University CS50 : Introduction to Computer Science. This gives a real flavour of what undergraduate study in Computer Science will look like, from one of the world's most prestigious universities. It includes algorithmic thinking and also practical programming in C, PHP, Javascript.</p> <p>https://online-learning.harvard.edu/course/cs50-introduction-computer-science</p>	<p>Java is the most common teaching language used at universities/colleges. It is similar to C# that you have already studied. Getting some practical experience will greatly help with further study. A starting point would be https://www.w3schools.com/java/ and then build a mobile game with University of Reading on FutureLearn (https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/begin-programming) or choose a course on EdX (https://www.edx.org/learn/java)</p>	<p>Access the Super Curriculum reading list.</p> <p>https://www.sandringham.herts.sc.h.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/Computer-Science-SC-Booklet.pdf.</p> <p>"Algorithms to Live By: The Computer Science of Human Decisions by Brian Christian and Tom Griffiths (2017) is a fascinating look at the overlaps between algorithms and human psychology.</p>
Dance	<p>Join one of the dance club live classes each week and carry out the variety of activities on the 'Dance At Home' google classroom. Code = oghnl4n OR utilise opportunities offered online by various dance Universities, companies and theatres.</p>	<p>Investigate some of the fantastic Dance podcasts available to you. https://podcasts.ox.ac.uk/keywords/dance. DanceWell Podcast. Ballet and Dance Podcast (the wonderful world of dance.com) Check out TED talks, with a variety of dance and dance science discussions.</p>	<p>Access the Dance Super Curriculum reading list</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/152pTUB602Xf3-bsGs7iDAnS1BfguS-OZDgYsfPl4mQU/edit?usp=sharing OR Read up on the recommended reads directly from your University or Dance school. Take a look at the books -> DANCE IMAGERY FOR TECHNIQUE AND PERFORMANCE. Franklin, Eric. SAFE DANCE PRACTICE. Quin, Edel; Rafferty, Sonia; Tomlinson, Charlotte</p>

<p>Drama and Theatre Studies</p>	<p>Use the Frantic Assembly digital resources to find out more about the production process. Each week they have posted new material. Use the challenges to learn more about working as a Theatre Company. Productions that have been covered so far consist of 'Beautiful Burnout' and 'Lovesong'. They have made plans to cover most of their plays, with new content added on the website and social media each week https://www.franticassembly.co.uk/frantic-digital</p>	<p>Use our subscription to the National Theatre collection to watch as many varied plays as you can. Write theatre reviews or analyse from a production designer to understand the process behind creating these pieces of theatre. https://www.dramaonlinelibrary.com/series/national-theatre-collection-iid-190464 Username: 4Ks&1Gr& Password: 1Tf&1Tm-</p>	<p>Read up on the recommended reads directly from your University or Drama school of choice. The more varied plays you can read, the better. This will stand you in good stead to prepare for most drama degrees. Try: Alfreds, M. (2013) Then What Happens? Storytelling and Adapting for Theatre, Nick Hern Books: London. Schechner, R. (2005) Performance Studies: An introduction, 3rd edition, Routledge, New York</p>
<p>Economics</p>	<p>Use the Khan Academy resources to revise the A-level course in preparation for university. The Kahn Academy is a slightly higher level than a standard A-level course, so will prepare you for uni study. (For example Game theory in The Khan Academy course includes Nash Equilibrium which is not needed for A-level). Access the Khan Academy from MySandstorm</p>	<p>The open university has a range of online courses ranging from 6 hours to 20+ hours. They are free to access. Select activities/ courses linked to Business and Money (for example there is a course on leadership) or Society, Politics and Law has economics based courses (the labour markets and discrimination topic looks interesting) https://www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses/full-catalogue</p>	<p>The metal project is a course created by university lecturers to help support students who need to understand the maths content in their Economics degree course. http://metalproject.co.uk/?fbclid=IwAR2Uq2dr6Gof7xN6inwZoLUJqt5kjbJJZuXurx7M_7E3amQRCoG9TparKM</p>

English Language	<p>There are some brilliant FutureLearn courses on a whole host of topics - search for some specific to your university course - but these are related to the A Level course and will certainly be useful for you going forward.</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/explore-english-shakespeare https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/explore-english-language-culture https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/gender-and-the-media https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/english-in-early-childhood</p>	<p>As ever, reading around your subject will be hugely beneficial: David Crystal, Guy Deutscher, Steven Pinker as a starting point... (try to avoid folk-linguistics!)</p> <p>https://www.waterstones.com/book/rebel-ideas/matthew-syed/9781473613942 https://www.waterstones.com/book/first-you-write-a-sentence/joe-moran/9780241978511 https://www.waterstones.com/book/through-the-language-glass/guy-deutscher/9780099505570 https://www.waterstones.com/book/the-language-instinct/steven-pinker/9780141980775</p>	<p>https://www.cam.ac.uk/research/new-s/cambridge-app-maps-decline-in-regional-diversity-of-english-dialects https://englishlangsfx.blogspot.com/2017/09/the-long-view-part-1.html https://englishlangsfx.blogspot.com/2017/09/the-long-view-part-2.html</p>
English Literature	<p>Explore FutureLearn to find a Literature or writing course that appeals to you. Some recommendations:</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/jane-austen-a-poem https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/how-to-make-fiction https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/explore-english-shakespeare. Explore the wealth of resources shared by The British Library to enhance your understanding of Literature throughout time: https://www.bl.uk/discovering-literature</p>	<p>Investigate some of the fantastic Literature podcasts available. To strengthen your knowledge of Shakespeare, listen to the wonderful Emma Smith share her wisdom: https://podcasts.ox.ac.uk/series/approaching-shakespeare. To find out more about a particular writer, listen to experts discuss their life and work on a BBC radio 4, In Our Time podcast: https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b006gykl/episodes/downloads. To learn more about books you have read, for reading recommendations and to learn about new releases try: https://www.penguin.co.uk/articles/2019/feb/the-best-literary-podcasts-for-book-lovers/ and</p>	<p>Navigate The Booker Prize website which contains the longlists, shortlists and winners of this prestigious award for over 50 years. Select some titles to research and read: https://thebookerprizes.com/fiction/backlist/2020</p>

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French	<p>If you want to try some holiday reading, here are some suggestions:</p> <p>1jour1actu = current events and articles https://www.1jour1actu.com/</p> <p>News in French online daily newsletter = https://newsinfrench.org/</p> <p>Bouquineux = free online books http://www.bouquineux.com/ Or some podcasts: La poudre = https://www.nouvellesecoutes.fr/la-poudre/</p> <p>Binge audio = find a podcast that interests you https://www.binge.audio/ (I recommend Kiffe ta race, Tarab, Connaissez-vous l'histoire de...?) France culture = https://www.franceculture.fr/emissions</p> <p>One thing in a French day = https://onethinginafrenchday.podbean.com/</p> <p>Daily French Pod = https://dailyfrenchpod.com/</p>	<p>Here are some useful websites you could investigate for examples of authentic reading and listening material:</p> <p>Brut.media/fr = Videos on news and current events and cultural topics with subtitles and transcripts</p> <p>Lumni: https://www.lumni.fr/ = French education videos by school level</p> <p>Youtube channels = Le Monde; Quelle Histoire; 1 jour, 1 question; DÉCOD'ACTU ; Cyprien; Norman fait des vidéos</p> <p>Spotify playlist of current French songs = https://open.spotify.com/playlist/357mwrBY7TxB2mBW2Phvlu?si=j-CFQaBUQ1S7qGhpPvkTXg</p>	<p>Literature (all available on Amazon in the original French)</p> <p>Bonjour tristesse Françoise Sagan Elise ou la vraie vie Claire Etcherelli Kiffe kiffe demain Faiza Guène No et moi Delphine de Vigan Un sac de billes Josef Joffo La femme lapidée Freidoune Sahebjam La silence de la mer Vercors Meursault, contre-enquête Kamel Daoud (especially interesting after reading L'étranger)</p>

<p>Geography</p>	<p>FutureLearn is a great starting point to help crystallise what types of geography you might like to specialise in. There are a series of interesting courses on physical, human, political, economic, cultural and environmental geography below:</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/sustainability</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/globalisation</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/global-studies-risks-threats</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/tipping-points-climate-change-and-society</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/climate-change-the-solutions</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/invisible-worlds</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/global-ethics</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/ecology-and-wildlife-conservation</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/population-10-billion This link leads to a series of courses focused on geopolitics, international development and globalisation:</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/subjects/politics-and-society-courses/geopolitics</p>	<p>Reading list (NB: this needs to be appropriate to the type of course you are studying): Understanding Cultural Geography: Places and traces [2nd Edition] (Jon Anderson) An Introduction to Human Geography [5th Edition] (Peter Daniels) An Introduction to Physical Geography and the Environment (Joseph Holden) There Is No Planet B: A Handbook for the Make or Break Years (Mike Berners-Lee) Adventures in the Anthropocene: A Journey to the Heart of the Planet we Made (Gaia Vince) Introduction to Geopolitics [3rd Edition](Colin Flint)</p>	
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<p>History</p>	<p>Below are some suggested FutureLearn courses that sound really interesting. I've suggested a few that I thought might grab your attention, however, there are loads more. Have a browse!</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/womens-rights</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/propaganda</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/peterloo-to-the-pankhursts-radicalism-and-reform-in-the-nineteenth-century</p>	<p>Below are some newly-published books to read on Modern European topics. They have received very good reviews (and I can personally vouch them!).</p> <p>https://www.waterstones.com/book/to-hell-and-back/ian-kershaw/9780141980430</p> <p>https://www.waterstones.com/book/who-dares-wins/dominic-sandbrook/9781846147371</p>	<p>If you fancy dipping your toe into some Medieval History, I suggest you start here with the excellent series by Max Adams or the very fun book on Medieval Britain by Ian Mortimer:</p> <p>https://www.waterstones.com/book/alfreds-britain/max-adams/9781784080310</p> <p>https://www.waterstones.com/book/the-time-travellers-guide-to-medieval-england/ian-mortimer/9781845950996</p>
<p>Mathematics</p>	<p>Have a go at some of the problems in the booklet "Advanced problems in Mathematics. Preparing for University" by Stephen Siklos. Stephen Siklos was a lecturer at Cambridge University who did research under Stephen Hawking into Einstein's theory of general relativity. The booklet is freely available to download online and it has been shared in the Year 13 Mathematics Google Classroom.</p>	<p>Anyone who would like to try working through modules of the Edexcel A level Further Maths course please contact Mrs Gibson who can share electronic copies of the relevant text books with you. Choose from Decision Mathematics (useful for computing degrees), Further Mechanics and Statistics as well as additional pure mathematics (good if you would like to meet complex numbers and matrices)</p>	<p>Read a popular Mathematics book that is not related to your A level course, for a few suggestions try https://www.theguardian.com/books/2012/jan/18/ian-stewart-top-10-popular-mathematics Or you could try Matt Parker's comedy of Errors, reviewed here. https://www.theguardian.com/books/2019/mar/16/humble-pi-by-matt-parker-review-a-comedy-of-maths-errors Three of the maths department went to see him live earlier this year and had a very entertaining and enjoyable</p>

			<p>evening. Alternatively if you fancy some puzzles the GCHQ puzzle books are packed with all sorts and are available from many online retailers.</p>
Media Studies	<p>A great book for introducing key media theory: Media Studies - Theory and Approaches - search amazon - Media-Studies-Dan-Laughy-</p>	<p>Watch TED talks - The future of News Media, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bVMna_zSGio</p> <p>Watch TED talks - The Film Industry, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QvrnHLOXABc</p>	<p>Seneca Learning Courses Lots of courses to choose from here are a couple that can be accessed now:</p> <p>Gender representations in the Media https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/gender-and-the-media</p> <p>Starting as a games designer: https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/how-to-start-your-career-in-games-development</p> <p>Introduction to Screenwriting: https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/screenwriting</p>
Music	<p>TED talks for music are a brilliant blend of lectures and live performance. Have a browse! https://www.ted.com/talks?topics%5B%5D=music. I also highly recommend Radio 3 for extensive playlists, talks, and</p>	<p>Open Univeristy offers free courses which might be worth exploring https://www.open.edu/openlearn/history-the-arts/culture/music. Also, digital theatre and arte.tv have many concerts, shows, performances</p>	<p>Recommended reads: Your music courses are quite varied but I really recommend Alex Ross: The Rest is Noise and/or Listen to This. This is your brain on Music: Daniel Levitin Karim - Herbie Hancock:</p>

	recommended listening in all genres from jazz, musical theatre to contemporary composition. Use this to explore and learn repertoire ready for the Autumn (listen to a range of performers to compare different interpretations)	which are worth watching to broaden your understanding of repertoire in your area of study	Possibilities
Music technology	To revise over the content of the course and refresh on areas access the A Level Music Technology Site at: https://sites.google.com/mysandstorm.org/musictech/home (you need to use your mysandstorm login) - in particular the music tech book is a thorough background to music technology and also the Sandringham Music Tech History site at musictechhistory.co.uk - Password: Sandringham	Take one of the courses on musictechstudent.co.uk if you have access to Logic or Pro Tools at home - musictechstudent.co.uk - Username: Sandringham Password: Sandringham1	Recommended books: Master Handbook of Acoustics by Alton F Everest, Mixing Audio: Concepts, Practices, and Tools, Sound Synthesis and Sampling by Martin Russ. In addition, keep up to date with magazines like 'Sound on Sound' and 'Future Music'.
Philosophy & Ethics	Follow your own interests through Openlearn Philosophy: https://www.open.edu/openlearn/history-the-arts/culture/philosophy	Explore some philosophy on offer at the BBC: https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b04bwydw and write up an essay based on a topic that interests you. You could then submit it to this essay writing competition run by Nottingham University - https://www.nottingham.ac.uk/humanities/departments/theology-and-religious-studies/news-and-events/da	Read an original text by Plato - 'Laches or Courage'. http://classics.mit.edu/Plato/laches.html

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Photography	Read and make notes from On Photography by Susan Sontag	Sign up to The Photographer's Gallery online. Participate in some of their online activities that they are offering virtually at this time.	Explore the resource: http://100photos.time.com/ to gain further understanding of context.
Physical Education/Sport	Explore https://www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses/full-catalogue and search the 'sport' catalogue and you will be able to select a course that you might specialise in.	From your 'mysandstorm' home page, click on the 'library' tab and then the 'review magazines'. Select the 'PE review magazine archive' and select a volume to read. If you are interested in a particular subject, google your area of interest followed by 'pe review magazine' and it will tell you which particular volume to read.	On unifrog, click on the 'subjects library' and search 'sport'. Find the guide which most suits your course and click 'read guide'. Explore the 'geek out' suggestions. Alternatively explore a range of TED talks on sport science!

<p>Physics</p>	<p>Complete one or more free online Physics courses. There are a plethora available - some of the best have been collated here:</p> <p>https://www.classcentral.com/report/physics-free-online-courses/</p> <p>These range in topics and length of courses so you can choose anything that takes your fancy!</p>	<p>Log into the library tab on mysandstorm - choose review magazines, then Physics Review Magazine Archive.</p> <p>You can search by topic or choose a particular year/magazine that looks interesting.</p>	<p>Listen to Physics Podcasts:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 'Infinite Monkey Cage' BBC Radio 4 Podcast (new podcast released every month) 2. Physics World Weekly or Physics World Stories - the latest news, breakthroughs and innovations. 3. Physics Frontiers - high level conversations about little known Physics ideas. <p>Go on some virtual day trips:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nasa's Langley Research Centre: https://oh.larc.nasa.gov/oh/ 2. Nasa's Glenn Research Centre: https://www.nasa.gov/glennvirtualtours 3. Oxford University's History of Science Museum: https://hsm.ox.ac.uk/past-exhibitions-and-displays 4. Museo Galileo: https://www.museogalileo.it/en/ 5. Museum of Science, Boston: https://www.mos.org/
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Politics	<p>Aim to read a good quality 'broadsheet' newspaper every weekend. You don't need to read it cover to cover: read the main news pages at the front and look for the 'editorial' or 'opinion' section towards the middle.</p> <p>The Times The Telegraph The Guardian"</p>	<p>To look at some of the issues in more depth, consider reading one of the weekly journals published:</p> <p>The Economist (right of centre) The New Statesman (left of centre)</p>	<p>There have been a huge number of excellent books on political topics published in recent years. I can recommend the following:</p> <p>https://www.waterstones.com/book/why-we-get-the-wrong-politicians/isabel-hardman/9781782399759</p> <p>https://www.waterstones.com/book/all-out-war/tim-shipman/9780008215170</p>
Product Design	<p>Fusion 360 - Using the guides on google classroom, brush up on your skills using fusion 360. There are also further tutorials which can be found at:</p> <p>https://f360ap.autodesk.com/courses and https://www.lynda.com/Fusion-360-tutorials/8932-0.html</p>	<p>The open university offers free courses in a number of subjects. Under the heading for Science, Maths and Technology, you will find free courses to undertake related to Design, Engineering and Architecture.</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses/full-catalogue</p>	<p>You can find a number of engineering and design based tasks at</p> <p>https://www.nasa.gov/stem-at-home-for-students-9-12.html</p> <p>There are opportunities to take part in competitions, undertake virtual tours, read and investigate various articles about space travel as well as a whole host of other activities to take part in.</p>

Psychology	<p>These MOOC have a range of interesting courses. You should be able to find something of interest.</p> <p>https://www.edx.org/course?search_query=psychology</p>	<p>These Future Learn courses will offer you interesting choices.</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/subjects/psychology-and-mental-health-courses/psychology</p>	<p>Reaching down the Rabbit Hole: Extraordinary Journeys into the Human Brain by Allan Ropper and Brian Burrell. There are so many great books to explore and this one is popular.</p>
Sociology	<p>The Open University have a whole range of free courses that are applicable to all areas of social science. Specific Sociology courses can be found here:</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/society/free-courses/?filter=date/grid/682/all/all/all/&page=1</p> <p>There are also a number of courses specifically for those of you who are studying criminology:</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/society/free-courses/?filter=date/grid/688/all/all/all/</p>	<p>The Radio 4's Thinking Allowed is a social science programme exploring a range of social issues and is presented by Laurie Taylor, formerly a Professor of Sociology at the University of York. There are more than 600 episodes available:</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b006qy05</p>	<p>A few books you might be interested in: Miseducation: Inequality, education and the working class by Diane Reay Women and Power: A Manifesto by Mary Beard The Presentation of Self in Everyday Life by Erving Goffman Poverty Safari: Understanding the Anger of Britain's Underclass by Darren McGarvey</p>

<p>Spanish</p>	<p>There are a variety of very interesting Future Learn courses. Here are a few:</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/hispanic-culture-film</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/intercultural-studies-language-culture</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/working-with-translation</p> <p>https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/multilingual-practices</p>	<p>TED talks on a wide variety of topics. In Spanish: https://www.ted.com/about/programs-initiatives/ted-en-espanol. Also in English there are some interesting ones on language and culture: https://www.ted.com/topics/language</p> <p>https://www.ted.com/topics/south-america</p>	<p>Open University free courses. Here are a few that might be of interest for advanced Spanish:</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/languages/spanish/advanced-spanish-language-context/content-section-0?active-tab=content-tab</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/languages/spanish/advanced-spanish-protest-song/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/languages/spanish/advanced-spanish-art-buenos-aires/content-section-0?active-tab=content-tab</p> <p>More on language and culture can be found here:</p> <p>https://www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses/full-catalogue</p>
<p>Textiles</p>	<p>Sign up for newsletters from Textile Artist and participate in the Community Health Stitch Challenge - a weekly challenge set by a contemporary artist. The site includes interviews and videos with practising artists.</p>	<p>Research practising makers and their work by looking at the following two websites. Both arrange exhibitions, virtually at the moment, which can be visited.</p> <p>https://www.craftscouncil.org.uk/di</p>	<p>Make an Instagram page and build up a visual scrapbook of images that can be used as source material. Take photos and post things of interest - patterns/textures/close-up</p>

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General useful resources

ACADEMIC	Website	Information
Eton College - Research Skills	https://signup.etonx.com/ access code: EOUEPFRZ	Eton College have offered state schools free access to their highly regarded programme to prepare students for University. We have access to the Research Skills module that will be a useful preparation for undergraduate study.
Open University	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses/full-catalogue	OU offers nearly 1000 free courses across 8 different subject areas.
Future Learn	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses	Hundreds of online courses from top universities and specialist organisations.
UNIFROG	www.unifrog.org	You should already feel comfortable navigating around Unifrog - On your homepage click on 'MOOC' for online courses in your specific subject area - a reminder you can also click on 'subjects library' then search your area of interest, click on 'read the guide' and then click on 'geek out' to access videos/podcasts/articles etc.
Vespa Mindset	https://www.vespamindset.co.uk/p/the-vespa-mindset-programme	8 free activities to help with commitment, motivation and productivity.
Oxford University	http://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/undergraduate/courses/suggested-reading-and-resources	Free suggested reading and resources in all academic areas - you do not have to be enrolling at Oxford to access/explore these
Class Central	https://www.classcentral.com/report/new-courses-october-2018/	Free online courses from a range of universities

OTHER	Website	Information
Uptree	https://uptree.co/events/	Online work experience opportunities - Consulting; Digital, Legal, Cyber Security, Engineering; Construction, Property; Investment, STEM, Engineering, Financial Services, Business, Law
Go Think Big	https://gothinkbig.co.uk/features/13-free-digital-courses-that-will-help-transform-your-career	Free online courses to aid careers
Barclays Life Skills	https://barclayslifeskills.com/i-want-virtual-work-experience/school/virtual-work-experience	Virtual Work Experience
Well Being	https://www.annafreud.org/on-my-mind/self-care/	Mental Health self-care advice and practical suggestions
Youth Talk	http://youthtalk.org.uk/	Confidential counselling service based in St Albans
YC Herts	https://www.ychertfordshire.org/support-for-young-people/support-for-young-people-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak	Access YC Herts services during lockdown. Also contact our Careers Coordinator, Ms Tang, via email as she can arrange one-to-one advice and guidance with Nicky Honeywell remotely via Microsoft Teams