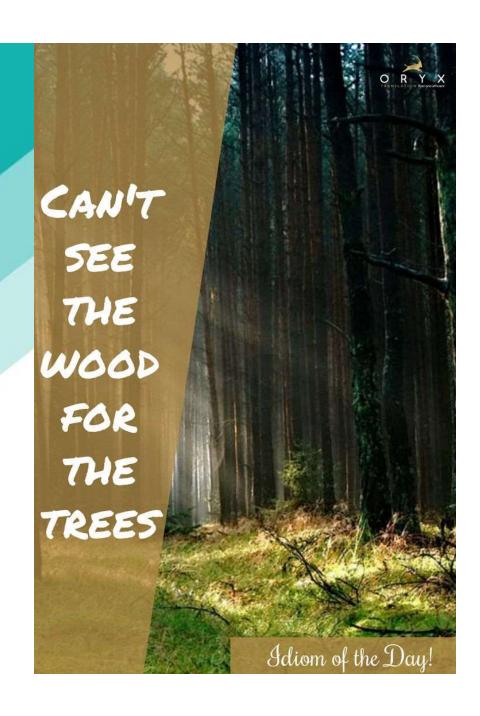


Senior Phase Curricular Supports Thursday 2nd February 2023

Mr Drennan Head Teacher





HOW TO STUDY





In School Supports

- Class Teachers and Faculty Supports are key...
- Ask Questions.
- Seek additional support whenever you need it.
- Do not be afraid or embarrassed to ask the chances are, a few others are also wanting to ask the same question!
- #DO MORE NOW!
- The more you do in the first half of each academic year, the better!
- Faculty Lunchtime Revision Sessions will be publicised regularly via the School Bulletin, Posters and more...

Class Feedback / Reports / Parents' Evening

- Regular assessment and classwork feedback in class act on this and be proactive!
- RAG (Red, Amber and Green) topic areas regularly start with one at a time, and focus on what you are struggling with more than what you can do easily.
- Parents/Carers watch out for this! 'Yes, I'm studying...'
- Little and Often until you see the improvements.
- Environment for Learning Phones and distractions away! (Those notifications will still be there when you come back an hour later!)

Additional Supports - Where do I start?

- Everything you need in one place GLOW!
- Pupils can access/log-in from any device in school or any device at home, including their mobile phones!
- This is all FREE OF CHARGE!



- E-Sgoil Resources when you click on here, it can take you to individual subject pages for all Levels and Subjects (N4 to Adv H) and gives you quick and easy access to:
 - Lesson inputs
 - Video examples
 - All grouped by Topics and parts of the SQA courses – most likely what pupils may struggle with...
 - Practice / Past Paper materials
 - An Interactive Learning Page

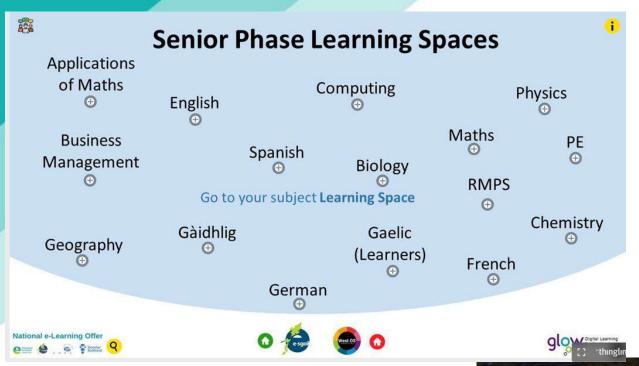


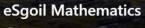
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Senior Phase Resources

Interactive Learning Space

Expressive Arts	Health & Well Being	Languages	Maths	Science	Social Studies	Technologies	Guidance	Other
Art & Design Dance Drama Music	Physical Education Health, Body and Mind	Spanish English French German Gaelic Gaidhlig Latin	Maths Applications of Maths	Physics Biology Chemistry Environmental Science	History Geography Modern Studies Politics RMPS	Administration & IT Accounting Business Computing Economics Health & Food Technologies Fashion & Textiles Construction Maritime Skills Practical Craft Engineering Science Graphic Communication Design & Manufacture Applied Technologies	Guidance	Enterprise & Employability Other Subjects





Document Stores

N4 Maths N5 Maths Higher Maths Adv Higher Maths

Maths Teachers Only Back to e-Sgoil Home Page

Video Channels

N4 Maths N5 Maths Higher Maths Adv Higher Maths

OneNote Resources

N4 Maths N5 Maths Higher Maths Adv Higher Maths

Interactive Learning Spaces

N4 Maths N5 Maths Higher Maths Adv Higher Maths

Study Support 2022/23

National e-Learning Offer







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TIME	SUBJECT	LEVEL
5РМ	English	Advanced Higher
5PM	Physics	National 5
SPM	RMPS	Higher
6РМ	Maths	National 5
6PM	RMPS	National 5
6PM	Physics	Higher
6PM	Physics	Advanced Higher
6РМ	Human Biology	Higher
6РМ	Business Management	National 5
7PM	Application of Maths	Higher
7PM	Business Management	Advanced Higher
7рм	PE	Higher
7PM	Biology	Higher
7PM.	Computing Science	Higher
7PM	Biology	Advanced Higher
7PM	Computing Science	National 5
7рм	Biology	National 5

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4P	M Maths	National 4
5P	M Modern Studies	Higher
59	M Geography	National 5
SP	M Music	National 5
	Maths	Higher
	n English	National 4
	4 Chemistry	National 5
66	M Gaelic (learners)	National 5
600	m Spanish	Higher
68	M Maths	Advanced Higher
68	M Art & Design	National 5/ Higher
6P	M Business Manageme	nt Higher
ě.P	M Music	Higher
	Chemistry	Advanced Higher
	M Gaelic (learners)	Higher
70	M English	National 5
7#	M History	Higher
7p	M French	Higher

TIME	SUBJECT	LEVEL
5pm	German	Higher
Spm Spm Spm 6pm 6pm 6pm	Graphic Communication	Higher
5pm	Geography	Higher
5pm	Applications of Maths	National 5
6pm	Graphic Communication	National 5
6pm	Gaidhlig	Higher
6pm	Design & Manufacture	National 5
7pm	Gaidhlig	National 5

	TIME	SUBJECT	LEVEL
THURSDAY	5pm	PE	National 5
	5PM	English	Higher
	5PM	Engineering Science	National 5
	5PM	Practical Cookery	National 5
	6PM	Engineering Science	Higher
	6РМ	Chemistry	Higher
	6РМ	Design & Manufacture	Higher
	7PM	Graphic Communication	National 5
	7PM	History	National 5
	7 _{PM}	Health & Food Technology	National 5/Higher

- SCHOLAR for the courses they are entered for on their individual timetables from SEEMIS, pupils have access to the following –
 - Activities and Study Guides linked to the topics of each course.
 - Practice questions and tests, which are marked automatically.

Heriot-Watt University

Courses > National 5 Business Management

Activities

Understanding business

The role of business in society

- Needs and wants: Activity
- 5 Goods and services: Activity
- Factors of production: Activity
- **8** Entrepreneurs: Activity
- Sectors of industry: Activity 1
- Sectors of industry: Activity 2
- The role of business in society test

Types of business organisations

- Sole traders and partnerships: Activity
- 8 Private limited companies: Activity
- Public sector organisations: Activity
- Charities and voluntary groups: Activity
- 5 Social enterprise: Activity
- Types of business organisations test

Objectives

- Private sector objectives: Activity
- 3 Public sector and third sector objectives: Activity
- B Objectives test

Activity filter

- ☐ Assessment
- ☐ Case study
 ☐ Paper based
- ☐ Interactivity
- ☐ Discussion
- ☐ Internet

Courses > Higher Human Biology

Downloads (7)

Study Guides Student Study Guides

- Human cells: Study Guide
- Physiology and health: Study Guide
- Neurobiology and immunology: Study Guide

Tutor Notes

- Human cells: Tutor Notes
- Physiology and health: Tutor Notes
- Property Neurobiology and immunology: Tutor Notes

< All (7)

- Study Guides (6)
- < Help with Maths Input (1)

Help with Maths Input

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- WestOS a link to ClickView and really useful/informative videos for every level/course available.
- IMPORTANT for LOGGING IN Pupils and Staff must log in to ClickVIEW using their GLOW E-mail address i.e. gwo8surname@glow.sch.uk
- A verification code is then sent to GLOW e-mail for input, to get logged in / or they may need to choose Portlethen Academy from the drop-down menu.
- When you click on BGE or Senior Phase, everything is then organised into sub-categories.

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· Senior Phase

- ▶ Administration and IT
- ▶ Applications of Mathematics
- Art & Design
- ▶ Biology
- ▶ Business Management
- ▶ Chemistry
- ▶ Computing Science

Dance

→ Design and Manufacture

Higher

N5

- ▶ Drama
- DYW
- ▶ Engineering Science
- English
- ▶ Gaelic
- Geography
- ▶ Graphic Communication
- ▶ HFT
- ▶ History
- ▶ Maths

Media

- ▶ Modern Languages
- ▶ Modern Studies
- ▶ Music
- Physical Education



Categories Higher West OS / Senior Phase / Design and Manufacture Sort by Production Year * Design Factors and the Assignment Share Options -5:19 Show video ▼ QP- Answering Materials _ Manufacture Questions Share Options . E Show video ▼ Introduction to Ergonomics Share Options -E

- Portlethen Academy Study Skills Resources this links to the Pupil Area of our School Website where pupils can scroll down and see the following files for support under 'Useful Documents':
 - Study Skills Booklet
 - Supported Study Revision Resources
 - Studying What Pupils Said

Each of these 3 links have practical hints, tips and strategies which are 'tried and tested' to support pupils with 'how to study' and also, some clear learning pitfalls shared from previous years' students.

Useful Documents

Study Skills Booklet

Supported Study Revision Resources

Studying - what pupils said

Study Skills: Real and proven strategies for raising your attainment

Contents

- 3. Learning styles for studying and revision
- 4. Ways of learning
- 7. Checking your learning
- 8. Organising your revision sessions
- 10. Time management
- 12. Creating a study plan
- 13. Planning your study periods / sessions
- 14. Weekly study planner
- 15. Holiday & study leave planner
- 16. Creating a topic checklist
- 19. Actually revising
- 20. Make your study notes useful
- 22. Your exams!
- 23. Exam timetable
- 24. The exams!!!
- 25. Essay writing skills
- 27. Help and support
- 28. Revision classes in Portlethen Academy

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Memory – the science of learning: slides 3-5

Key Principles of Effective Revision

Retrieval Practice - Flashcards: slides 6-10

Spacing & Interleaving – planning your revision: slides 11-14

Deliberate Practice: slides 15-16

Summarising & Chunking Information: slides 17-19

Dual Coding: slides 20-21

Developing Revision Routines & Habits: slide 22

Creating an Effective Revision Environment: slide 23

Creating a Revision Timetable: slides 24-25

Ineffective Revision Strategies: slide 26

Revision Video Links: slide 27

Checklist: slide 28

Helpful hints & tips: slides 29-32

What our S6 pupils said about S5 and studying for Higher Exams

What's the difference between N5 and Higher?

- More challenging: although higher uses N5 as a basis of knowledge, higher requires a
 much deeper level of understanding. An A at N5 does not guarantee that an A will
 also be achieved at Higher.
- More self-taught: If you miss classes you are expected to arrange a time with teachers to catch up on the work. Keeping up with homework and missed school work is the student's responsibility as is going to after school classes to get help with things you don't understand.
- Structure questions: Exam questions require more work for the marks and it is important to understand the depth you need to go into before sitting any exams.

What Higher students found hard

- · Time management
- Focusing on work
- Studying early

Sacrifices

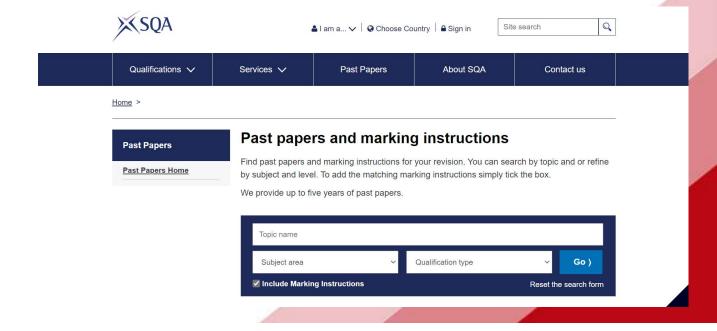
- Time: Good grades aren't achieved without sacrificing free time and effort on revision.
- Commitments: sometimes you may need to priorities and put your school work before part time jobs, volunteering, time with friends (etc.)
- · Short term pain(hard work) for lifelong gain

SQA - Past Papers and Marking Instructions

- All Past Papers and Marking Instructions available for FREE from previous years online.
- Just Google: SQA Past Papers

SQA - NQ - Past papers and marking instructions

- Don't do this too early!
- Work through everything else first and leave this towards the second half of the year...



Any Questions?