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Dear Parent/Guardian,

We hope that all our Mulroy College families are safe and healthy. This is an extremely difficult time and we are all beginning to realise the huge impact school, not just education, has in our lives. Education is hugely important but I think more than ever we are missing what the school building provides...safety, structure, welcome, relationships, care, connection, communication, and community.

Our teachers miss our students, each other and the personal interaction that is so fundamental to the classroom. I know from talking to students and parents that our students are missing school too...something I'm sure they were surprised to realise themselves. We miss the daily interactions that are so central to the school community and look forward to a time when we can see each other again.

While these times are uncertain, we want to maintain as much normality as possible. To that end, your son's/daughter's learning will be assessed in a variety of ways over the next 4 weeks. We intend to report on your son/daughter's progress at the end of this term in the usual way i.e. an end of term report.

Every subject department has a plan for assessing your son/daughter's work over the coming weeks. This information will be vital to assist you in supporting your son/daughter reach their targets and progress their learning as effectively as possible.

If your son/daughter misses a deadline for the key assignments for a genuine reason (illness, broadband issues, etc.) please contact the subject teacher who will endeavour to ensure every student has a fair chance to complete the work and all teachers will take a measured and fair approach in assessing individual issues.

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Gaeilge

- 50% for assessment throughout the year and 25% for an oral exam where students are given 15 questions/ and they record and return a sound file with their answers

Maths

- continuous assessment tasks on Google Classroom

English

- 2 pieces of work: Unseen and studied text question

Home Economics

- Task - cookery assignments that we will be completing over the next 5 weeks that will require engagement.

Engineering

- A common project is being assigned to all students. Broken into sections which will be completed week by week as in the plan submitted on google classroom for them

Physics, Biology Chemistry,

- Online assessment test posted on Google Classroom along with weekly tasks

Ag Science

- Students are to complete four tasks each worth 25%

German

- There will be three assessments during the final term, a listening comprehension, a reading comprehension with grammar and a written piece based on the themes covered this year.

French

- One compréhension & one written piece



Technology

- 5th years will be given a project brief worth a total of 100%. Each section will be broken down into 4 individual parts. The first section will be starting on Monday 27th April and will last for 4 weeks.

Visual Art

- Students will be asked to submit three essays over the next number of weeks on topics covered to date in the Art history course. These questions will be based on past exams questions. Students will also complete a still life composition

Construction Studies

- Brief development - first 3 sections of portfolio that will be required for their LC

History

- a case study and an essay question

Geography

- ongoing weekly tasks assigned through Google classroom worth 30% and 70 % allocated to work completed throughout the year

Music

- students will submit one recording of a performance to be assessed [45%]
- Exam: Students will complete a melody writing and backing chord question with an exam on Music theory

LCVP

- 30% grade to theory based exam through the Google classroom assignment platform.