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Dear Parent/Carer

Get ahead, stay ahead

As we approach the summer holiday, I wanted to take this opportunity to wish you and your family a restful break and also inform you about our 'Get ahead, stay ahead' tasks.

Core subject areas have set a number of tasks for your child to complete that aim to activate and consolidate learning in preparation for September. On completion of these tasks, students will be awarded a Golden Ticket as per the subject information, which can be found on the subsequent pages of this letter.

In September, all Golden Tickets will be placed into year group draws and students will have the opportunity to win either £10 Amazon vouchers in Year assemblies or £20 Amazon vouchers in Whole College assembly. Students will be able to collect multiple Golden Tickets and make multiple entries into the competition, therefore increasing their chances of winning.

Families and students may wish to take the little and often approach to this work, as they recharge their batteries and spend time away from Midhurst Rother College. However, others may choose to take an approach that fits with their family plans.

Once again, I would like to wish you a restful break and look forward to working with your son/daughter in September.

Yours sincerely

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'Get ahead, stay ahead' tasks

ENGLISH

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	Language paper tasks have been set on TEAMS. Download the workbook and save on your computer at home, and work from this.	**2**

MATHS

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	Students need to log on to https://hegartymaths.com/ and complete the tasks that have been set on TEAMS. Students should use the video clips to help them master each component. You will also receive revision lists on Teams to prepare you for your mock exams that you will be sitting in September (Paper 1 and 2) and October (Paper 3)	**2**

SCIENCE

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
3	Check emails for required practical work sent from Mrs Storey. **Biology / Chemistry / Physics:** *Each subject worth 2 Golden Tickets.*	**6**

BUSINESS STUDIES & VOCATIONAL KS4 BUSINESS

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	**GCSE** ▪ Log into your Seneca account and spend 2 x 20 mins a week working through the revision topics for AQA Business GCSE https://www.senecalearning.com/ ▪ Make yourselves an 'exam question ready' sheet that breaks down the structure and explains what you need to do for 2, 3, 4, 6 and 9 questions (with examples). **Or:** **BTEC** Ensure component 1 assignments are completed to an excellent standard.	**2** **1**

GEOGRAPHY

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	1. Read and study the Knowledge Organizers on TEAMS. Make revisions cards/ mind maps 2. Read, study and annotate the pre-Release material on Insight 3. Pre-release exam materials have also been added to TEAMS	**1**

HISTORY

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	1. Complete all of Paper 2: The Cold War Key Topic 1 on SENECA, ensure you score 60% or better, retry if you do not achieve this. 2. Answer the following exam Q: 'Explain the importance of the Potsdam Conference in 1945 for the development of Cold War tensions.' 8 marks You should aim to write two PEEL paragraphs, each focused on a different reason the conference affected the developing tensions.	**1**

FRENCH

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	1) Learn/revise the Very Important Verbs. 2) 90 word writing task	**1**

GERMAN

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	3) Learn/revise the Very Important Verbs. 4) 90 word writing task	**1**

SPANISH

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	5) Learn/revise the Very Important Verbs. 6) 90 word writing task	1

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	**Python Project:** You will soon have to complete your NEA. In preparation for next year, it is important to spend some of the summer improving your skills in programming. I would like you to create a two-player text-based game using Python. The game must be themed to the recent European Football Tournament or the upcoming Tokyo Olympics. The game must include the use of lists, functions and files. I would like you to use repl.it in order to complete your coding project. Once complete, send me an email with the link to view your project and once reviewed, a Golden Ticket will be issued to you! If you need extra support with Python, use what has been distributed to your OneNote. Watch the videos and practice the techniques.	1

CREATIVE IMEDIA

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	**Film Analysis:** Watch one film this summer and research how the film was made and promoted. Complete a write up about the film which discusses the following points: • Story, Genre, Characters and Audience • Editing and Camera Techniques • Promotion and Advertising Use word online to complete the task and email me the link to view your work, in return you will receive a Golden Ticket!	1

MUSIC

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	Choose their solo piece for performance evening in December and start rehearsing. Guidelines as to difficulty level are already on TEAMS. Focus on sound – Chords, extended chords, time signatures and texture (look through lessons then complete tests)	1

DRAMA

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	Your written tasks for September have been set on TEAMS – Please check your assignments for this.	**2**

SOCIOLOGY

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	1) Go onto gov.uk and look up as many statistics on crime you can find. Have a go at retrieving information on the figures of crime in the country and bring them into class when we are back to look through them. Is there anything you can see in the statistics that is unusual or surprising? 2) Research the Functionalist AND Marxist AND feminist ideas on Crime and Deviance. Do NOT just print out or copy and paste. Everything bit of research you do MUST be in your own words and must be in good detail.	**2**

PE & VOCATIONAL KS4 SPORT

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	GCSE PE – www.theeverlearner.com please complete videos and tutorials 12-16, ensuring all are mastered.	**1**

PHOTOGRAPHY

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	During the Summer break I would like you to capture 10-20 images each week by focusing on a theme. The themes are listed below, and you can only use one theme each week and only use each of theme once. You may wish to mind map out ideas for the themes before working on them. If you have a 'proper camera' then I urge you to use that however if you do not you can use the camera on your phone. These images will be used to start off a new project when we return in September. • Looking up • Low angles • Frames • Reflections • The Beginning and the End • Journeys	**1**

TEXTILES

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	Plan and prepare their front page and mind maps for their new project Sea Life and Oceans. Research at least 4 artists, designers or photographers relating to the them, write why they have chosen them and how they will create samples from them, suggested artists are: Felix Murillo, Shirley Pu Wills, Marco Mazzoni, Liz Ash, Amiria Gale, Karen Wright, Ana Teresa Barbosa – this list is not exclusive or conclusive, so finding other artists is very important as well. Students can begin to create samples of their work if they have the capacity at home to do so.	1

ART

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	Students should take 5 -10 photos on each one of these topics; (collection) (junk) (inside, outside) and (emotions). They need to print out the photos. They need to create an artwork in any media from one of their photos.	1

PRODUCT DESIGN

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	Students need to produce a series of initial design ideas based on research carried out. Students should produce 4 different design ideas and annotate using ACCESSFM. Designs can be drawn by hand or by using 2D Design or Sketchup. A PowerPoint with further details has been added to TEAMS.	1

VOCATIONAL KS4 HOSPITALITY

Task(s)		Golden Tickets available
1	To complete revision tasks on BBC Bitesize 3 x a week: www.bbcbitesize.co.uk	1
2	To complete Exam paper on TEAMS. Students will be asked for this on their return after the summer break	1