



SKEGNESS ACADEMY

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Dear Parents and Carers

Last week, I wrote to you about the industrial action taking place on Wednesday 5 July and Friday 7 July 2023.

The vast majority of students will have work on TEAMS however, should your child not have access to this, or no work is available due to staff members striking, please encourage your child to complete a selection of the tasks signposted below.

	Year 8	Year 9
Maths	Complete tasks on Sparx Maths. https://sparxmaths.com/ If you are unsure of how to log in please see below: https://f.hubspotusercontent30.net/hubfs/5530880/KB How to Videos - Spring 2021/How students log in.mp4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General format • Username - FirstnameSurname • Password - (they have picked their own) 	
English	You have been studying 'Blood Brother' by Willy Russell. Imagine you were casting the role of Mickey and Eddie. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What qualities would you look for in choosing the right actor? - Write a short description of each of the characters to give for the actors auditioning. How are the two brothers similar, and how are they different? 	You have been studying 'Noughts and Crosses' by Malorie Blackman. Write a review of the book for other students. Consider: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What is the overall plot? - Who are the main characters? - What feelings does the book evoke? - Discuss what you particularly liked about the book. - Mention anything you disliked about the book. - You can give the book a rating, for example a mark out of five or ten, if you like!
Science	Complete the following tasks on how to observe cells using a microscope: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/znnycdm/articles/zbm48mn	Using the link below write a response to the following question: 'Should sugary drinks be banned for those under 18?' Consider arguments for and against, and give your own opinion. Remember, it must be supported by scientific fact! https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/znnycdm/articles/zbm48mn

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History:	<p>Using the link below answer the following investigative questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who were the South African Native Labour Corps (SANLC)? • What can we learn about the SANLC through source analysis? • What happened to the SANLC after the war? <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z4crd2p/articles/z6qpxbk</p>	<p>You are currently learning about the Vietnam war, create a revision resource based on what you have learned so far. This should include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What were the caused of the Vietnam war? - Guerilla warfare and its impact - Tactics of the US army - Feelings in the USA about the war - The use of chemical weapons <p>You may wish to do a revision poster, mind-map, revision cards, question and answer sheet, Cornell notes, etc...</p>
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Students can access their school emails or Teams work by logging into <http://airhead.io>

To confirm the Academy will only be open on Wednesday 5 and Friday 7 July 2023 for the following students:-

Wednesday 5 July 2023 – Normal School Hours

- Students in year 7
- Students in year 10
- Students in year 12
- Students who are classed as vulnerable
- Students whose parents are classed as critical workers (please see below)

Year 10 students have an exam at 9.00 am and all students will be expected to attend. Students will leave the Academy site after the exam.

Friday 7 July 2023 – Normal School Hours

- Students in year 7
- Students in year 10
- Students in year 12
- Students who are classed as vulnerable
- Students whose parents are classed as critical workers (please see below)
- Students whose parents are classed as critical workers and wish their child to attend on 5 July and 7 July should complete the following form by [clicking here](#). The form will close on Tuesday 4 July 2023 at 12.00 pm.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



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