

11th June 2020

### Re: Zoom Webinar Lessons

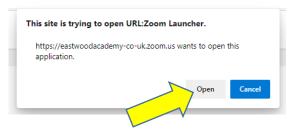
Dear Parent,

Following successful trials this week, from **Monday 15**<sup>th</sup> **June**, the home learning provision will be enhanced through virtual lessons via **Zoom Webinar**.

For ease of access, the Zoom Webinar lessons have been organised into an online timetable for each year group. An example is provided on the **second** page of this letter.

Your child can access the Zoom Webinar lessons in the following way:

- Click on the link to the online timetable remote.eastwoodacademy.co.uk This is also on the Academy homepage under 'Remote Learning'.
- Click on their year group.
- Click on 'Join Lesson' and follow the onscreen instructions.
- If you are using a mobile device or tablet you will need to download Zoom from the relevant app store.
- If you are using a pc or laptop and have not downloaded or used Zoom previously, click on 'Join Lesson' and download and/or 'run' Zoom by clicking on 'open' on the Zoom Launcher.



- If you are using a **pc or laptop** and **have downloaded or used Zoom previously** you need to click on 'Open Zoom Meetings'.
- In most cases, you will be asked to enter an email address and your name.
   For the e-mail, you should enter zoom@eastwoodacademy.co.uk
   For your name, you should enter your first and last name.
- Click on 'Join Webinar' and wait until the teacher starts the lesson.

I have provided a brief FAQ on the **third** page of this letter. If you have any questions at this stage, please e-mail zoomwebinar@eastwood.southend.sch.uk

Yours sincerely,

Mr. N. Houchen Principal



### Year 10 Timetable Mon 9:00 am Mon 10:00 am Mon 11:00 am Mon 12:00 pm Mon 1:00 pm **Business** Maths Science Geography Art Option Subject All Pupils Sets 3 and 4 Option Subject Option Subject Subject Page Subject Page Subject Page Subject Page Tue 9:00 am Tue 10:00 am Tue 11:00 am Tue 12:00 pm Tue 1:00 pm English iMedia Maths History Drama Option Subject Sets 1 and 2 All Pupils **Option Subject Option Subject** Wed 10:00 am Wed 11:00 am Wed 12:00 pm Wed 1:00 pm Wed 9:00 am Design Tech. Enalish Science Maths Music Option Subject All Pupils Option Subject Method Maths Thu 9:00 am Thu 10:00 am Thu 11:00 am Thu 12:00 pm Thu 1:00 pm Food Prep. Maths French Citizenship Sociology Option Subject Sets 1 and 2 Sets 3 and 4 All Pupils Option Subject Subject Page Subject Page Subject Page Subject Page Fri 9:00 am Fri 10:00 am Fri 11:00 am Fri 12:00 pm Fri 1:00 pm Statistics Maths French PΕ Maths Option Subject Sets 3 and 4 Sets 1 and 2 Option Subject All Pupils



# Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

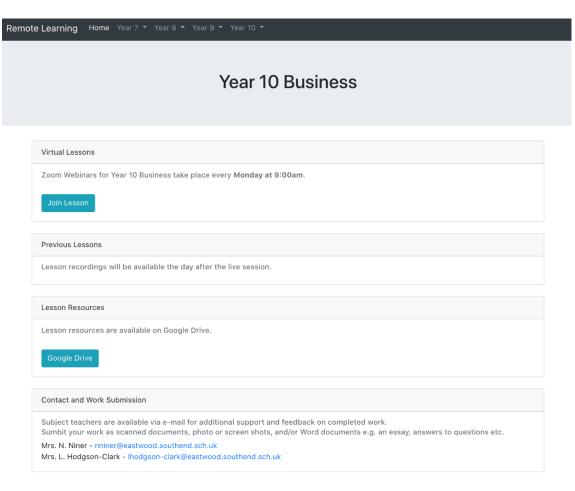
### Q1. How do I use the online timetable?

Each year group will have up to 20 scheduled Zoom Webinar lessons per week. The lessons are tiered in some subjects according to the teaching set. Pupils can 'join' each individual lesson by clicking on 'Join Lesson'. Pupils should click on this link approximately 5 minutes before the start of the lesson.

### Q2. Are the Zoom Webinar lessons linked to the resources on the Google Drive?

Yes. Under the 'Join Lesson' link on the online timetable, there is a link to the 'Subject Page'. Pupils can click on this link to access resources.

The year groups are listed at the **top** of the online timetable. Each year group has a dropdown menu of all subjects listed alphabetically. By clicking on a subject e.g. Business, pupils will be able to access a link to the Zoom Webinar lesson; recordings of previous lessons; lesson resources on the Google Drive; and details of how to contact staff and submit work.





### Q3. Will I be taught by my own teacher?

Not necessarily. Different teachers will be delivering lessons to different size groups.

### Q4. Do I need a Meeting ID and password to access a Zoom Webinar lesson?

No. You need to click on the 'Join Lesson' link and enter the e-mail address zoom@eastwoodacademy.co.uk and your name.

# Enter your email and name zoom@eastwoodacademy.co.uk John Smith Remember my name for future meetings Join Webinar Cancel

### Q5. If I miss a 'live' lesson, can I watch a recording?

Yes. All lessons are recorded and can be accessed by clicking on your year group (at the top of the online timetable page) and clicking on the relevant subject from the dropdown menu.

# Q6. Some lessons are for certain sets e.g. set 1 and 2 or set 3 and 4. Can I join a lesson of a set that I am not in?

Yes. There is often crossover in lesson content between the sets, so it may be beneficial for pupils to access lessons for both sets to aid their overall understanding.

### Q7. Are there any timetable periods when there is not a live lesson? What do I do during these periods?

Yes. There are a minimal number of periods where live lessons are not scheduled. These periods have been allocated to the following:

- Maths specifically the learning platforms MathsWatch and MethodMaths. Teachers will set work on these
  platforms which will support the live lessons. This will also help inform the content of the live lessons moving
  forward.
- Assemblies for Year 7 and Year 8, one period a week has been allocated to an online assembly focusing on personal development and wellbeing.
- Study periods for Year 7 and Year 8, two periods a week have been allocated to independent study. Pupils
  can use this time to complete outstanding subject tasks from the live lessons, watch recorded lessons, or
  complete work on the Google Drive.

## Q8. What happens if I have difficulty accessing Zoom Webinar lessons?

E-mail zoomwebinar@eastwood.southend.sch.uk