



KS3

We don't want any of you to be bored whilst you are not in school!

So, below is a list of links to things that you can do to keep you entertained and your brain working **BUT** only once you have done your other work or there might be things that you have a look at over Easter.

None of these tasks are compulsory.

We just want to be sure that you have things to do.

Art and Museums

The Guardian newspaper have pulled together **10 of the best virtual tours of museums and art galleries.**

Link: <https://www.theguardian.com/travel/2020/mar/23/10-of-the-worlds-best-virtual-museum-and-art-gallery-tours>

Task: Take a tour and upload a message via assignments to your Art, History or Science teacher, depending on which place you visit.

Smartify is an app which takes you around a variety of museums and galleries in the UK and elsewhere. The app is free to download at the moment.

Link: <https://smartify.org>

Task: take a tour, find a piece of art or an object in one of the locations that you like. Write a piece for one of your teachers who you think would be interested in hearing what you have found out. You could also create a PowerPoint having researched the artist and the time period in which it was produced.

360° Tours of London

If you are feeling a bit Lincoln-locked or have always wanted to see inside certain London landmarks, have a look at the 360° tours of places like: Big Ben, Westminster Abbey, The British Museum and many more.

Link: <https://360.visitlondon.com/>

Task: create your own tour guide of London using information from the tours and producing either a leaflet or a PowerPoint.

Lincoln Imp Trail Project

The people organising the Lincoln Imp Trail have made a pack available for you to come up with your own designs and some background reading on the history of the Lincoln Imp.

See the 'Parents' – 'NK at Home' section of the website for more information.

Art Competition: Explorers against extinction

Open to all ages there are two categories for this Art competition:

- Wildlife
- Wild Spaces

Link: <https://explorersagainstextinction.co.uk/initiatives/sfs-introducing/>

Task: if you decide to enter, make sure you let your Art teacher know and send them a picture of your entry over Teams.

English

David Walliams is reading one of his Worst Children stories at 11am every day.

Link: <https://www.worldofdavidwalliams.com>

Click on 'Elevenes' and it will take you to the story for that day.

Task: send your English teacher a review of one of the stories or write your own story about a terrible child – no mention of actual people allowed!!

Audible is an audio books site which is currently offering free access to a range of stories for children of all ages.

<https://stories.audible.com/start-listen>

Task: send your English teacher a review of something you have listened to or make a recommendation to someone else that you think might like a particular story via your tutor group team.

An English tutor called Holly King-Mand is leading a **30 minute English lesson** every day via her facebook page. These lessons are aimed at Key Stage 2 and 3.

Link: <https://www.facebook.com/englishwithhollytutoring/>

Task: send your English teacher a piece of work you have produced having taken part in one of the lessons or tell them something you have learnt as a result.

PE

Lots of you may already have seen or taken part in this already: **Joe Wicks** is leading a PE lesson every day at 9am.

Link: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYlRfn6rYQ>

Or search for The Body Coach on Youtube.

Task: give it a go every day and send your tutor a message to let them know what you are up to.

Performing Arts

The Royal Shakespeare Company has opened up its Learning Zone to all.

There are resources and information on 14 of Shakespeare's plays, including *Romeo and Juliet*, *Macbeth*, *King Lear* and *Othello* (all current examination texts).

Link: <https://www.rsc.org.uk/shakespeare-learning-zone/>

Task: add to your understanding of a play you are studying or are due to study in the future or have a look at the resources related to a play you have never heard of and then share your knowledge with your Drama or English Teacher.

National Theatre Live

During the school closure, we will have access to 24 full length National Theatre productions. We are just awaiting instructions for how to log-in so watch this space for that one.

Link: to follow

English National Ballet are sharing full length dance performances via their facebook page.

Link: <https://www.facebook.com/EnglishNationalBallet>

Alvin Ailey Dance Theatre are due to start streaming their works in the very near future.

Link: <https://www.alvinailey.org/ailey-all-access>

Science

Mini-Science projects: Dr Mansfield has created some mini-projects for Physics, Chemistry and Biology – 24 for you to choose from.

The instructions can be found on the NK academy website under 'Learning Zone'.

Link: <https://www.nkacademy.co.uk/>

Chester Zoo are opening their gates virtually. Their live streaming from Friday has been uploaded to Youtube.

Link: <https://www.chesterzoo.org/>

Watch out for information about future live streaming.

Geography

Whilst all travel plans are on hold, why not take **a virtual tour of 10 of the world's most famous landmarks**. From Stonehenge to the Eiffel Tower to much further afield: Machu Picchu in Peru.

Link: <https://www.theguardian.com/travel/2020/mar/30/10-best-virtual-tour-worlds-most-famous-landmarks>

Task: have a look and create your own bucket list of where you want to go when we are all allowed freedom of movement again. Share your list with your Geography teacher or your tutor group and see if anyone else shares your future plans.

KS4 & KS5

You might be interested in all of the links above regardless of your age but the following items are aimed at those of you in Years 10-13.

Remember: **Nothing on this page is compulsory** – but we don't want you getting bored!

The Brilliant Club – University-style learning through masterclasses.

Link: <https://thebrilliantclub.org/the-brilliant-club-for-pupils/info-for-pupils/>

Current masterclasses include:

GCSE English – Creating Conflict in Creative Writing

GCSE Physics – Electricity

History – Law and Order in Medieval Towns

There are also a range of videos around skills that will mean you are 'University Ready'.

UCAS have gathered together a list of **Virtual University Tours**

Link: <https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/what-and-where-study/open-days-and-events/virtual-tours>