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Dear Parent/Guardian

This is a note to update you on the sports provision for the remainder of the lockdown period. Clearly, this is a challenging time to deliver a traditional sports curriculum. The academic sessions at both GCSE and BTEC have been fully running and well attended. We are also looking forward to welcoming the Year 11 on to the Pre-6th programme on the 18th May.

Just before the Easter break there was a range of resources and activities put on Firefly, that I hope you enjoyed and continue to access. The link is here: <https://bas.fireflycloud.net/working-from-home/keeping-healthy/keeping-a-healthy-body>. Mr Mercer, Miss Holt and the Team have also set some challenges, which can be viewed on BAS TV here: <https://web.microsoftstream.com/channel/5d4a6da9-d362-432b-b26c-c0e615e6c93c>

Mrs Brampton has been in regular contact with the Scholars Group and set them a series of tasks and activities too. This will continue for the duration of the term.

The PE Team are currently filming a series of videos that will be published during Junior (Wednesday) and Intermediate (Tuesday) Games sessions. Mr Chapman will curate the sessions and be available online for any advice during these sessions.

It is fantastic to note that even during these strange times, sporting success can still be achieved at Battle Abbey School. We are currently sitting top of the Hastings & Rother section of the Sussex Schools Games. Mrs Brampton has coordinated this and I would encourage all of your children to participate; next week it is football.

Finally, the Houses are running two 1066 challenges; one for volunteering/community and one for sport. The 1066 sport challenge is for each House to collectively travel 1066 miles. This could be as part of the daily exercise outside of the house, or on any home gym equipment. This was launched in House assemblies (all on BAS TV) on Wednesday. Further information from Mrs Brampton can be seen here:

<https://web.microsoftstream.com/video/6628049c-088a-4968-9e62-bc5d294a3a90>

It goes without saying how much the PE Department are missing you all and look forward to seeing you soon.

Kind regards,

The PE Team

The Interhouse Battle Abbey 1066 Miler

Run – Walk – Ride

Welcome to Battle Abbey School's One Thousand and Sixty Six Mile Event!
Enter into our event to see if your House can complete 1066 Miles by end of the Summer term.

As you complete an activity, you can log it by following clicking on the link below:
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=CR-zFxmRRkCbXtczuw14zte4IZ2LQHFAqdCd5dF2UyxUREpYSjkySUIDVTU2NUdUMFdIRkgzMIY5SS4u>

House Destinations:

- **BAS Boomerang** - Battle to Dundee, Scotland and back
- **Madrid**, Spain
- **Budapest**, Hungary
- **Rome**, Italy



#1. House colour is your destination route

#2 Record **method of travel** and submit your miles using the online form:

#3. Gain **bonus points** for identifying key landmarks/points of interest as you travel

#4. Aim – To Win the Event by finishing at your destination – 1066 Miles

#5. All house scores will be collated weekly

#6. Win a place in Gold, Silver, Bronze & Runner Up

Housepoints: Gold = 100, Silver = 80, Bronze = 60, Runner Up = 50

EVENT END DATE – Monday 6th July 2020

RESULTS DAY – Friday 10th July 2020

Weekly Leaderboard updates will be sent to your House M's and shared on BAS TV (on firefly)

