Remote 1:1 lessons/meetings

The world of remote learning has become an essential part of our lives. We have all been on a steep learning curve and are increasingly becoming aware of the opportunities that remote learning provides but also the challenges that it can pose.

One of the main challenges that we face is how to ensure that students receive the personalised support that they would ordinarily receive as part of college life.

The remote learning guidelines that we have already sent out, provide information on 1:1 meetings that are currently taking place. These include:

- Careers meetings
- Meetings with a member of the Alliance Team
- Mindmate Support Meetings
- Stage 1 meetings with a Guidance Support Tutor

We are now aware that 1:1 remote meetings/lessons maybe necessary as part of the curriculum. All students will be receiving a User Agreement that they must sign to say that they have read and understood the expectations around 1:1 meetings and lessons. The expectations are set out below:

- Students must behave professionally at all times during remote lessons and ensure that they follow the principles set out in the college Code of Conduct.
- The college will follow up any incidents of disrespectful behaviour with appropriate sanctions in line with the college behaviour policy.
- Students can choose whether to turn their camera on. If the camera is turned on, the student must ensure that they are in an appropriate place and that if they are in a bedroom the background must be blurred.
- At times, it may be that the teacher requires the student to turn their camera on for an educational purpose. This will be communicated to the student prior to the meeting/lesson.
- The teacher should always blur their background.
- As standard practice, meetings/lessons will not be recorded. If there is a clear. educational purpose for a meeting/lesson to be recorded, the student will be informed of where and how long the recording will be stored.

If you have any concerns regarding 1:1 meetings/lessons, please contact your son/daughter's Head of Alliance or email studentsupport@elliotthudsoncollege.ac.uk