



# The Competition -1

## What skill can you learn?

### Making the most of Coronavirus!

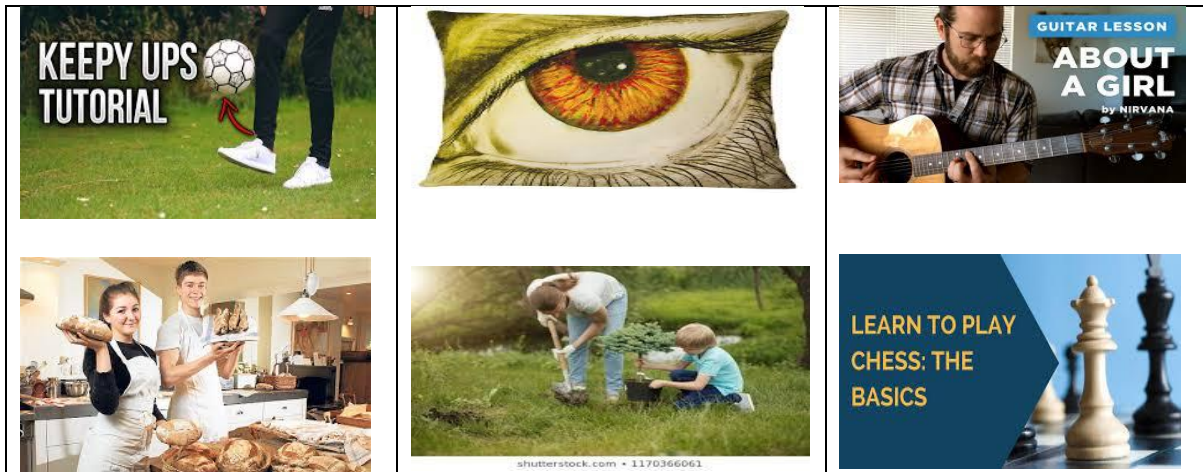


Hello everybody,

How are you all keeping in these strange times? You must look after yourselves and your family. Wash your hands and keep your social distance.

I am hoping that you, like myself, are in isolation. It is vital that we are not infected by the Coronavirus. This will not be here forever, so let's keep on learning.

Whilst in isolation I am taking on new hobbies. Something to do to occupy my mind. To learn. I am doing far more daily exercise in and around the house, daily gardening, improving my piano playing with 2 songs, cooking 3 Chinese meals and reading 5 novels. I get bored watching TV all the time.



### Your First Competition in Isolation

- 1) I would like you all to either take up a new skill or improve an existing one.
- 2) You can get as much support as you need from your family. You tube can be brilliant.
- 3) Learn that new skill over two weeks.
- 4) Record how you have learnt those skills by using photographs or a video.
- 5) Write one page about your goal, your plan, resources and what you achieved. Please check your English!
- 6) Email this to me at [griffithsj404@hwbcymru.net](mailto:griffithsj404@hwbcymru.net).
- 7) Please send this to me by 14<sup>th</sup> April 2020.
- 8) One entry per pupil for a merit point.
- 9) For each year group the best 10 entries will get an early lunch pass (with a friend) on a Friday plus 5 merits. Certificates will be awarded.
- 10) I will reply to each entry via email.

Good luck!

What could your Challenge be? Below are some suggestions but you can select anything that shows that you have improved a skill.

**Exercise skills – having a PEP in the house**

**Reading – knowing a story / stories in depth**

**Gardening – digging, preparing and planting seeds**

**Playing a musical instrument – practices and learn a new song (s)**

**Baking – how to bake cakes / scones etc**

**Cooking – making meals for the family**

**Games – Learn draughts, chess, card games etc**

**Origami – creating objects from paper**

**Netball – shooting and defence**

**Football – keep ups and tricks**

**IT – computer programmes**

**Rugby – passing / throwing to specific slots e.g. ladder rungs**

**Bicycle – tricks**

**Painting – a picture you have in your mind**

**Parents – what skill can you teach your child eg First Aid**

### Year 10 and 11

You know that your GCSEs will be assessed by your teacher and not an exam in June. Why not impress them with some amazing research notes on a particular topic that you will want to study at BTec or A level. I could forward this to your teacher and I am sure that they could take this extra work into account to possibly boost your grade!

Good luck. Use this free time to develop your own learning.

