

HOME LEARNING

Year 9 PD

I would like you read the attached case study about Franklin then answer the following questions

1. What **changes** are affecting Franklins mood and behaviour?
2. How is Franklins mum **feeling**?
3. What can Franklin and his mum **do** to try and get on better?
4. What are Franklin and his Mum **missing** from their lives (apart from Brian)
5. How are all these changes affecting Franklin and his Mums **health** and **well-being**?
6. What **advice** would you offer Franklin if he was your friend?

Case Study - Franklin

Meet Franklin. Franklin is 15 and going to his third new school since starting Secondary school. He has had to leave his last school because of bullying.



The bullying at school started when he was going to school in dirty clothes. Other children started calling him names and Franklin would lash out and get into trouble for fighting.

Franklin's Step Dad died last year. Franklin didn't get on too well with Brian his Step-Dad but he thought he was alright and he was never unkind to Franklin.



Since Brian died Franklin and his mum have had to move home twice, Franklin left some good friends in his old neighbourhood



Franklin's Mum doesn't have a lot of money and has taken on two jobs, one cleaning in the morning and some bar work in the evenings and weekends.

Franklin doesn't see as much of his Mum as he used to and when he does see her they row. His Mum is often tired she cries a lot too.



Mum has started smoking again after giving up for 5 years.

Franklin gets angry a lot. He just wants things to go back to how they used to be.