

Name.....Class

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Dear Family

Home Learning

Mrs Adams has recently written to you explaining the possible circumstances when your child should remain at home to self-isolate. During this period of time away from school it is important that your child is given the opportunity to continue their learning – as the rest of the class will be doing in school.

We are continuing to use Google Classroom as our preferred method of issuing home learning tasks. Many children in years 4 – 6 will be familiar with the platform from during the lock-down period. It allows teachers to set tasks, communicate via the class stream and respond to any work that is submitted.

All children in the school are spending time in computing lessons familiarising themselves with the platform so that if they should need to self-isolate in the future, they will be able to access and complete the tasks without trouble. Class teachers are also issuing weekly homework activities on the platform as a way of ensuring that the children are prepared for its use when necessary.

Procedure for Home Learning

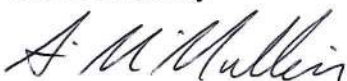
1. You notify the school office that your child is self-isolating.
2. Your child's class teacher will contact you to discuss the work that will be set.
3. The following morning, work will be set on Google Classroom for your child to complete.
4. Your child should complete the work and submit it online so that the teacher is made aware.

We have placed a series of helpful guides on our website under the 'Parents' tab in the 'letters home' section. If you are still experiencing any technical issues with the platform you should first contact your child's class teacher who will be able to help you further.

If there is any reason why your child will not be able to use Google Classroom for home learning, please contact your child's class teacher to make alternative arrangements.

Of course, if your child is at home because they are unwell, they would not be expected to complete any home learning tasks.

Yours sincerely



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