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## COVID Update - hub & home learning

Dear parent/carer,

Monday sees the beginning of a new full week of home learning. Back in September the school evaluated the home learning that we provided between March and June. We have also listened to the needs of our pupils, telephone calls and emails from yourselves and used our buffer days to reorganise our home learning. Therefore, from Monday  $11^{th}$  January and every Monday until the duration of this lockdown you will receive...

- ✓ On HWB a short video message from your class teacher explaining the expectations for the week,
- ✓ On HWB a weekly timetable of home learning,
- ✓ On HWB an invite to a weekly face to face live lesson on 'teams', (Please see attachment on how to access teams).
- ✓ On HWB an invite to a weekly face to face celebration assembly on teams.
- ✓ Access to Active Learn maths challenges and individual Bug Club Reading books.

Working remotely and at home will never replace face to face teaching within school and the classroom environment. Also working remotely bring with it certain safeguarding implications. In line with our Video conferencing and streaming policy, we ask that you share, read and understand the attached agreement between us as practitioners and you as learners, parents and carers. Failure to comply with this agreement may jeopardise future invites and access to live lessons.

Our staff are also manning the school hub. If you feel the need to contact them via their HWB email the staff will reply at an appropriate time within the working week.

Early this morning a decision was made and communicated to us that schools will be closed until Friday  $29^{th}$  January, however, the school will provide a 'provision for education / childcare' for key worker families between Monday  $18^{th}$  and Friday  $29^{th}$  January.

If you believe that you are eligible and your child will be accessing the school's childcare please complete the following questionnaire by 1.00pm on Thursday 14th January.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Ug4\_TzS3ZEGUCRtgHRR5k6yvOdYk6dRFgoCtwn1yRnNUNkVVSDFOUFVURTROQjVCWU5QSIVISUxVRi4u

As a childcare setting we will...

✓ Offer breakfast club between 8.10am and 8.30am. Please us red gate and Yr 1/2 door.

- ✓ Open our childcare at 8.30am and close at 3.00pm. Drop off and pick up will be from the car park gate.
- ✓ We request that all children wrap up warm and wear our school uniform.
- ✓ Create new childcare bubbles. Where possible the children and staff will be consistent within these bubbles. However, we cannot guarantee how many children will attend or from what friendship, age or gender groups.
- ✓ Provide full day childcare for our nursery pupils.
- ✓ Provide daily hot meals. Please purchase through ParentPay.
- ✓ Provide free daily hot meals for our FSM families.

These continue to be difficult times for us all, together we are making a difference and keeping everyone safe and secure as it's 'Our school, Our Community, Our Education'.

Yours. #keepsafe

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