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RE: Home Learning Information – January 2021

Dear parents and carers,

I hope you and your family are keeping well.

As you may know, we've been planning ahead in case we have to move to remote learning for individual pupils, bubbles or the whole school. Our priority is to provide a seamless transition between learning in school and at home to cause as little disruption as possible. We're therefore using Google Classrooms as our virtual platform to deliver our learning. All pupils have been issued their account details and have been trained on how to use the platform.

You can use Google classroom on any device. Your child's teacher will advise the best way to learn at home and send links to the relevant lessons through our virtual learning platform.

Home learning will start at 9am and finish at 3.30pm. All work for the day will be uploaded at 9am.

EYFS

Nursery	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Using Edmodo as a virtual learning platform• Daily contact with teachers via Zoom meeting to share news, songs and stories (families will be sent a link and time to access)• A recorded pre-phonics activity each day• A daily pre-recorded maths activity• Uploaded activities linking to curriculum areas
Reception	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daily contact with teachers via Google Meets to share news, songs and stories (families will be sent a link and time to access)• A phonics lesson each day – link will be posted• A prerecorded daily writing task linking to class text• Maths task shared via Google Classrooms using Oak Academy• Reading – group texts shared and questions posed

KS1

Subject	Remote teaching and learning provision
Reading <i>daily</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daily phonics lesson link shared• Daily extract or texts shared with comprehension questions to complete
Writing <i>daily</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Children to use Oak academy literacy• Children can upload work to Google Classroom• Head start spelling

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Maths <i>daily</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • White Rose Maths scheme followed • Links to daily home learning video & activity • Teachers talk through learning and support children in Google Meet session • Google Forms used for assessment • Daily Arithmetic activity posted • Tables Rock Stars
Science, Humanities, RE or art Daily activity <i>Weekly cycle</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children’s work and activities posted daily • Teacher to talk through work during Google Meet sessions • Oak Academy sessions where appropriate

KS2

Subject	Remote teaching and learning provision
Reading <i>daily</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Focus texts and extracts with comprehension questions • Teacher to feedback on learning during Google Meet session
Writing <i>5 x weekly</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extracts and video prompts for writing • Flipcharts narrated using explain everything app for pupil use • Children can upload work to Google Classroom • Head start spelling
Maths <i>daily</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • White Rose Maths scheme followed • Links to daily home learning video & activity shared • Teachers talk through learning and support children in Google Meet session • Google Forms used for assessment • Daily Arithmetic activity posted • Timestable rock stars
Science, humanities, RE or art Daily activity <i>Weekly cycle</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher narrated flipchart or activities posted daily • Oak Academy sessions where appropriate

All classes

Class Celebration Assembly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Every Thursday via Google Meets to celebrate great learning at home
Mindfulness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily mindfulness activity focusing on the zones of regulation, breathing and a mindful activity



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PSHE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Weekly activity linking to jigsaw curriculum
Class meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Your child will be given a time and link sent by the class teacher to attend a small group feedback session lead by class teacher Monday – Thursday.

All learning can be recorded in your child’s homework book. If you need more learning resources such as workbooks, pens, pencils etc please contact the school office. If you have any questions, need any support or have ideas on how our remote learning could be improved, please get in touch with the office. We are here to help.

With best wishes,

Jo Smith

Headteacher