Home learning support

What's my child expected to do?

We're determined to keep all of our pupils on-track this year and make sure no one falls behind whilst the school has been directed to close due to Covid-19. So, we want to make sure your child can learn as much as possible at home. The following new guidelines cover our ideal expectations of what we'd like your child to do while learning remotely, and how we plan to support you and them.

Each **weekday** we'd like your child to:

> **Log in to live lessons via zoom,** which will be delivered by a teacher from their year group for Maths, Literacy, Phonics and Topic. An email link for the zoom lesson will be sent to your email address. The timetable for these live lessons is as follows:

Live lesson	Reception
Literacy	9:00
Maths	10:00
Phonics	11:00
Topic	1:00

> **Use the work packs** for daily work which children can complete after the zoom lessons.

> Complete and submit the completed work using the Reception teacher email, so that your child's work can be reviewed by the teacher and next steps offered.

For those children who do not have access to technology for online learning, work packs will be available – please contact the school office. However, please make every effort to join in with the live lessons as much as possible.

It is important that your child engages with home learning. If they do not, the class teacher will make a weekly phone call home.

What support will the school provide?

> **Regular feedback** so your child knows how they're doing. This will be through answering questions within the live lessons and marking/adding comments on the work submitted throughout email. (within 24 hours of submission).
> **Technical support** can be provided over the phone if required. Please contact the school office to arrange this.

What can I do to help my child?

Create a positive environment for your child to learn at home, for example:

> **Distinguish between weekdays and weekends**, to separate school life and home life.
> **Designate a working space if possible**, and at the end of the day have a clear cut-off to signal school time is over.

> **Create and stick to a routine**, as this is what your child is used to at school. For example, eat breakfast at the same time each morning and make sure they're dressed before starting the 'school' day.
> **Stick a timetable up on the wall** so everyone knows what they should be doing when, and tick activities off throughout the day.
> **Follow the 'Virtual Learning Code of Conduct'** to ensure everyone stays safe whilst learning online.
> **Make time for exercise and breaks** throughout the day to keep your child active.