Our Remote Learning Offer

Our remote learning offer is based upon the use of Zoom and Seesaw.

There will be a combination of live 'check ins' which will take place every morning for the whole class on Zoom and independent learning accessed through the day via Seesaw. Every child has been given access to a home learning code which will allow them to access their activities. Teachers will also make pre-recorded videos to teach a specific idea or concept and these will be posted onto Seesaw.

Each class has access to a whole class Zoom where the learning for the day will be introduced and explained. This will also take place with the children of critical workers who are in school so that the teaching is consistent. Staff are available throughout the school day until 4pm to give feedback on completed activities and to help answer any questions children may have. Please message them on Seesaw. Any work posted after 4pm will be addressed the following working day.

The school has a number of devices available for loan. If you would like access to one please email the school office and we will arrange to get it to you.

Activities
• 'Live' Daily Register and Check in Time on Zoom @ around 09.15 • Teachers may upload to Seesaw up to 2 Recorded Teaching points • 1 English Activity • 1 Maths Activity • In Reception and KS1, a Phonics activity • At least 1 other Curriculum Subject • Weekly PE Challenge • From time to time there may also be a longer project-based activity which will continue over a number of days.

Remote Learning Safety and Expectations

To support school in providing remote learning, parents and carers should:

• Answer the phone to school staff or return calls, messages or emails. Staff may call from a withheld number

• Supervise your child's internet use and online learning – make sure you are aware of what they have been asked to do and the websites they need to access.

• Make sure you know who your child is talking to or messaging.

• If a member of staff calls to speak to your children – check that you know who they are, speak to the member of staff yourself before your child talks to them, stay in the room while your child is on the phone.

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Guidelines for All Video Calls and Video lessons

• The parent or carer must make sure their child and other members of the household are aware the video call is happening,

• Staff, children and other members of the household must wear suitable clothing

• Devices used should be in appropriate areas, for example, not in bedrooms; and where possible be against a neutral background.

• Language must be professional and appropriate, including any family members in the background.

• The same expectations apply for remote teaching and conversations as normal school conduct.

• If the teacher has any concerns about children (or other members of the household) using unsuitable language, dress, location, the conversation will be ended and concerns will be recorded and passed to the Head teacher.

• Live classes should be kept to a reasonable length of time and should take place during normal lesson times.

1:1 Video Conversations:

• Staff will only ever video call a pupil with prior agreement or at the request of parents/ carers. The Head teacher must agree to the call taking place.

• This will be at a pre-arranged time and day, within the usual school working hours.

• The staff member will speak first with the parent or carer to check they are aware of the call.