

7th January 2021

Dear Year Six Parents/Carers

Once again, we find ourselves in Lockdown. However, we want you to know we will do all that we can to help and support you over the coming weeks to make this time run as smoothly as possible and to ensure the children at home and at school access the same learning opportunities.

Each week, we will update the home learning page on our school website. There will be a full week of English and Maths work for your child to complete. We have also signposted you to Bug Club, My Maths and TT (Times Tables) Rockstars. Spellings are on the website for children to access and learn on a daily basis. Parents may wish to test their children on weekly spellings at the end of each week. Assemblies will also be available on the Heyhouses YouTube channel.

For key worker children who will attend school on some, but not all days, please note that we will follow the same programme of work in school as we provide online. To prevent repetition of activities please support your child to complete the daily learning as specified on the website when not in school.

All work assigned can be found on the Heyhouses website/Home learning/Year Six. There are three tabs to look at - Maths, English and Other Learning.

Reading

Reading remains a top priority for all children. Please encourage your child to read for at least 25 minutes each day - either using Bug Club or real books. A reading log or diary would be great to keep too alongside completing the Bug Club quizzes.

Zoom Calls

We will be hosting Zoom calls from Thursday 14th January. Please check your MyEd messages to find your Zoom invitation.

Online Learning and Books

To provide additional work away from an electronic device access, two workbooks - Maths and English - are currently being ordered and will be available as soon as we receive them. We hope that this will be sometime next week and we will send out a MyEd to let you know when you can pick them up from school.

Email

The Year 6 teachers will be in school every day to teach Key Workers' children and to provide online learning. We are here to support you as much as possible so please free to communicate with us via email if you have any concerns or problems. However, please bear with us if we don't reply to email messages promptly, as we may be teaching. Our email addresses are as follows:

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Thank you so much for all your support. Please let your children know that we are very proud of them and we are looking forward to seeing them back in the classroom again in the near future.

The Year Six Team