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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are sorry that your child cannot be in school today. We would like to offer some level of educational support to your child if they are well enough. As you can imagine this is a tricky process as we could have at any moment a number of children off at any given time. The Government have funded Oak Academy Trust lessons to support learning at home in these circumstances. The support package that Oak offers includes a video lesson from a trained teacher, visual material and independent learning that is then explained in detail. Your child can stop and start the tutorial at any point giving them some level of control and flexibility. There is also no need for further worksheets or printing. In Class R, we will be using Oak to support your child's learning in English and the wider curriculum, and using White Rose Maths to support learning in Maths.

English:

For English, the texts that are used are not always ones that we cover in class. However, all learning is linked to the development of the expectations for the year group that your child is in. For English, please start with 'The Noisy House' unit.

Maths:

For Maths, we are intending to match the units of learning we are teaching in class with the units we ask your child to cover from White Rose Maths. Please see the details below to work out which area of Maths needs to be covered. It is vital that they start at the first lesson of each block as the learning is progressive.

Other subjects:

For other subjects, we would encourage your child to follow the 'All About Me' lessons from the Understanding the World section of the Oak schedule in the first instance. Alternatively, you may wish to refer to the Quest Overview document on the class pages of the school website to find the topics that are currently being covered in class. You could use this information to search for these topics within Oak Academy.

How might this work?

For example: Your child is not in school but still feels well enough to complete work. You and your child could visit the Oak Academy Trust website at <https://classroom.thenational.academy/> and follow the instructions below.

English and other subjects:

1. Click on 'subjects'.
2. Click on 'Early Years Foundation Stage'.
3. Click on 'Literacy' for English or 'Understanding the World' for other subjects.



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- Click on the first lesson in the unit and work through on a day-to-day basis (to maintain progression).

Maths:

- Visit the website <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning?year=early-years>
- Select the unit for the week of term that you are in.
- Start at 'Session 1' for that week.
- Progress through the lessons accordingly.

Additional Learning Support

The websites listed below will help to support your child's learning across the curriculum. Please feel free to explore these with them when looking for additional ideas.

Phonics & Reading	Maths	PE	Other
Access to online books: https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0	Practise counting and number facts with the Numberblocks. https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/numberblocks	Oti Mabuse Dance routines, including Moana and Frozen. https://www.youtube.com/user/mosetsanagape	Lots of ideas for getting crafty! https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/makes
https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk to play a game to help practise your phonics – aim for Phase 2.	Play a game to practise ordering numerals and counting. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zjkphbk/articles/zd4b382	Themed yoga, including Pokemon, Frozen and Trolls. https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga	Have a singalong at home or learn a new song. https://www.singup.org/free-resources/songs-for-learning/4-7
	More maths ideas and challenges. https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning?year=early-years	Andy's Wild Workouts. https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p06tmmvz	The CBeebies Go Explore app has lots of great activities covering all areas of the EYFS. https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/cbeebies-go-explore-app

Best wishes,

Mrs Smith



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