



OAKFIELD ACADEMY

BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE

Friday 20th March 2020

Dear Parent,

Take care everyone, particular thanks to those who have gone to great lengths to keep their children home and to all our key workers.... We're thinking of you.

Keeping in Touch!

We will be in touch with a weekly newsletter, so please send in any pictures of activities or work to celebrate with everyone to the academy email box: oakfieldacademy@educ.somerset.gov.uk

Learning Activities

If you have to be at home, we have suggested activities and links for continuing learning on our website.

Many subjects use online resources for homework and to help support learning in the classroom so it is important that pupils know their username and passwords. All these facilities and links can be found on the

[*Little Lessons*](#) and

<https://www.oakfieldacademy.co.uk/pupils/scholarship-greater-depth> pages on the website.

Alongside this we would encourage that pupils read for at least an hour a day as this will support them in their literacy skills. Sometimes activities such as family board games; discussions around new articles from Newsround, <https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround>, painting or drawing; viewing and discussing films; walking or even in-house karaoke(!) can all benefit pupils if they find themselves learning from home.

The National Trust have opened parklands and gardens for free during coronavirus social distancing period, please see link below:

https://www.discoverwildlife.com/news/national-trust-free-coronavirus/?fbclid=IwAR1gDBnMzK_8c4eL_gIHZhs0cYNGWnL-7vatKMR812bcJwoimbRlpJUzp1Q

Online Safety

Parents and pupils must have knowledge of online dangers.

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/>

Provision of Care places from Monday 23rd March.

We are requested to keep everyone safe by keeping numbers requiring school attendance as low as possible. Places have now been individually confirmed, so please DO NOT SEND children to school on Monday unless you have received this confirmation

Safeguarding

If you have a safeguarding concern during this period of closure please would you contact the academy via our email: oakfieldacademy@educ.somerset.gov.uk or phone: 01373 462539 and we will forward to our safeguarding team. If your concern is urgent, contact the police or children's social care.

Yours Sincerely,

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