



Email Message dated: 12.01.2021

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to announce that our school has recently received a very generous donation from Ely Community Unit. This donation covers the cost of us being able to service our Chromebooks so that they can be loaned to pupils who are accessing remote learning from home. These are not devices provided by the DfE, these are our own class set of Chromebooks and we are using the donation and working with Cambridgeshire ICT Services to ensure they are suitable for our remote provision.

All families who identified a need in our recent survey will receive a device within the next two weeks. Our aim is to ensure no siblings at Rackham will have to share devices. Unfortunately, it will take a couple of weeks for the Chromebooks to be ready to send home and we will write to families with details about the loan process in due course.

I would like to thank Ely Community Unit for their generosity. It is important to note we have not yet been able to order any devices from the DfE and that this act of kindness has ensured our pupils will not be missing out on learning opportunities as we wait for the Government to honour their promise. This kindness will make a huge difference to their learning experiences and will help our staff in their continued efforts to support all pupils at home.

Kind Regards,
Bridget Harrison