

## Key Stage 2 Home Learning Arrangements

### Year 4

#### Home Learning in the event of a “Bubble” closure

Should a whole class bubble be required to shut, home learning will be arranged as follows:

##### Maths:

Each class is following the White Rose Maths planning, which is available for each year group at:

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/> . A daily video lesson is available here to watch.

Your class teacher will email to let you know which week you should be working from. Your child will bring home their workbook, to use along with each video lesson. Answers can be found at

<https://whiterosemaths.com/workbook-answers/> . Workbooks should be returned to school when the bubble re-opens.

N.B. If your child was already self-isolating prior to the bubble closure, they will continue to receive emailed worksheets.

##### Literacy:

Home learning for literacy will be based on the government-backed National Oak Academy – an online classroom offering free access to teachers delivering video lessons, along with activities and worksheets. See <https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year> for an overview.

The class teacher / TA will email to let you know which unit the class will be following and will provide a direct link. Work through the unit, one lesson each day. Aim to complete one lesson each day for the time that the bubble is closed. The class teacher will specify which activities/completed work should be sent in for feedback and how this should be done.

Spellings should continue to be practised as usual, using “Purple Mash”.

Individual reading should continue as usual, with your child filling in their reading record regularly. They will be able to choose an extra book to take home for the duration of the bubble’s closure. This should be returned as per the usual system of returning reading books when the bubble re-opens.

##### Afternoon activities:

Your child will be sent work to be completed each afternoon for different subjects. This work will be either emailed to you or set as a 2Do on Purple Mash.

If the bubble shuts during a school day, the children will be sent home with a pack that includes a variety of additional activities for maths and literacy, which will not need a computer/printer to access them. There will also be an exercise book in the pack for the children to use to be able to complete the work.

In addition, your child will be given a project, linked to national curriculum expectations, which includes a range of activities based around a theme. Many of the activities will not require access to a computer and are aimed to be more creative. The project is provided as an extra and can be completed by individuals or family groups.

### Additional activities:

Children may also choose to access any of the following activities:

- “Oddizzi” Geography activities: Lots of activities online, investigating countries, environmental issues and knowledge of countries and places. Log into <https://www.oddizzi.com/> using the username **homeschool** and password **oddizzi**.
- Digimaps: You can log on to Digimaps for Schools at <https://digimapforschools.edina.ac.uk/> using our school log-in (see below) and try some of the activities they suggest. Look under the Free Learning Resources section >> Pupil activities on the top menu of the log-in page. The Map Quiz and Map Your Walk are two good activities to start with. Each one has a helpful video to show you how to use the site and complete the activity. The login details are Username: **LA14SE** and Password: **sllds3429**.
- A fun way of learning key knowledge about the world is “World Geography Games” <https://world-geography-games.com/>. These brain-engaging geography games will test your knowledge and help you recall countries of the world, capitals, continents, islands, oceans and much more.