THE ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents and Children,

Congratulations on another sterling effort with remote education! I hope you have all found it ok. We are under no illusions that this is not an easy task for you at home and appreciate all your efforts. Your messages and queries have also really helped and we have taken on board the feedback.

The children have again produced some excellent work. I receive notifications every time something is posted and it is simply remarkable how much work is being produced across the school. Thank you for helping your children with this.

Making it work

We recognise that balancing work and supporting your child is very challenging. As such we have made a few changes to our weekly timetable (see below letter) to reflect this. Please note that although we would love to see your child at every session we appreciate this is not always possible. I do not want children or parents to become stressed with the situation we are in. Everyone is doing their best and if a break is needed for you as a family we do understand. We have also looked at making the afternoon sessions more practical and relaxed to give you time to enjoy being together as a family or to catch up on anything you feel is important. The government states that Key Stage 2 should receive 4 hours of learning each day and Key Stage 1 receive 3 hours. I have attached a short video to the timetable to explain our thinking.

Trouble accessing remote learning or broadband issues?

If you experience any difficulty with the online learning, broadband issues or technology issues please get in touch, we will do our best to help. There are avenues that we can go down to try and support vulnerable families with access to laptops and internet access. Please also let us know if you would benefit from an additional laptop or iPad if you have more than one child with us. We may be able to help in this area. Please complete this very simple Google Form if you are interested.

https://forms.gle/UyvtHQ2FQta1vumFA

Register

The Department for Education guidance states that schools should record the attendance of children who attend online lessons, so as we would in school a register is being taken both in the morning and the afternoon session. Please ensure your child is registered at least once a day.

Online French Lessons

Don't forget our online French session each Thursday. Details are on the attached timetable below.





Thank you again for all that you are doing and the support you have given the staff. As always, if there are any problems at all, please get in touch via the school office email and we will do our very best to support you in any way we can.

Best wishes to you and your family. Take care and stay safe.

Mr J Wynn Head Teacher

Week commencing 18th January 2021

Please find below a slightly updated timetable for home learning. All links remain the same. When possible please login through your child's Google account for ease of access to the meetings. If you have not yet managed to do so please login to Google Classroom which is the best place to message your teacher from and to send in work. Any issues please telephone or email us and we will be more than happy to assist. Please also note the red sessions are compulsory and orange optional to give you greater flexibility.

For more information please copy and paste the following video link below.

https://www.loom.com/share/b9dd6d0071fc4b28860b5dffd06eca6e

Class 1 home learning	meet.google.com/rnb-ttjv-ebk	
Class 2 home learning	meet.google.com/mox-hmyr-nvs	
Class 3 home learning	meet.google.com/tyc-eyrg-zvq	
Class 4 home learning	meet.google.com/tvi-opai-xqp	
Class 3 support	meet.google.com/fiz-fbjo-shj	
Class 2 support	meet.google.com/zoy-cayh-xbx	
Class 1 support	meet.google.com/txc-zhpi-rei	
Class 4 support	meet.google.com/ygz-ydwp-qgo	

	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4
8:30				Register and welcome for day: meet.google.com/tvi-opai- xqp

9 Registration and Maths INDEPENDENT	
input	INDEPENDENT
Year 2: Maths work Meet.google.com/mox-	se Start your White Rose maths work
hmyr-nvs Year 1: meet.google.com/zoy- cayh-xbx	
meet.google.com/fiz- shj	-fbjo-
Miss Milward online t Year 4: meet.google.com/tyc zvq	
ANSWERS WILL BE PROVIDED ON GOO CLASSROOM	
9:30 Teacher input for both Nursery and Reception. Staff available if you get stuck with your work:	INDEPENDENT
Literacy/maths challenge. Wear 2: meet.google.com/rnb-ttjv-ebk Meet.google.com/mox- hmyr-nvs	se Complete White Rose maths
Year 1: meet.google.com/zoy- cayh-xbx	
10:00 Teacher input for En	glish:
meet.google.com/tyc zvq	o-eyrg-
Mrs Smith's group fo English:	pr
meet.google.com/fiz- shj	-fbjo-
10:30	Teacher input for English:
	meet.google.com/tvi-opai- xqp
11:00 Lesson 2 Teacher input	
Year1 and 2: meet.google.com/mox- hmyr-nvs	
11:30 Phonics Reception Mrs Staff available if you get Coleman-Harris stuck with your work: meet.google.com/rnb-ttjv-ebk stuck with your work:	
Phonics Nursery Miss Wood meet.google.com/txc-zhpi-rei	
12:00 Teacher input 2:	
meet.google.com/tyc zvq	
12:30	Teacher input: meet.google.com/tvi-opai-

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1:00		Phonics lessons		
		Year 1: meet.google.com/mox- hmyr-nvs Year 2: meet.google.com/zoy- cayh-xbx		
1:30	Teacher input- topic challenge.			
	This will also be posted on the blog and Google classroom.			
	Mrs Coleman-Harris will be available on google meet if you would like to talk through anything.			
	meet.google.com/rnb-ttjv-ebk			
2:00				Teacher input maths support if children require any additional help : Year 6 Mrs Bennett meet.google.com/tvi-opai- xqp Year 5 maths support: meet.google.com/ygz- ydwp-qgo ANSWERS WILL BE PROVIDED ON GOOGLE CLASSROOM
2:30	Class 1 Story time/game/ social interaction with peers meet.google.com/txc-zhpi-rei	Maths support if needed meet.google.com/mox- hmyr-nvs Class 2 Story time/social interaction with peers meet.google.com/zoy- cayh-xbx		
3:00	Votes for Schools Worship meet.google.com/ena-hdcs- syu	Worship meet.google.com/ena- hdcs-syu	Reverend Anne Worship meet.google.com/ena- hdcs-syu	Worship (Bible story) meet.google.com/ena- hdcs-syu

Afterschool Online French Club

French lesson on a <u>Thursday</u> with Madame Elliott, these lessons can be accessed through the following links

Times as follows:

Key Stage 1: 3:45pm-4:15pm (Reception are welcome to pop along and have a go)

meet.google.com/mox-hmyr-nvs

Key Stage 2: 4:15pm-4:45pm (both classes will be together for this session)

meet.google.com/tvi-opai-xqp