

Tuesday 16th September

Dear Parents/Carers of Before and After School Children

Firstly thank you for your patience today and last evening, it has been a logistical nightmare. For the class sent home it is an easy task, they are all accessing Google Classroom with the teacher as she is at home and can put the time to it.

Unfortunately though the children sent home from the club are all in different classes and their teachers are currently teaching all day and therefore cannot engage with the children at home.

Therefore we have implemented the following:

We have created Virtual Classrooms just for them on Google Classroom and they have been invited today using the email and log in sent home yesterday. Each morning the class teacher will upload the work from the previous day for them to complete. This will be done by 11am at the latest and often before (please remember the teachers are teaching the rest of the class). As with all things remote, the work may be too easy or too hard and they may need your input. If required you can supplement the work with BBC Bitesize and the Oak Academy etc etc.

Google Classroom is new to us this year, purchased to help with homework but more importantly in lockdown situations. However with all things new there will be teething issues and problems. Please be patient and do not hesitate to get in touch if you are struggling.

Thank you

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