

Pyncroft Grange Blended Learning Package

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of ensuring we are always reflecting and moving forward at Pyncroft Grange School, we have reviewed our remote learning offer. This will apply if your child is unable to attend school due to Covid-related reasons. Please take some time to read through the arrangements we have put in place, and the next steps to ensure that you are ready to access this, if needed.

If an individual or small group of children are self-isolating or awaiting the outcome of tests:

- In these circumstances, children will be offered access to the Oak National Academy <https://classroom.thenational.academy/schedule-by-year>. Here there are daily lessons planned. Alternatively, you can go on our school website and under curriculum/year groups each class has a curriculum map which clearly indicates what the children would be learning this half term in school. On the Oak National Academy web page, you can click on the subject's tab, then chose the appropriate subject and select the area of learning you want to focus on.
- There are maths knowledge organisers to support children's understanding on the school website under the COVID 19 tab.
- The class teacher will continue to allocate the children books on Bug Club, which can be marked remotely.
- The children have login details to Times Tables Rockstars.
- A member of SLT will make regular contact with families.

Teachers are unable to allocate children individual learning as they are planning and teaching children in school.

If your child is part of a bubble that is not permitted to attend school and is self-isolating because there has been a positive test; or your child's bubble has closed or is on rotation due to staff shortages or a local or national lockdown:

Year 1-6

- We will provide an appropriate balance of online teaching sessions and independent learning activities guided by the class teacher.
- All children have a home learning pack.
- All children have a user name and password for Microsoft Teams. Parents will complete a home school online agreement prior to teaching sessions. Once you have agreed to the terms and conditions on the agreement form you will receive an email that will remind you of your child's log in details and how to access Microsoft Teams.
- The children will have a welcome meeting each morning with the class teacher via TEAMS.
- Daily maths, English and wider curriculum areas will be taught through Microsoft Teams.
- This learning will continue in line with the curriculum sequence and expectations in the same way that it would within the classroom. Children's knowledge and skills will be built incrementally so that they can then complete set tasks and assignments, which may be completed within the online lesson or independently after the lesson.

- Teachers will provide feedback during the lesson, address misconceptions and learning completed independently will be marked when the children return to school.
- Assessment and feedback will be used to adjust the pace of learning or level of difficulty as necessary, with further learning then adapted as a result.
- Teachers will plan a series of independent learning activities that will be available on the school website under curriculum/year group.
- The children will have access to reading books on Bug Club and Times Tables Rockstars.
- There are maths knowledge organisers to support children's understanding on the school website under the COVID 19 tab.

Reception

- Children in Reception will receive their learning via Tapestry. Login details for Tapestry have already been given to you by your child's class teacher.

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- Children have a home learning pack.
- Teachers will make contact with parents on an individual basis with learning to support their child's learning journey.
- Children will have a Microsoft Teams meeting with their class teacher weekly (this will be a story or an attention for autism bucket session)
- Where possible, outside agencies will continue to provide their sessions remotely.

Nursery

- Children have a home learning pack.
- Children in Nursery should look at the year group page on the school website for learning opportunities to complete with your child.

We want to be able to support all families to be able to access this learning. We have some laptops from the Department of Education that we can loan children for the period of their isolation. Please speak to Mrs Nardoni or Miss Colley if you are interested in this.

If you have any questions relating to the blended learning package please email Head@pyrcroftgrange.surrey.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

Mrs Nardoni