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FW: Remote Learning

Dear Parents and Carers,

Once again, we find ourselves in a situation where remote learning is required. Using experiences from last year, we have worked hard as a school to put systems in place with the aim of making this as effective as possible. We want to work in partnership with you to ensure that the children's learning continues to progress over this period.

A letter was sent out via ParentMail last term detailing what would happen in the event of remote learning being required. It is also on the school website. Please do take another look at this to refresh your memory.

Below is a brief summary of how learning will be delivered and how work should be submitted. (This is slightly different for younger year groups due to the different types of resources required for teaching.) For all year groups please do encourage reading every day and discuss the text with your child when possible. Also, please aim for some form of physical exercise each day.

EYFS (Squirrels):

Learning challenges for Squirrels will be shared through their class page and Facebook site. Mrs. Davy will be sharing further details of this with you today.

Key Stage One:

- A weekly overview will be shared on the webpage of each class and on Class Dojo.
- Instructional videos will be shared on Class Dojo.
- Tasks will be set through portfolios on Class Dojo and work should be submitted through this too.
- Messages and additional resources will be shared through Class Story on Class Dojo.
- There will be a weekly Zoom social meeting. Details of this will be shared on Class Dojo.

Key Stage Two:

- A weekly overview will be shared on the webpage of each class and on Class Dojo.
- Instructional videos will be shared on Class Dojo when needed.
- Tasks will be set through portfolios on Dojo and work should be submitted through this too.
- Messages and additional resources will be shared through Class Story on Class Dojo.
- From next week, there will be a weekly Zoom social meeting and two live lessons

per week. Details of these will be shared on Class Dojo.

Monitoring of work:

By using Class Dojo to set and submit tasks, we are able to respond to work submitted and also monitor the amount of work done. We anticipate that all tasks set will be completed but also understand that home-schooling, often whilst working full-time yourself, is not easy. If your child is having problems with the work please do get in touch so that we can support them and you. It is essential that we work together to ensure that their education continues and does not stagnate. We will be checking in regularly to offer support and encouragement.

Technology:

At the beginning of the academic year, we sent out a questionnaire to assess where support might be needed with technology to enable children to access learning at home. We are currently working through this list and contacting families who may need support. If circumstances have changed or you feel that you need support and have not yet been contacted, please do contact the school and we will do our best to assist you.

We look forward to working with you to achieve the best for the children and also to welcoming them back into the classroom as soon as we are able.

Best wishes,
Sheerhatch Primary School