

## Frequently asked questions

### ***What is the school system for remote learning?***

We use Classdojo for sharing our home learning. This platform is very child friendly and allows parents and pupils to contact teachers easily. Staff will share activities to complete and direct teaching videos.

### ***What is the best way to hand work in?***

If children are working via the app then they can complete the activity on line then click 'hand in' in the top right hand corner.

If children are printing activities out then they can be photographed and sent back via the portfolio

Instructions for this can be found on the parentmail that was sent 13.1.21

### ***Which worksheets should we be printing off and which should we be completing on line?***

Please do whichever methods works best according to the device you are using. If worksheets are being printed off them the best way to send them back to us is via the portfolio.

### ***How do we print off worksheets?***

This can only be done via a browser, not the app. Please follow the instructions sent home on 13.1.21 where there are screen shots of images you can follow to support this.

Or screen shot/print screen can be used but this is not always of good enough quality.

### ***How much should we support our child?***

That would need to be determined on an individual basis as all families have different circumstances at the moment. We are happy for children to have completed work independently or to have support if families have the capacity to do so. If parents felt their child need lots of support they could add a comment as part of the activity.

### ***Can live teaching be facilitated?***

For every parent who wants live lessons we have a parent who doesn't. Please trust that we have tried to have a complete overview of our school community and have done what is best. When planning our home learning offer, we looked at research from the EEF (Education Endowment Fund) as well as access to devices and the needs of our families. Direct teaching will be provided for each Maths and English lesson through a recorded video either of a member of staff or a recommended source.

### ***What should we be receiving in Maths?***

A daily maths activity with a learning video to help explain the task. Where possible the teachers will upload a link to you can print sheets easily.

### ***What should we be receiving in English?***

A daily English activity with a learning video to help explain the task. Where online activities are used staff will upload the link too.

### ***What other lessons will the children be getting?***

Classes will receive 1 other lesson each day. This could be topic based, science, RE, phonics. This should have a learning video to support too.

### ***Is there any additional work we could do if we wanted?***

All children can access Rising Stars reading books and can read daily. Year 2-6 have access to TT Rockstars and older children have access to Sumdog/Mathletics.