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Dear Parents/Guardian

Please find attached our adapted Homework policy. In the event that your child's class will have to be at home for an extended period of time, i.e. a period of quarantine or local lockdown, their learning will switch to the Google Classroom Platform. We have found the use of Google Classroom in school a really valuable tool in setting work and developing children's independent learning and are keen to develop this.

Since the start of this year, all classes have been using this in school so that the children are aware of what it is and how it can be used to access work and 'hand the work in'. In order to prepare for this, we are going to begin to use this platform for homework tasks so that pupils and parents become familiar with this platform.

With children in Years 1 and 2, this will require a degree of adult support, but this would also be the case for any written tasks sent.

Mr Stubbs, our IT lead, will be uploading a Parental Help Presentation to the website to support parents to access the platform.

In the first instance, Year 3 and Year 6 will access homework tasks next week (25/9/20) to trial off site access and iron out any issues before it goes live to the whole school on the 2nd October. Parents in Year 3 and 6 will receive an additional letter with further guidance to support you on Monday.

Reception children will continue to be set their tasks on Tapestry.

We will be seeking feedback on this in the coming weeks once the system is fully up and running.

Further information on remote learning will be sent next week.

Yours sincerely

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Deputy Headteacher



