

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope this finds you all well and managing this strange, new world of remote learning. We acknowledge that it provides some significant challenges. Despite our, and your best efforts, it is likely that these will continue in coming weeks – with both the internet and devices.

We also thank you for the amazing work you are doing supporting your children and keeping them safe.

In order to support remote learning we are also providing workbooks and work packs which contain the work your child should attempt each week. A work pack will be supplied each Thursday. You will need to paste this work pack into the work book. Be assured we are trying to organise remote teaching for Monday but there may be some issues. That's okay – use the website and/or workbooks instead. You are not expected to teach, rather to support your children in their learning.

### **Workbooks will contain all codes, logins and passwords your child needs for remote learning.**

Pick up for books is as follows. Please note that we have 380 families at the school **so you may have to wait in line** (using social distance guidelines). **ONLY ONE PERSON FROM EACH FAMILY MAY ENTER. YOU MAY COME IN OR YOU MAY GET YOUR CHILD TO COLLECT WHILST YOU WAIT OUTSIDE.** This is to ensure we are adhering to social distance rules.

### **COLLECTING BOOKS/ WORK PACKS - Every Thursday**

**Pick up times are as follows and are based on the surname (last name) of Adult A, as listed in our records**

<b>If the surname of Adult A begins:</b>	<b>then you need to pick up books between...</b>
<b>A or B</b>	<b>9am and 10am</b>
<b>C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J</b>	<b>10am and 11am</b>
<b>K,L,M</b>	<b>11am and 12pm</b>
<b>N,O,P,Q,R,S,</b>	<b>12pm and 1pm</b>
<b>T,U,V,W,X,Y,Z</b>	<b>1 pm and 2pm</b>

This will take place in the FLATS (GYM). You will need to enter via the gate on Powell drive. Do not enter the office building. A staff member will be at the FLATS to direct you. PLEASE BE PATIENT.

If your child did work prior to the holidays you may bring it in for teachers to collect and mark.

PLEASE can you also bring any reading books (whether from classrooms or the library) ready to be swapped over. You will be able to borrow more home reading books for your child to read. **Please ask your children what level books they are currently reading** so the books you take home are at their level of reading independence (or that you can read with them).

If you cannot come on Thursdays or at the assigned time please email the school and we will arrange another time for you.

This is all complicated but we will get really good at this! Again, thank you for your patience. We are all in this together!

Many thanks,

Stay safe and healthy,

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