5<sup>th</sup> January 2021



Dear Parents/Carers,

## Remote Learning

The staff have been working hard to get learning up and running remotely for your child.

There is now a 'Remote Education Provision information for parents' sheet on the website (parents tab, covid information) which provides general information for you.

From tomorrow, work has been set by the class teacher for each class in Google classroom (and Tapestry for reception).

Your child should by now be familiar with their log in details as they have been completing homework online already but if you/they are unsure please ring/email the office for this information.

The government has instructed schools to set 3 hours of work per day - we have focussed around 2 hours per day on the core subjects of English and maths and 1 hour more generally on the other subject areas.

We really do appreciate that home learning is not easy - especially where parents are also working from home so we have tried to set work that the children can access independently wherever possible (this is obviously much easier for the older children than the younger ones).

It is vital that children access this work daily in order to keep in a learning routine. We have provided a timetable which outlines one way in which a typical day might be organised for children's learning. Parents said that this really helped in some households during the last lockdown. Teachers will be ringing you on a weekly basis for 1. A safe and well check, 2. To talk through any queries you may have with your child's learning. They will also be communicating regularly on an individual basis with your child, in order to help them to make maximum progress.

As usual any queries/questions please just email/ring the school office.

Together, I am sure we can make this work (again).

Yours sincerely

A H Simpson Headteacher