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Home Learning Plan from October 2020 for KS1 and KS2

This is Thirsk Community Primary School's contingency plan for remote education that is in line with the Department for Education's guidance. The government has outlined that parental engagement in remote learning is key. Therefore we have put together a programme of learning. However, we do understand the way in which families manage a period of remote learning is likely to be very different due to many factors.

A questionnaire went out to families to assess any barriers for home learning so we can address and support you as much as possible. We will provide a range of options to enable access to high-quality learning for all pupils. If there have been changes to your circumstances since returning the questionnaire please get in touch with the school office as soon as possible.

What is expected?

Work will be uploaded daily onto eSchools under the class page. The Children will log on using **their** eSchools password which has been stuck into their reading records and attached to this letter.

Each day there will be a Maths and Literacy lesson, these will be taught from the class teacher via a pre-recorded video with consolidation work being attached. The content will be new learning following on from the day the bubble was isolated. There will also be additional projects each day around the wider curriculum which links to the children's current class Topic. There is also the option of collecting work from the school office and that has been highlighted from the questionnaire responses.

Submitting work

The content of the online lessons will be new learning so teachers will require work to be submitted. This is for two reasons.

1. To assess if the children will need any extra support and input on return to school
2. To ensure the children are receiving regular feedback during the closure.

There are two ways in which you can submit the requested work.

1. Take a photograph and send it via Eschools direct to the class teacher.
2. There will be a box outside school for work to be dropped off, the office will then scan and email it to the class teacher the same day.

Expectations for submission:

- **Monday, Tuesday and Thursday** - Maths
- **Wednesday** - Reading Comprehension
- **Friday** - Writing task

McKie Mastery

As a school we have followed the McKie Mastery approach since September 2019. The children are used to this way of teaching so online lessons will continue in the same format to ensure learning is consistent and purposeful. There is an online video to explain the McKie Mastery Approach which will be sent out immediately to parents effected by the partial or full closure.

Success-everyone, everyday