



Remote Learning Policy and Guidance

This policy provides a general guide to our approach to remote learning provision. Parents will be issued with further, more detailed, guidance when the policy needs to be applied. Various scenarios for potential remote learning are outlined below, including a child being unwell, self-isolation while awaiting a test result and a bubble or whole school closure. Please note that:

- Learning activities will only be provided if children are well and healthy enough to learn effectively.
- Remote learning may not be available until your child’s second day of absence.
- Live video learning sessions and feedback will only be available if the whole class is learning remotely, as if only some children are absent, the class teacher will be teaching the remainder of the class in school.

Circumstance	Remote Learning Provision
Your child is absent because they are ill, either with COVID symptoms or general cold or sickness symptoms.	No home learning will be provided as the child is unwell, in the same way that work would not be provided if a child was off school unwell usually.
Your child is absent because they are in quarantine following a visit to a destination abroad where restrictions are in place on return.	No home learning will be provided as absences for holidays are unauthorised. Children will be encouraged to regularly read, possibly keep a diary and access some of our online platforms – Mathletics for instance. Exceptions may be considered if the holiday was during school holidays and booked prior to quarantine restrictions being imposed for that destination.
Your child is absent because they, or someone they have come into close contact with, or a member of your household, is awaiting a test result, or has received a positive test for COVID 19 and they are required to self-isolate for 14 days.	The lessons for each day will be emailed home along with any relevant additional resources, such as PowerPoints, worksheets and video links, to allow the child to access the materials used by their class while completing their lessons at home. In this way the child will be able to complete the same activities that their class are completing each day. Children will be expected to complete tasks daily and email these in each day using the class email address. The teacher will feedback accordingly.
Your child’s whole bubble is not permitted to attend school because they, or another member of their bubble, have tested positive for COVID 19.	Children will meet with their teacher virtually each day via TEAMS. The teacher will then upload English, Maths and other subject learning tasks to TEAMS for completion that day, following the sequence of learning that would have been happening in the classroom. The tasks will be expected to be completed during the day. The teacher will give feedback and encouragement throughout the day before the child turns the work in virtually. There may also be some small group video learning sessions during the day such as guided reading, maths, writing or circle time delivered by the class teacher. These sessions would run throughout the hours of the usual school day in various groups. All video sessions will be set up through TEAMS.
We enter another ‘lockdown’ with total school closure.	Provision will be as above, but with Key worker/vulnerable children who are unable to work at home being supervised to access the online learning in school.

Parents with further questions or requiring extra support should contact staff through the school office.