



Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that you have enjoyed a restful weekend and are keeping well.

Home Learning

We have received some fantastic feedback from many of you about the remote learning activities our team are leading. Thank you all for this – it is great to know that is working so well for many of our pupils. Our teachers are working hard to meet their class' needs both to support ongoing learning and to provide a valuable link with the outside world. If your child is finding it difficult to access this support in its current format, please don't hesitate to get in touch and we will help in any way we can. Again, there is no right way of managing ongoing learning at home and you, as parents and carers, are best placed to judge what is right for your child.

Assemblies

Thank you for joining our assemblies throughout the week. Whilst these are each aimed at particular phases of the school, they can be accessed by all and can be watched at any time.

Esafety

As many of our pupils continue to access learning online, it is vital that they have regular discussions with yourselves about online safety. The government have produced some useful information available here: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-keeping-children-safe-online/coronavirus-covid-19-support-for-parents-and-carers-to-keep-children-safe-online>

BBC Music

The BBC have produced a huge amount of great online learning content which is worth exploring, including a fantastic music page available here: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/bring-the-noise>

Google Meet

Google Meet is an online platform which allows groups of people to meet together online. In the next few weeks, some of our teachers from Key Stage 2 will be trialling optional meetings with their classes. Children should not enter these meetings without your permission and can access them without sharing their video if you would prefer. Jacob Woolcock has produced a video with useful information which can be found here: <https://youtu.be/rEnxFaKMH6c>

As always, please do keep in touch if we can help in any way.

Very best wishes,

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