



For the learner

I hope that you're feeling great today and are ready to try some of the exciting challenges and activities to do this week!

Even though you're not in school at the moment, you do still need to carry on with your learning and it's important that you help your parents to help you!

We have suggested a timetable – you don't have to stick to it like glue and you can move things around, but we would like you to make sure you at least **do the maths and language tasks set for you** – these are important. You should also try to read everyday and if you can find someone to read to, so much the better.

You will notice that some of the activities could be completed and sent back online whilst others will be down to your own independent learning.

If you do something creative or see something interesting, take a picture or a video and upload it, we'd love to see it.

Class teachers are available on Seesaw or Dojo if you need to ask anything. The easiest way is to message them on SeeSaw.

Enjoy your learning and try to do your best.

Best wishes,
Mr Jones

For the parent

We are extremely grateful for your support in these difficult times and we want to work with you to help your child as much as possible.

Educating a child at home is a difficult task at the best of times, but especially so when you yourself may also be working from home. We understand this and don't expect every single piece of work and all the activities to be completed. There are a few things we'd like to point out:

- The timetable is a suggestion to help establish a routine. If you and your child are working another way and it's working for the both of you – great!
- The maths, English and reading tasks are the most important. If that's all that gets done in a week, it will be massively beneficial and we'll be happy teachers, so don't worry.
- Use the Seesaw and Dojo apps to access the activities and post pictures of your child's work. We would love to see their smiling faces so please try to post one picture of your child with their work each week.
- We will aim to provide at least 4 maths and 4 language activities each week, along with a number of other suggested activities, so there should be plenty to do!
- If you are having any trouble accessing the Seesaw or Dojo app please contact the class teacher or phone the school on 01745 852782.
- Praise them as much as possible – it's a tricky time for them and they need encouragement.
- Please bear in mind that teachers have a lot of children in each class as well as families of their own to look after. Responses may not be instant, but they will get back to you.

If you need advice or help, please don't hesitate to get in touch with the class teacher via SeeSaw or Dojo app. They may not be able to respond immediately, but will get back to you asap. If there are any more general issues you would like to discuss please remember that Mr Jones and/or Mrs Lea are also available each day on the usual school number

Best wishes,
Mr Jones

Home Learning (A suggested 4-day timetable)

- In school, we find that good routines help the children. We've suggested the following to give some structure. If you've already established a good working structure with your children and it works for you – stick with it! Otherwise, you might want to have a go at this one. Share it with the children so they can take some responsibility for working to it.
- Don't worry too much about when the activities take place or for how long. For example, you might want to do the maths in the evening and the language in the morning or afternoon. That's fine, so long as they get it done.
- Maths and language activities are the key ones we want to encourage – if that's all they do, then that's fantastic. Anything else is a bonus and will keep them from getting bored.
- If your child is reluctant or refusing to work, let us know, we can arrange a phone call from a teacher to 'encourage' them!
- If you're unsure about any aspect of the work, or would like some help/tips, please don't hesitate to contact the teacher.

Approx Timings	9 – 10	10.00 – 10.45	10.45 – 11.15	11.15 – 12.00	12.00 – 1.00	Afternoon No fixed timings	Evening 20 Minutes
Activity	Start the day	Maths	Breaktime!	Language	Lunch Fun stuff!	Suggested Activities	Reading
	P.E. with Joe Wicks Breakfast Washing / Brushing teeth etc Tidying up their room	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maths activities on Seesaw • TT Rockstars • RM Easy Maths 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Get in the garden • Watch some TV • Watch YouTube • Play on the Xbox/PS4 • Facetime friends 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language activity on Seesaw • Spellings • Handwriting • Teach your Monster to Read 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See suggested activities on Seesaw • Art/Craft Activity • Science Activity • Gardening • IT Activity • Cooking/Baking • A nature walk • Helping around the house 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading their own book / comic • Reading to a parent/sibling

Suggested 'Timetable' for a typical day:

	These are important, and something is better than nothing. Please try to do some work daily so your child doesn't fall behind
	These are suggested activities. If you don't do them, don't worry! There are no time limits - as little or as much as the child (or you!) want.
	A reading session should be a daily activity. Reading to another person e.g. an adult or an older sibling helps enormously with accuracy, fluency & feeling
	Up to your child – let them choose!