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"Barnabas, the Encourager"

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope that you and your families are doing well and managing the current situation as positively as you can.

Thank you for your support with the remote learning so far and for trying your best to keep your children engaged in the learning that has been set for them. We have now been able to provide a device to everyone who has requested one but please keep letting us know if your child has any problems accessing the work so that we can help.

Remember that the key information about the children's work will be sent through ClassDojo so please check this on a daily basis.

The document below sets out the key expectations for children who are learning at home or who are attending school at this current time. This is based on the government expectations which we have to follow. Please have a read of it and get in touch if you have any questions. Further details of our specific remote learning provision will be sent out to you in the next few days.

[Remote Learning Home - School Expectations](#)

We understand that everyone's circumstances are different and there may be times when the work set can't be fully completed for various reasons e.g parents juggling home working, sharing devices, several children needing support, young children at home. Please let the class teacher know of any challenges at home so that they can advise and support you as needed e.g. they might advise you to focus on some specific activities rather than trying to complete everything. The teacher has to have an overview of what has been completed at home so they know how to plan the learning and next steps for your child both now and when they return to school.

All classes are now starting to have live sessions a few times each week. This is important so that children and teachers can see each other and teachers can give messages of encouragement and feedback to the children about their learning. Please support your child to attend these.

For everyone's safety, please follow the instructions in the revised document below. Children in Year 2 to Year 6 will have live sessions through Google Meets - link is on their Google Classroom. Children in Reception and Year 1 will have live session through a securely set up 'Zoom' with the link sent to parents. A protocol for this will be sent separately.

[Google Meet Protocol](#)

Please get in touch if you have any questions or need any help.

Keep safe,

Best wishes

Miss K Boardman

Headteacher