

Remote Learning at St Andrew's C E Primary School

Information for parents.



What will my child be taught?

We will aim to teach your child/children the same curriculum as they receive in school. There will be some changes as some of our learning experiences won't work online. They will have a daily Maths and English lesson and will then be set one other subject to do each day.

How long can I expect work set by the school to take my child each day?

KS1 have 3 hours of daily learning, KS2 have 4 hours of daily learning. This will be a combination of face to face teaching, recorded lessons, links to websites or online activities and other activities to complete independently.

How will my child access any online remote education you are providing?



We will use Microsoft Teams to deliver live and recorded lessons and to set assignments. We will also send links through the "Marvellous Me" app to parents' phones. Further learning will be provided through "Bug Club" for reading, "times tables rock stars" and links to any other online learning platforms which the teacher feels will supplement the main learning provided.



If my child does not have digital or online access at home, how will you support them to access remote education?

If we have enough devices available, we will aim to loan your child a device. An agreement will need to be signed in receipt of a device where you will need to agree to use it only for remote learning. We will aim to support you gaining internet access if this is also an issue. If your child is still unable to get online we will provide them with a pack of work to complete at home. This can be submitted by taking photographs of it and emailing to school or by posting the pack back to school.



How will my child be taught remotely?

We use a combination of the following approaches to teach pupils remotely:

- Live lessons (on MS Teams)
- Recorded lessons (on MS Teams) or via Oak Academy
- Setting assignments (on MS Teams)
- Printed paper packs produced by teachers (e.g. workbooks, worksheets)
- Links provided to age appropriate web-sites and other online activities
- Learning apps such as "Bug Club" and "Go Read"



What are your expectations for my child's engagement and the support that we as parents and carers should provide at home?




The expectation is that all pupils will aim to engage in the majority of the live lessons and complete the activities set by the class teachers. As a parent it is your responsibility to ensure that children engage with the learning provided.

How will you check whether my child is engaging with their work and how will I be informed if there are concerns?

A daily register is taken of pupils taking part in live lessons. School staff will follow up a lack of engagement through telephone calls from the school. Please inform staff of

any concerns or worries you or your child may be having - we are here to help. If we are worried about a consistent lack of engagement from pupils and parents' we may involve the education welfare officer.

How will you assess my child's work and progress?

In the live lessons pupils will receive instant feedback to their learning through the engagement with the teacher and the other pupils. Work that is submitted to the teacher will receive feedback through the Team's chat. Feedback will also be given through "Marvellous Me" to parents. If a paper pack is being worked through this will be fed back on when received by the teacher or when copies are sent to the teacher electronically. 

How will you work with me to help my child who needs additional support from adults at home to access remote education?

Class teachers will do their best to differentiate work for your child as they understand your child's strengths and difficulties. If your child needs extra support extra sessions with a support member of staff or specialist teacher may be provided. Parents will be contacted directly if this is the case.



What Pastoral support is in place for me and my child?

Miss Smith (Pastoral Leader) and Mrs Williams (Learning Mentor) are available to support you and your child in a number of ways. These may include online 1:1



sessions focusing on Social, and Emotional wellbeing, story time sessions, providing craft packs and supporting parenting issues through the use of WhatsApp messages.



If you feel that you need any support during this difficult time please do not hesitate to contact the school office on 01902 558522 or email us on standrewsprimaryschool@wolverhampton.gov.uk

