



## Home Learning

Dear Pupils, Parents and Carers,

As increasing numbers of pupils are having to social distance and there may well be a government announcement on school closures soon, we have decided to create a package for home learning to support pupils and families whilst they are at home.

From this evening, on our website you will find a **Home Learning** tab on the homepage which contains a menu of activities for your child to complete. Teachers will be setting work on an online learning platform called **Purple Mash**.

Children who have been in school today will be coming home with their Purple Mash login details today.

Physical letters containing login details are being posted today to all other families who have children at home – so you can expect them before the weekend.

There is guidance in the home learning section of the website that shows you how to access tasks specifically set by the teachers. There is also plenty to explore and play with on Purple Mash aside from these set tasks.

For families where access to Purple Mash is limited or not available, we have also provided tables of activities for phonics, spelling, English and topic work for KS1 and KS2. EYFS have a *100 Things To Do Indoors* list. Your child can choose from these menus daily.

There are also several other materials on the internet if you would like further activities, for example:

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> - For phonics games and activities

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary> - For all subjects

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/interactive.aspx?cat=49> – For all subjects

<https://www.everyschool.co.uk/english-key-stage-2-comprehension-3.html> - For reading comprehension

[https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\\_data/file/239784/English\\_Appendix\\_1\\_-\\_Spelling.pdf](https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/239784/English_Appendix_1_-_Spelling.pdf) - For spelling lists

<https://www.satspapers.org.uk/Page.aspx?Tid=5> – for past SATs papers

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/> - free e-books

We hope you will find the materials both useful and enjoyable at home and that the schedule allows for a little structure to your days.

Thank you for your continued support and enthusiasm.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. P. Hankey