



Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to share the provision that we have put in place to enable any children who are not in school to be able to access learning from home.

We have created a 'Work at home' section on our school website. This can be found under the 'Curriculum' tab or by following the link below:

<http://www.millrythejunior.co.uk/work-at-home/>

Work will be added to this section of the website this evening for the rest of this week and then on Friday evenings for the foreseeable future. Each day, we have planned for children to complete learning linked to reading, grammar, maths, their foundation lessons and a physical activity. Children will need access to a computer and the internet to complete this work. The weekly timetable and attachments can be downloaded from links on the website.

As it looks like children are going to be away from school for more than a couple of days it is important that they get into the routine of completing this work from home and following the schedule for each day. This will support children in retaining the knowledge that they have gained this year as well as completing new learning in different areas of the curriculum. It will also support families in keeping children busy and engaged whilst they are at home.

The vast majority of pupils in each year group will be able to complete their work independently. It would be lovely for them to have some interaction with parents and carers about the work they are completing. Some topic activities will ask pupils to research using the internet and we would advise you to consider what supervision is appropriate for your child if they are working online.

Children who are in school today are being sent home with a lined text book to record their home learning in. The usernames and passwords for the following online platforms will be stuck into the front of this book:

Studyzone  
Spag.com  
Timestablerockstars  
SATS boot camp (year 6 only)



There is no expectation of parents having to print any resources; work will either be completed online or children will complete it into their work books. If your child is not in school today Mrs Williamson has sent you their usernames and passwords via text message. We will make exercise books available for parents of children not currently in school to collect from outside of school from 4-5pm tomorrow – please only take one per child. I will expect children to keep their books in brilliant condition; for the presentation to be beautiful and I will look forward to seeing them later in the Spring and Summer term.

It is not possible to set individual work for children as we do within the classroom. If work in maths and grammar is proving too easy or difficult please look at provision in the year group above or below. We will provide some additional links to key stage one resources for you to consider for your child.

When logging into **spag.com** you need to click on each box twice before it will allow you to type.

If you have any questions about using the resources please email:

[mrisclosure@millrythe-jun.hants.sch.uk](mailto:mrisclosure@millrythe-jun.hants.sch.uk)

This account will be checked daily.

For pupils who do not have access to a computer or the internet, providing home learning is going to be more difficult. Please let school know if you do not have access to tablets, computers and the internet so that we can contact you directly to discuss this.

As new guidance is given around the Covid-19 outbreak, we will consider our approach towards home learning and adapt it as necessary to continue to meet the needs of your children within the constraints that are placed on us.

Thank you for your support in helping your child to access regular learning at home.

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