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Dear parents and carers,

We understand that some parents will have time to complete the home learning with their children. However some of you will have 'working from home' commitments or young babies and toddlers around and therefore not have much time to support your child with the learning we send home.

We know that some of you will be feeling the pressure, feeling stressed and feeling overwhelmed by the current situation. We don't want to add to this pressure. Reducing stress is vital at a time like this for your mental health. Therefore we have come up with some things the children could be doing at home that do not require your complete support and assistance.

We are in the middle of a global pandemic. These are unprecedented times we are living through at the moment. Please don't try and be a superhero and burn yourself out by trying to get your own work done for your job as well as ensure all the work for school is completed too.

The ideas below are ones that you could use if your child has completed all of their work. They are also activities they may be able to do independently if you are busy with work or other activities.

If you have got time to complete the work with your child or your child is old enough to access it independently then that is wonderful. However if they can't don't forget that a little bit of reading (Independent or via audiobook), a bit of free writing (a diary or write about their favourite things), playing with some lego (or building blocks, playdough or origami), some art (drawing or colouring) or physical exercise. They could even make a project on something they really like and are interested in.

We will be posting ideas on social media so please take a look at our Facebook Page for ideas too.

Please be rest assured, that we will be working on the support we will give when the children return to school to support them with the catch up needed.

If there is anything we can do as a school to help then please get in contact with us. We can't promise we can help with everything, but where we can, we will.

Thank you for all you are doing for your children. And remember, first and foremost, stay safe and look after yourselves.

Mr Erskine
Principal



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We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and we expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

A range of subjects

Oak National Academy: has a variety of subjects and activities for all ranges. You will be using this website to support with your child's home learning, however feel free to explore the site further <https://www.thenational.academy/>

BBC bitesize: a great website with all subjects and age ranges
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>

Top Marks: has a range of subjects for all age groups. At school we especially enjoy Hit the Button! <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>

Twinkl: this website has activities for lots of different subjects and also age ranges. You will need to sign up with an email address but the resources are free
<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/parents>

Maths

White Rose Maths: has a variety of videos to support with your child's maths learning
<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/>

There are lots of everyday activities that you can do with your children that involve maths. Some ideas to do around your house include measuring out ingredients when cooking or baking, adding up money or measuring objects in the house.

Reading

Oxford Owl: this has a range of books that you can access online and is split into different age ranges. You will need to sign up with an email address but the resources are free
<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/>

You can find many things around the house to help with reading, for example recipe books, newspapers or road names when out for a walk.

Phonics

Letters and Sounds: this youtube channel has lots of different lessons for your child to follow along with

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCP_FbjYUP_UtlDV2K_niWw/playlists

PhonicsPlay: has a range of activities to support with learning to read. You will need to sign up with an email address but the resources are free
<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/parents>

Science

James Dyson Foundation: has lots of different science activities for you and your children to join in with <https://www.jamesdysonfoundation.com/resources/challenge-cards.html>

Woodland trust: has some nature detective activities for children
<https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/blog/2020/03/nature-detectives/>

There are lots of opportunities for science around the house, for example baking, looking at nature in the garden and looking after plants and watching them grow.

Art

Art for Kids: a youtube channel with draw along videos
<https://www.youtube.com/user/ArtforKidsHub/videos>

National Gallery: this website gives you access to the artwork in National Gallery. You will need to sign up with an email address but the resources are free
<https://www.nationalgallery.org.uk/subscribe>

PE

Joe Wicks: he will be doing live sessions on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays
<https://www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1>

5 a day: a youtube channel with lots of PE activities
<https://www.youtube.com/user/5adayTV/videos>

Did you know you can access the internet using Xbox or Playstation? Here is how to do it:

Xbox

- Plug a keyboard into the Xbox USB slot.
- Go to my games and apps.
- Find and select Microsoft Edge.
- Navigate to your online learning platform.

PlayStation

- Identify the PlayStation internet browser icon (WWW with dots around it).
- Press the PlayStation logo on the controller.
- Go to the library and find options for games and applications.
- Go to applications and you will find the internet browser.
- Navigate to your online learning platform and log in as usual.