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Dear Parent/Carer

We hope that you are finding our remote online curriculum easy to navigate and at the same time a useful tool that is continuing to support your child's learning effectively during these unusual times. Pupils, staff and parents have all risen to the challenge and we are so grateful to you all for this. It is truly wonderful to see how everyone is pulling together.

We are constantly reviewing our curriculum to ensure your child receives maximum learning benefits.

Our guiding principles are:

1. Work set by teachers continues to follow your child's normal learning sequence as much as possible.
2. The remote curriculum must be accessible. There is a brief `task explanation` followed by the link.
3. Work at this stage will be marked online in most subjects in the form of online recall tests.

Form tutors will check on a weekly basis to see if your child has completed work. They will contact their tutees and, where necessary yourself, to both report and to find out what they can do further to support your child if they have not submitted their work. Form tutors will also start to issue rewards for completed work using ClassCharts.

Do take time to have a look at our extra resources on the website which include a wealth of reading resources. We publish a free online book each week for your child to listen to and read, followed by some discussion questions. There is also a suggested reading list for each year group.

We have published our own online Easter curriculum for you to dip into and use over the holidays to try and help you whilst you are all at home. We are continually sharing curriculum news and information via Facebook. Look out for our forthcoming challenges and videos of our staff showcasing their acting skills and other talents.

We are keen to explore opportunities moving forwards for your child to share work they are proud of with us - further details on this will follow. Your son/daughters form tutor remains the main point of contact for your child and yourself.

Have a safe Easter break.

Best wishes.

Mrs F Aris
Vice Principal – Teaching and Learning