

Thursday 7th January 2021

Dear Parent and Carers,

It is vital that we work together to ensure your child continues to learn and make progress whilst we are in lockdown. Online teaching will start on Monday 11th January.

Reception online lessons

The teachers will post daily lessons on tapestry for you to access for your child. These will include a phonic session, maths, topic and story time. Please make sure you can access your tapestry account and if any issues please contact the EYFS/nursery team.

Daily online lesson input for year 1 to year 6

Each day your child will need to join an online lesson through Teams. This will be a chance for the teacher to explain learning for the day, demonstrate any new learning and review learning completed at home. This invite will be sent to parent/carers email address. Can you please make sure we have your most up to date email address and mobile phone number. You can text or email your child's year group with the information. If you cannot join the online lesson then someone from school will contact you to support and guide you through the process or you can ring your year group mobile number for support. Each year group will have a set time for their online teams lesson. Once we have set this up successfully we may increase or invite your child to additional learning sessions. If you need a device to access learning like a laptop please let us know as soon as possible.

Timetable for week commencing 11.01.21

Year 5/6 Online lesson 9am start

Year 3/4 Online lesson 9.30am start

Year 1/2 Online lesson 10am start

Learning pack

Your child will also be given a weekly learning pack which can be accessed on the school website or collected as a paper copy from school. This learning pack will support the online lessons and will have additional links to websites and tutorial videos.

Feedback and marking

Every Friday the dining hall will be open from 10am to 2pm for you to drop off work for marking and collect a new learning pack, if paper copy is preferred. You can also share learning via email by photographs or attaching documents. Teachers will email back with feedback. Teachers will also be available to support with any issues or enquires regarding learning. Reading books can be changed and resources available for parents to collect. You can also contact the year group directly by phone, text or email to ask any questions about learning or for any additional support.

Contacting your child's year group

If you need to contact your child's year group you can phone, text or email using the following details:

Little Jumping Beans and Jumping Beans

TP-Nursery@vennacademy.org

Tel – 07801091924

Reception

TP-Reception@vennacademy.org

Tel – 07801091924

Year 1

TP-Year1@vennacademy.org

Tel- 07801091926

Year 2

TP-Year2@vennacademy.org

Tel – 07801091932

Year 3

TP-Year3@vennacademy.org

Tel – 07840441130

Year 4

TP-Year4@vennacademy.org

Tel- 07801091836

Year 5

TP-Year5@vennacademy.org

Tel- 07801091934

Year 6

TP-Year6@vennacademy.org

Tel - 07801091833

Year groups will be sending out reminders about online lessons and other information via text or email.

It is crucial during this lockdown that learning continues at home and if you need any support or help please contact the school. Please take care and keep safe.

Kind regards



Caroline Knight

Head of School