

Dear Parents,

In this letter you will find details about how we are organising our home learning in Year 3:

'Remote' or 'Home Learning' will be made available for all children on the school website. The learning is for the entire week and will be uploaded by 5pm for the next day e.g. Monday's home learning will be uploaded to the website by 5pm on the Sunday.

- A timetable- this shows you what we will be learning each day. You can use this to set up your home learning to mirror a typical school day if you wanted to. Sticking to a routine each day helps children and is exactly like the timetable we would use in school that they are familiar with.
- A weekly plan- here you will find all the learning for each day of the week with links to videos. Each day begins with a maths lesson, then an English lesson followed by some topic learning in the afternoon.
- Resources- these are documents you will need to support the learning for certain days of the week. Not all lessons will require additional resources.

Home learning can all be recorded in the home learning books that you have been able to collect from school. When we return to school your child will be able to bring this back with them to show their class teacher.

Microsoft Team meetings

The purpose of these sessions will be for the class teacher to say hello to the children, read them a story, discuss their home learning or play an interactive game. The session will last about 30 minutes and will take place daily at 2:30pm. You have hopefully received an email with a link to this meeting.

Please understand that this session is for the children so any questions you have are to be emailed in via the class email and we will respond to you as soon as we can. If you need a telephone call, we are more than happy to call you.

In order for this to be a successful session with the children, we have established the following rules for the children to follow:

- Please arrive on time to the meeting. You do not need to arrive early!
- Please join the meeting with your video and microphone turned off- we will tell you when you can turn on your video/microphone.
- Remember to be kind and considerate at all times.
- Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately.
- Please find a quiet room for your child to sit in with no distractions. You do not need to sit with your child but it is advisable you are monitoring them throughout the session.

There will be an opportunity for your child to say hello to their friends at the end of the session. The teacher will direct when microphones/videos are to be turned on. There is a short Power Point on the Home Learning page for you to look at with your child so that they know what to expect for their first session.

Please be aware that from time to time we might need to call you from a withheld number if we are working from home as we will be calling from our mobile phones.

We now have class emails for you to contact us on directly:

3AL: 3al@st-marysaylesbury.bucks.sch.uk

3I: 3i@st-marysaylesbury.bucks.sch.uk

If you need any support or advice please send us an email and we will be happy to assist. We appreciate home learning can be a difficult task and we are here to support in any way possible As it stands, teachers and TAs will be taking it in turns each week to be in school to teach the Key worker children so please do bear with us if you do require a phone call as we might be teaching that week. Take care and stay safe,

Year 3 Team.