



We are trying to limit the number of visitors in school, therefore any comments or questions, please telephone the school or email me directly.

Thank you

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Google Classroom

We do hope to keep every child in school, but we also need to be prepared to support remote home learning as we move through this term. I wanted to provide you with guidance if your child needs to participate in home learning.

If your child is absent from school due to the class bubble being asked to self-isolate, children are asked to follow the schedule below:

1. **Day 1 and 2** – The children will be provided with a pack of work to be completed over the first 2 days of self-isolation. This will then be handed back to the class teacher on return to school.
2. **Day 2** – Log in to Google Classroom to view your timetable and activities for Day 3.
3. **For the remainder of the isolation period** – Log in to Google Classroom by 9am and comment on the message from the teacher. This will be taken as the class register. Then follow the plans set by the teacher.

If an Individual pupil is self-isolating due to a positive coronavirus test within the family home or is showing symptoms themselves, children are asked to follow the schedule below:

1. **Day 1 and 2** – The children to access Times Tables Rockstars, Bug Club, Purple Mash and to complete their reading and spellings homework.
2. **For the remainder of the isolation period** – School will provide a pack of work to be completed and then handed back to teacher on return to school.

Children should spend a similar amount of time on lessons as they do in school and build in breaks. We suggest that they move away from the screen at regular intervals. Teachers will build in more practical tasks to the home learning day to support this.

If your child is well, the expectation is that they will engage with their learning and complete the work set to the best of their ability. It is law that schools provide home learning for their pupils. Reading at home sessions to also be completed daily.

Thank you in advance for your support in monitoring that work is completed by your child each day. The teacher and myself will also monitor work completion and will contact home to offer support if needed. Teachers will be available to respond to messages between 8:50am and 3:15pm.

We know that some families have experienced some initial difficulties in setting up Google Classroom. We have managed to sort and support all problems and we do ask for you to contact school if you cannot access the resources. Google Classroom will work on a phone, tablet, laptop or computer.

If having a usable device or Internet access is an issue, then please contact me.

On a Friday, teachers will set a small homework revision task on Google Classroom. The idea is that children become familiar with logging in and using the resource. Again, thank you for your support in ensuring your child completes their homework.



Westfield Primary School

Newsletter Week 1

Star of the week 6th November 2020

Congratulations to the following children who received star of the week.

Willow - Esmee Spittle

Cherry - Ella Sunter

Maple - Brent Harvey

Larch - George Nutall

Birch - Lewis Fisher

Oak - Sammy Gavin

Tidiest classroom - Cherry

Lunchtime award - Oak

Attendance 23rd October

Willow 98.9%

Cherry 91.7%

Maple 94%

Larch 100%

Birch 98.1%

Oak 95.2%

Whole School 96.2%

Well done to Larch with 100%

What happened to the pumpkin?

Thank you to Lilith and her family for sharing the photos below with us.

Pumpkin calving, pumpkin soup, roasted pumpkin seeds and pumpkin curry!

Happy to see you had so much fun.

