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Dear Parents/Carers,

Remote Education

I am writing to give you the outline of our remote education. We are dedicated to providing top quality education to every child in the school from nursery to year six.

Having reflected on our offering of home schooling last year as well as my own experience of having had two weeks self-isolation period when I had to work full time as well as home educate my children we have made a few adjustments to our offering.

Early Years

Reception children will be invited to a daily Zoom meeting at 10.45am.

Nursery children will be invited to a daily Zoom meeting at 11.15am.

Each day at 9am there will be activities for phonics, squiggle/handwriting, maths and a play project uploaded to Tapestry for all children. Daily invites for the Zoom sessions will be uploaded daily to Tapestry.

If you need any assistance on gaining access to Tapestry, please contact Miss Dews s.dews@collierleyprimary.co.uk

Years 1 - 2

As you know, all children in years 1 – 6 have been using Google Classroom in school as well as for their homework. For these children we will teach daily English and Maths lessons through Google Meet. The teachers will then be available on the google classroom whilst the children complete their tasks independently so that they can ask for any help if needed. We will also provide daily exercise and wellness activities for the children to complete – details on these will come later in the week.

If you require a school loan chromebook, please contact Claire in the school office who will be able to organise this. We are aware that there may be a need if you have more than one child attending our school. It is not advisable to use a phone for accessing Google Classroom, due to the size of the device.

If you are using an IPAD or tablet you will need to download the Google Meet App – the log in details for this are the same as Google Classroom. Find further details of how to access Google here [Google Classroom \(collierley.durham.sch.uk\)](https://collierley.durham.sch.uk)

If your child is unwell and unable to attend the lessons, please contact the school office at the start of the school day. Where children are not in attendance we will be contacting families for safeguarding purposes.

Teachers will be available for children and parents with any queries between 9 – 3.30pm. The easiest way to contact them is through your child's google classroom.



All work will be marked and returned to the children by 9am the next morning.

The timetable for live teaching in Google Meet is below:

9.00am	Y1 – Y6 Assembly – click on the link for 'Collierley Assembly' and join.	
9.15am	Y1 - English	Y6 - English
9.45am	Y4 - English	Y3 - English
10.15am	Y2 - English	Y5 - English
12.30pm	Y1 - Maths	Y6 - Maths
1.15pm	Y4 - Maths	Y3 - Maths
1.30pm	Y2 – Maths	Y5 - Maths

Mrs Wilkinson will continue to teach the children on the one day a fortnight that she usually does.

The full Remote Education policy can be found on the school website [Policies \(collierley.durham.sch.uk\)](https://www.collierley.durham.sch.uk/policies)

Do not hesitate to contact us if you have any queries or need any password reminders.

Kind Regards,



Angela McDermid

Headteacher

