

Burton Road Primary School



Thursday 12th March 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians

Coronavirus - School Contingency Plan

In view of the current situation, and the possibility of school closures due to the severity of the Coronavirus outbreak, the school has been working on a contingency plan which will outline how we propose to set work and tasks for our pupils should the school have to close for any length of time.

Foundation Stage – Classes 1 & 2

For pupils in Classes 1 & 2, work will be sent home for completion, with emphasis on word formations and phonics.

Classes 3 to 12

Parents' will be sent a reminder of their log-on details and passwords to access our web-based learning platforms, '**TT Rock Stars**', '**Purple Mash**' and '**Accelerated Reader**'.

- **'TT Rock Stars'**
For '**TT Rock Stars**' it is the expectation that **all** children will practice their times tables daily.
- **'Purple Mash'**
For '**Purple Mash**', teachers will use this as a learning portal. They will upload work and activities onto the '**Purple Mash Cloud**' for pupils to complete.
- **'Accelerated Reader'**
It is an expectation for pupils to read daily. If there is a school closure, it is the expectation that all children will read even more frequently, with a minimum of 4 books. The '**Accelerated Reader**' quiz facility has been unlocked so that pupils can complete these at home when they have finished a book.
- **School Website**
The School Website will also be used to upload work and activities. Teachers will use their individual class pages to do this.

Year 2 and Year 6 Pupils

In addition to all of the above, pupils in Year 2 and Year 6, will be provided with a selection of practice SATs Papers which will need to be completed.

We will endeavour to keep you all up to date with developments as they happen, please ensure that you regularly check your Gateway App, School Website, Facebook and Twitter.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter and for your valuable support.

Yours sincerely

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