Featherstone Wood Primary School

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Home Learning Provision January 2021

In the event of any future lockdowns the school will deliver the following provision. This is subject to change depending on staffing issues and other issues out of the school's control.

Expectations

- Expectations are the same as they would be in school.
- The school day, for all pupils is now 8.30 3.00.
- Work must completed on time and to a high standard.
- The children will be expected to complete the task at the same time as the children are doing so in school. This means that everyone will be completing literacy, numeracy and topic at the same time.
- Staff will set aside 30 minutes each day to respond to emails queries immediately.
- Class teachers will send to you the instructions for joining Google Classroom this is a
 vital tool for communication between home and school and must be used (Attached at
 the end of the letter).
- Some tasks will involve using the educational apps that we use in school Purple Mash, Bug Club, Mathletics and TT Rockstars.
- All learning will be online, the school will not be providing printed packs.
- The school will provide families with parents evening update of in school learning to date and the next targets that the children will be working on while at home.
- Children in school will be following the same format.
- If you have issues accessing the internet or having a gadget for the children to use please let the school know as there are a couple of things we can do to help.
- Should a bubble in school need to close the children from that class will be expected to complete the online learning at home.
- Class teachers will use Google Classroom, emails and Marvellous Me to contact parents.
- All online learning will be monitored in school.
- All parties are expected to follow safe internet usage and the schools Code of Conduct.
- The school will follow up with families who are not completing the work or are struggling.
- The school will follow the DfE expectations regarding home learning.
- If you have any questions about logging into the apps or the learning itself you should email these to the class teacher.
- Please remember that they will be teaching between 8.30 and 3.00 and will not be responding to emails past 6pm.

	Teacher	email		
EY	Mrs Bevan	cbevan@featherstonewood.herts.sch.uk		
1	Mrs Mago	t.mago-manyi@featherstonewood.herts.sch.uk		
2	Miss Shurmer-Elliott	k.shurmer-elliott@featherstonewood.herts.sch.uk		
3	Miss Paine	r.paine@featherstonewood.herts.sch.uk		
4	Mrs Burghelea	e.burghelea@featherstonewood.herts.sch.uk		
5	Mrs Lockhart	s.lockhart@featherstonewood.herts.sch.uk		
6	Mrs Franklin	aht@featherstonewood.herts.sch.uk		

Daily provision

Early Years and year 1

- Each day your class teacher will email you a list of activities to complete that day and send back (photos, videos and emails).
- The activities will cover phonics, maths, literacy and topic.
- Learning will be very practical and we would encourage parents to spend at least 30 minutes on each activity.

Year 2 - 6

- All learning will be provided through Google Classroom for years 2 6.
- Learning will be a variety of teacher recorded sessions, video links and PowerPoint presentations to inform learning.
- Children will need to watch/read through the teacher instructions above and then complete their set learning.
- They can submit their work at the end of the session for the teacher to mark and return.
- The teacher can also access and can support work while the child is working on it.
- Every morning the class teacher will upload a list of activities that need to be completed that day.
- Some tasks will be for children to complete at home and then evidence can be emailed to the teacher photos, documents and videos.
- If your child is poorly then please notify the school office in the normal manner and they will be marked in the register as poorly. Otherwise all learning is expected to be completed and returned on time.
- The teacher will monitor the home learning and emails and respond to them as promptly as possible during the lesson.
- Work must be returned on time, teachers will not be marking work that is returned late and it will be logged as incomplete.
- All children are expected to be fully dressed, but do not have to wear uniform (at home) and should be working at a work station that is conducive to learning.
- During the in school PE sessions we would encourage you to participate in a physical activity at home – going for a walk, playing football in the garden, dancing etc. Use the following link to sign up for free activity ideas. https://www.premier-education.com/stay-active/

Assembly

Each class will hold a live assembly session at least weekly so that the whole class (those at home and those in school) can meet up and chat. The teachers might set a question or problem to discuss but the main aim of these assemblies is to facilitate the class coming together and to try to counter some of the feelings of loneliness and being cut off from your friends.

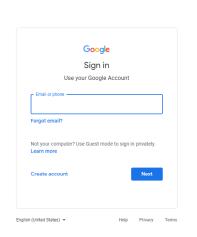
9 am Assem	bly		10.30 am Assembly		
Monday	year 6		Monday	year 2	
Tuesday	year 5		Tuesday	Year1	
Wednesday	year 4		Wednesday	EY	
Thursday	year 3				
Friday 9.15 Whole school achievement assembly. Marvellou Me will be sent to Home Star Learners.					

SEN

- Miss Haynes will continue to send out weekly personalised emails to support the SEN parents with ideas for their children at home.
- Class teachers will also send out differentiated learning.
- Individual SEN targets will be sent out with the parents evening reports so the parents are aware of the SEN targets to be working on this term.
- SEN parents meetings will take place at the beginning of February but will be via Teams. The SENCo will join the class teacher where appropriate.

How to access google classroom

1. Go to classroom.google.com



2. Enter your child's username.

Your child's username will be formatted like this:

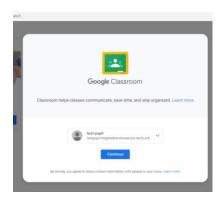
Child's name: Joe Smith

Username: <u>17joes@featherstonewood.herts.sch.uk</u> (The number 17 followed by the child's name, then first initial of their surname)

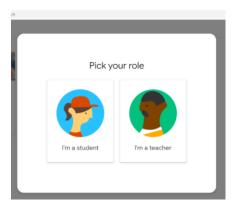
- 3. Enter your child's password: Year2password
- 4. Accept the terms and conditions of the new account.



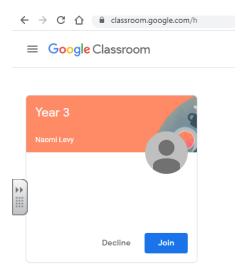
5. Check the name and press continue is correct.



6. Select student.



7. When you log in you will see the class your child has been invited to join.



8. Click join and see any tasks that have been set.