

## Home learning – if child self-isolating

It is great that we are now fully open for all children. We are however also aware that there will be short periods of time, up to two weeks, where children may not be able to come into school. We will therefore be updating our home learning webpage weekly to ensure all children who are well enough to engage in learning, but need to be at home, can still access daily learning activities.

We have identified the following groups of children who may need to access home learning:

- Children, who feel well, and are self isolating whilst they or symptomatic members of their household are waiting for test results.
- Children who are at home, self isolating, for up to 14 days due to a member of their household testing positive for Covid-19.
- Children who are at home for 10 days due to testing positive for Covid-19 themselves. Learning from home would only be advised for this group if parents feel children are well enough to do so; i.e. they may be asymptomatic with Covid-19.

The focus of any learning done at home will be on consolidating English and Maths skills. This is also the main focus for children at school for this half term.

**There is of course no expectation that children who are unwell or have parents who are unwell will engage in home learning.**

We would recommend that children who are accessing short term home learning do the following activities each day:

- A daily phonics session
- Read to an adult – This can be the book they have in their book bag or one from the Collins - Big Cat or Oxford Owl e-book links on the school website.
- Complete an IXL Maths and English activity (just year 1 and 2 children at this stage of the year).
- Watch and participate in the Oak National Academy Maths and English lessons.

Links to all the above are on our website. You will receive an email if your child is self-isolating informing you of what phonics set your child is working on, the colour book band they are choosing from and their IXL login details.

You will also be able to email the teacher. Please note your child's teacher will only be able to reply after the end of the school day.

If you do not have access to online learning please inform the school office and we will get a pack ready for your child by the following school day. We will post it you if you do not have anyone who can collect the work and drop it to you.