

Woodstone Community Primary School

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Year 1 school closure arrangements

Dear Parents,

This is your child's work pack for the period of school closure. At this time of uncertainty it is important to keep as much of a routine as possible for the children. For this reason, I have created a timetable which reflects the lessons we do in school, including daily phonics, reading, writing and maths activities. Please support us in encouraging your child to complete these activities daily. In addition to this, you may wish to do some further work around our 'Moon Zoom' topic. Please see the list of 'My Choice' activities in your child's homework or one the website for some ideas.

In Year 1 we do a 'Wake and Shake' in between lessons, these can be accessed via Youtube (the children really enjoy the 'Koo Koo Kanga Roo' videos). Joe Wicks has also announced that he will be running free online PE lessons daily. These can be accessed by searching 'PE with Joe' on his Youtube Channel 'The Body Coach TV'.

Please note, all classes are setting their work in different ways, for example some classes will be uploading their activities to the school website daily. However, in Year One all resources needed for the activities set have been printed for your convenience and are enclosed in this pack. I have also included a blank exercise book for you to complete any additional work in.

These resources will be also uploaded to the 'Year One' folder under the 'Home Learning' tab on the website. I will send you an email notifying you if I upload any additional work or resources.

Please remember Purple Mash have a number of online games and resources to keep the children entertained. They also have E-books under the 'Serial Mash' tab with associated quizzes. The 'Diamond' books are aimed at age 5-6 and the 'Emerald' books are written for 7-9 year olds. Purple Mash logins are enclosed in the work packs.

There are also a number of educational websites who have temporarily made their content free for children to access from home whilst schools are closed. Please see the school website 'general learning resources' folder under the 'home learning' tab for a list of useful links. A list of some key online resources are also enclosed in this pack.

We will continue to keep you updated about the situation through the school website so please continue to check this regularly. We thank you for your continued support and understanding during this difficult time.

Kind regards,

Miss Barnes















