



PURSTON INFANT SCHOOL
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Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you are all keeping safe and well. I would like to thank you all for your patience and understanding since returning to school on Monday.

As you are aware, the reason for limiting the number of children in school is that the new variant of COVID-19 is much more transmissible than before. It is clear to see that there is a rapid rise both locally and nationally in positive cases of the virus. This is why we are currently only open to children of critical workers and our most vulnerable pupils.

After receiving up to date guidance we are in a position to begin live remote lessons. You should have all received an email address and password for your child to access Microsoft Outlook email. This is where you will receive email invitations to any live teams lessons our teachers deliver through the week.

The expectation is that Key Stage 1 children receive **up to** 3 hours a day of remote learning. This includes live teams sessions, pre-recorded sessions, lessons from other providers such as Oak National Academy and learning/activities we put on our website.

The following details the live lessons planned for **Year 2**. These times may change weekly so please keep a look out on your child's email account.

(There will be other pre-recorded sessions uploaded to Class Dojo throughout the week)

	9 – 9.30	11 – 11.30	2.30 – 3.00
Monday	Catch up	Live session	Story
Tuesday	Phonics	Live session	
Wednesday	Phonics	Live session	Story
Thursday	Phonics	Live session	
Friday	Phonics	Live session	

We totally understand that these are challenging times, and that many of you will be anxious and worried about juggling work and childcare commitments as well as remote learning. We encourage you to support your children in accessing their remote learning and will be keeping a register of children who access the live lessons. We will also be saving the evidence you send us of any other remote learning your children have been doing.

Thank you for your continued support. Take care and stay safe.

Yours Sincerely
Mr P Barnett
Headteacher



The Designated Senior lead for Safeguarding and Child Protection is the Headteacher, Phillip Barnett, supported by the Deputy Headteacher, Alison Gascoyne, and Family support worker Kerry Dyas.
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