Hethersett Woodside Primary & Nursery School



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Year One

Spring 2.2

Dear Parents,

We hope you had a restful half-term break. Hethersett Woodside remains closed to the majority of children and, at the time of writing, we are not able to give you a date for wider reopening. We will be in touch with more information when the time arrives.

In the meantime, we will continue to offer learning remotely. A very few children will be in school. Whether learning at home or at school, the curriculum will be the same, so no one misses out.

Our enquiry this half term is 'Where do the Wild Things Live?' We will be learning all about animals and their natural habitats. This half term's story 'Welcome' links with our work on being a School of Sanctuary, and how we can be welcoming to others. Our maths will be very practical as we are learning how to compare and measure length, mass and volume.

If there is any further information or support you require, please do try and catch one of us at the school gate; contact us via *Google Classroom* or contact the school office to arrange a conversation by phone.

Remote Learning

All children should now be accessing the live lessons, activities and resources posted on the Google Classroom platform. If you are still having difficulties with this, please get in touch.

We will continue to run a live session every day, and post our weekly timetable and daily activities consisting of English, Maths, Phonics and Topic.





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Please do feel welcome to ask if you are struggling with a lack of suitable technology in the home. The school has devices to loan out.

There is no requirement to do anything over and above what is set and regular breaks away from the screen are recommended. If there is some time to extend the learning, try our website. We have posted lots of different ideas and resources linked to all the national curriculum subjects. You can find the link to our Home Learning section <u>here</u>.

Finally, please note the DfE recommends that Year 1 children spend a maximum of 3 hours per day on their remote learning, and as a school we support that. In Year 1, we also greatly value learning through play and keeping active. We would like to thank-you for all your hard work and effort this half term,

Kind regards,

Mrs Gaffney, Miss Reed and Mrs Pearson



