A guide to support your child with Home learning

For an unknown length of time your child will be at home, during this time it will be important that your child continues to keep up their education by completing work set by class teachers. Children have brought home a pack of work last week for this weeks home learning or these will have been delivered to you. As from Monday 30rd work will be set for pupils via a year group blog on the school website. Here are a few guidelines to help you support your child at home with their home learning.

- Have a daily routine, i.e. children to get up at a certain times, dress, and have a set time to begin school work. Plan out breaks during the work and set a time for lunch.
- Approximately 2 2.5 hours per day should be spent on school work.
- Reading is really important and pupils should be encouraged to read every day. If your child has a library card you can search, 'RD digital', using your library card number you can download books for your child, for free.
- Let you child have a break between different subjects, this will help to spread out the day's home learning.
- Monitor the amount of time during the day your child spends on a tablet or phone, it is a good idea to use this as reward time when the days learning is finished.

Below is a timetable with suggested lengths of time pupils should spend on different elements of their home learning:

Handwriting (if applicable)	maths	writing	Foundation Subject	Reading comprehension
10 minutes	40 minutes	40 minutes	30 minutes	30

Year 3 and 4 reading journal and diary.

Pupils can decorate these books however they like, to make it personal to them.

Please encourage your child to choose one of the questions to answer in their reading journal book about what they have read. Also for their diary entry can they write down an activity they have completed each day such as cooking, walking the dog, playing a game etc.

On the school website on the blog pages for each year group, you will find a link to work set by your year group teacher each Monday for the week. Pupils can use the teacher's gmail accounts to e-mail their teachers.