



## School Closure Starter Packs

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Dear Parents and Carers,

In the spirit of 'Be Prepared' we are sending home with all children a **School Closure Starter Pack** of physical resources that we hope will be useful in the event that school is closed, and to support those of you that have more limited access to technology. Please note this is not called the '**As soon as I am off school pack**' - we're just sending them out now while we still have people in school we can hand them to. If you are not in school we will get a pack to you.

Attached with this letter is our **Action Plan for Home Learning** which explains things further. I have done my best to be clear about the possible sequence of events – so please do read it carefully. There are some actions for you to take in Phase A – which is now!

Across our community we have several groups of people:

- Those self-isolating because they or someone in their household is showing symptoms. They may well be back to join us in 14 days
- Those who are being prudent with social-distancing because of their own health
- Those who are being prudent with social-distancing because of the health of someone in their household

Anyone who is unwell – just needs to work on getting better. Anyone who is 'social-distancing' is in danger of getting very bored and might like to engage in some learning. We're currently somewhere between Phase A and Phase B: school is open, but several staff and lots of children are at home for various reasons. At the moment staff who are at home are looking after the learning of children who are home, and staff in school are looking after school. As things progress the lines will become more blurred!

Please do refer back to all the letters I have sent out. All that information still stands. These letters can be found on the school website in the whole school letters section.

Most learning resources we share will be sent either via Google Classroom OR via Class Dojo. We will do our best to get them up into the 'Supporting learning at home and class Dojo' section of your year group page on the website too.

I'm going to finish this and press send now – because things are changing so fast I'm in danger of being out of date before I sign off!

Thank you for your ongoing support – we can do this!

Best wishes

Sarah Lewis

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