

"I am able to do all things by
the one who strengthens me"

Philippians 4:13
Lexham English Bible



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Dear Parent/Carer

I know this has been a very challenging week for everyone with families having to juggle online learning, live lessons and work - all at very short notice! I hope, as the weeks go by, we will all establish new routines and we shall be able to find time to spend with our families.

On Thursday, in addition to our online learning, we introduced daily live lessons for each class and live catch up sessions for the juniors during the afternoon. So far these seem to be working well and I am delighted to report that 96% of our pupils accessed these. Thank you so much for your support with this. It is our aim to develop the lessons further so that the children have the best possible learning. We feel that daily contact with pupils really helps children to stay focused on the day's learning and already, in such a short space of time, we have seen some quality work produced across the school. Please let us know if your child is enjoying the live sessions.

There are some points to consider so your child can get the best experience from live lessons:-

Wherever possible please help your child arrive on time for the live lessons, once the lesson has begun the teacher may not see your child waiting to join the meeting. We need to use the waiting room for safeguarding purposes.

Please configure your settings on Zoom so that the video is on, it is helpful to see your child, and set to "Speaker View" during teaching so that your child can focus on their teacher and easily view any screen sharing. The "Mute" should be activated unless the teacher asks your child to "Unmute". We have disabled the "Chat" function to avoid distractions during teaching time.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need any help or support with your child's learning. We are all here to help.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Briggs
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