



# PARK HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## The “New Look” of Home Learning

Dear Parents/Careers,

From the 1st July, we are anticipating the return of some year groups into school (Reception, Year 1 and Year 6) as per previous communication from Mr Griffin. We recognise that not all children from these year groups will be returning and a large majority of our pupils will continue to be taught remotely in your homes. Using the feedback gathered during our teacher calls and the questionnaires returned, we have made some amendments to our Home Learning Provision, which is outlined below.

### Aims

Our main aims for adapting our Home Learning Provision are:

- to keep our children engaged, learning and supported in readiness for their return to school
- develop a streamlined, consistent and improved quality to the tasks children are engaging with and submitting
- begin to prepare them for the expectations of their next year group

### Staff Responsibilities

If the proposed year groups return on the 1<sup>st</sup> June, staffing within school will change to support the needs of provisions in school. Therefore, the following staff will take responsibility to lead the home learning for the named year groups:

**EYFS (Pre-School and Reception)** – Mrs Phillips and Mrs Hiskett

**Year 1** – Mrs Warren

**Year 2** – Mrs Mann

**Year 3** – Mrs Roper

**Year 4** – Mrs Mercer

**Year 5** – Mrs Willacy and Mrs Mann

**Year 6** – Mrs Mann

The named member of staff will upload, mark and respond to any queries regarding home learning. They will have access to the same Class Dojo Classroom you are currently using.

### Weekly Plan

Each Monday, a weekly plan will be uploaded to your child's **Class Dojo Class Story** page.

This will include direction to:

**Daily:** RWI/Reading lessons, English lessons and Maths lessons specific to your child's year group.

**Afternoons:** will be combination of Topic, Science, PSHE/RE and Art & Designs lessons taken from our existing Home Learning Packs.

The "Weekly Plan" will include any links needed to access resources online and each morning the teachers will also post **daily** STEM challenges and any resources needed for that days lessons – this will support parents in access the lessons easily without having to search through numerous posts. Most importantly, these weekly plans will mirror the learning objectives being taught in school.

We still ask the at least **one piece of your child's learning** is uploaded daily to their portfolio. Each week the teacher will "showcase" some of the learning that has taken place in the class, to celebrate the efforts of all involved.

### Communication on Dojo

Many parents may feel anxious about the change to a different teacher at this point in the school year. Please be reassured that your existing class teacher will still be involved with the running of their Class Dojo Classroom and will endeavour to be available to discuss any additional worries or concerns you many have when possible. We do ask that any queries and concerns related to "Home Learning" are directed to the named staff member who will be responsible for your child's learning or myself.

To clarify, any **direct message** between parents and staff members **cannot** be viewed by any co-teachers associated with that class, so please select the staff member you wish to message by using their name.

We have seen some excellent work being produced by our children. which is a credit to their dedication, hard-work and all of your efforts to ensure they are still learning from home! I hope this new "streamlined" direction of Home Learning supports the requests made by parents, and most importantly the needs of our children.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Mann