

Slingsby C.P. School The Green Slingsby North Yorkshire YO62 4AA (01653) 628370

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Slingsby Community Primary School COVID-19 Home Learning Policy September 2020

In case your child needs to isolate due to COVID-19:

Your child's teacher will provide work in line – where possible - with what the rest of her/his class bubble is learning at school.

This will include:

- Weekly spellings and multiplication focus for the week.
- English and mathematics activities for each day.
- A range of other activities for the afternoons. These may include: Art & Design, Languages, Science, RE & PSHCE, computing, history and geography.
- References to suitable learning materials on the internet to consolidate and extend learning.
- We strongly encourage at least 15 minutes of listening to your child read each day. This does not have to be a book ANY reading is useful, whether it be from a magazine or comic, or recipe whilst doing some home baking.

In cases of longer-term absence due to having to remain isolated for a period of 10-14 days, your child will be contacted by telephone call by your class teacher at a time which is convenient to the parent/carer and teacher. Any work completed should be emailed to school which will then be accessed by their class teacher for marking and feedback. **The class name MUST be typed into the subject box.**

What if the whole class bubble closes?

In the event of a whole class bubble isolating due to a positive case of COVID-19, our teachers (assuming they are in good health) will provide activities as listed above, but also spend time producing Youtube videos. Our intention is to maintain the connection between teacher and pupil; and help ensure their mental health and well-being stays positive. These may include (but not be restricted to):

- Reading a section of a story, poem or text as a stimulus for writing.
- Instructional teaching in subjects such as science, art or technology.
- PE skills/tasks to try to master at home.

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We are all guided by the Slingsby Values for Life: Respect, Honesty, Resilience, Expectations and Caring for Others Your child will be contacted by phone from their class teacher during the period of isolation; but please have patience, as contacting every child does take a bit of organisation, flexibility and time.

Mr. L. Smith

Acting Head Teacher Slingsby Community Primary School

Mrs. S. Wigby Ashurst Chair of Governing Body

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