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Dear Parents and carers,

I hope that you are all keeping safe at home. Thank you to all the parents and children who have already accessed Teams. I can see that many of you are enjoying using Teams to access learning and keep in touch with your class mates.

Now we have been using the resource for a week we are reviewing how it is used, these changes will take effect from Monday 30th March.

Home learning expectations on Teams

Please see below the information regarding each year group and their assignment allocations. If we find that too much or too little is being assigned, this will be adapted on a weekly basis

Assignments will be set for all children, these will be expected to be completed by the due date. Instructions will be given in each assignment, with clear guidelines of how to answer and return the learning. These can then be completed and turned in to staff who will give feedback on these. Feedback will be provided based on staff availability. We would hope that feedback is given within the week of the return. There is usually a member of staff from each Team on daily.

Home learning will continue to be set as normal, through teams. This will also be set as an assignment every Friday for all year groups.

Year One

All assignments to be set on a Monday by 9am and open for a week.

No new assignments will come out during the week.

Mathematics x 2

Phonics/Spelling x 1

Writing x 1

Reading x 2



Year Two

All assignments to be set on a Monday by 9am and open for a week.

No new assignments will come out during the week.

Mathematics x 2

Spelling, punctuation and grammar x 1

Writing x 1

Reading x 2

Year Three

All assignments to be set on a Monday by 9am and open for a week.

No new assignments will come out during the week.

Mathematics x 2

Spelling, punctuation and grammar x 1

Writing x 1

Reading x 2

Year Four

All assignments to be set on a Monday by 9am and open for a week.

No new assignments will come out during the week.

Mathematics x 2

Spelling, punctuation and grammar x 1

Writing x 1

Reading x 2

Year Five

These assignments will be set on a Monday by 9am and open for a week.

Mathematics x 2

Spelling, punctuation and grammar x 1

Writing x 1

Reading x 2

In addition to this, **daily challenges** will be set for arithmetic and grammar. We are aware that not all learners will be able to access these daily, so please only do these if you are online. These assignments will be open for one day.



Year Six

Assignments are set daily for Reading and Spelling on Reading Eggs, to be completed for the next morning.

Assignments are set daily for Maths: Daily arithmetic quiz due in next morning and other daily Maths task set on MyMaths, TTRockStars or through Assignments on Teams.

Writing: 2 week or 1 week assignments set on Fridays, open for one week.

Open assignment for Topic, due in after 4 weeks.

All Classes

In addition to assignments (in the files section of each child's class team) there are a range of documents that can be referred to. There is no expectation that these are printed and completed but they are there to be used if you so wish as extra resources and challenges. Feedback will not be provided for this learning only those sent as an assignment at this time.

Keeping in touch

We are extremely lucky that we have this tool, which is allowing the children to keep in touch with their classmates in a safe environment. From Monday we will open a channel for all learners, which will be primarily for them to keep in touch with each other. This will ensure that the general page will remain clear and important message and assignments will not be missed. This information will be shared with all learners over the weekend, including the strict guidelines of what is acceptable within the chat.

Thank you again for your continued support at this time, if you require further support with Teams or any online learning aspect please contact Mrs Nicholson directly via email rnicholson@dosthill.org or refer to the school website where some help guides are available.

Kind regards

Mrs Nicholson