

Inspiring Excellence

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Dear Parents and Carers,

## **REMOTE LEARNING FROM 5th JANUARY:**

The staff at Keir Hardie Primary wish you and your family a Happy New Year. With the current climate we find ourselves in, we want you to know that the focus remains for our pupils to access quality first education. The Department for Education expects schools to have the capacity to offer immediate remote education for the next two weeks, whilst we recognise that this is not the same as face to face teaching we have ensured that our staff plan and deliver sequenced online lessons.

You can expect your child's teacher to: (Google Classroom)

- Set assignments so that pupils have meaningful and ambitious work each day in a number of different subjects across the curriculum.
- Teach a planned and well-sequenced curriculum so that knowledge and skills are built incrementally, with a good level of clarity about what is intended to be taught and practised in each subject.
- Provide frequent, clear explanations of new content, delivered by a teacher in the school or through high-quality curriculum resources and/or videos.
- Gauge how well pupils are progressing through the curriculum, using questions and other suitable tasks and set a clear expectation on how regularly teachers will check work.
- Enable teachers to adjust the pace or difficulty of what is being taught in response to questions or assessments, including, where necessary, revising material or simplifying explanations to ensure pupils' understanding.
- Plan a programme that is of equivalent length to the core teaching pupils would receive in school, ideally including daily contact with teachers.

The pupils at Keir Hardie Primary can expect the following provision:

What	Details	Where it can be found
A timetable of the week	A breakdown of which subjects will be taught on which days	Keir Hardie website/remote learning and click on your child's year group. It can also be found on the google classroom page
A brief daily flipchart of the day's work and teaching	Flipchart planning outlining the next days learning	Google classroom
Lessons	Uploaded slides, worksheets and links to other relevant websites. These will be the same as the ones used in the classroom.	Google classroom
Feedback from the teacher	All pupils are expected to post the work they have completed onto the classroom where the teachers and the TA will give oral or written feedback.	Google classroom





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We expect parents to:

- Follow the parent code of conduct which can be found on the school website at the following link, under the support and information section https://keirhardie.newham.sch.uk/curriculum/remote-learning
- Speak to your child about their code of conduct which can be found on the school website at the following link, under the support and information section https://keirhardie.newham.sch.uk/curriculum/remote-learning
- Ensure that your child is logged onto the classroom from 9:00- 3:00
- Ensure that pupils return to the class after their break and lunch promptly
- Make sure that your child is supervised whilst using the internet to ensure that they are only accessing content that is appropriate to them. Children have had online safety lessons in school and should be aware of how to keep themselves safe online and what to do if they don't feel safe (information can be accessed on the website) https://keirhardie.newham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/Keep-your-child-safe-online-1.pdf
- It would be a good idea to ask your child to tell you ways in which they can keep themselves safe while using the internet so that you as a parent can ensure that they understand.

Please note, should you wish to, or require further support please look at the school website under the section Remote learning to access Online teaching videos resources and activities covering most subjects from Early years to Year 6. We also make use of the Oxford Owl e-reader and Sum dog your child has already been given a password and will be able to access these.

Once again we thank you for your continued support throughout the pandemic.

Kind Regards

The Senior Leadership Team

