

Dear Children,

If you have to self-isolate at any point this academic year, you are required to learn 'remotely' from home.

Whether you are self-isolating for just a few days or the full 14 days, **the expectation is that you access remote learning every day**, providing you are well enough to do so. This is what the **government** expect, as well as what your **teachers** expect.

Days spent self-isolating must not be seen as 'days off'. These days are still learning days and so should be treated as such. Your teachers have been working hard to create lots of learning resources for the website and for Google Classroom, so that your learning can continue at home.

We understand that learning from home is not the same as learning at school with your teachers. However, it is definitely still beneficial, as it will help to recap learning you have covered in class, and will help prepare you for your return to school.

You will be able to share a lot of the learning you do at home with your teachers electronically (e.g. via email or Google Classroom). However, some of your learning might be done on paper. Therefore, every child will be issued with a **Remote Learning Book** so that all of your work on paper is in one place.

Remote Learning Expectations

Day 1 and 2 of self-isolation

During day 1 & 2 of self-isolation, you should complete the Remote Learning activities found on **the website** (<https://www.sitwelljunior.uk/remote-learning/>). There, you will find 2 days of English, 2 days of maths and 2 days of PE, as well as different topic activities for you to choose from.

The expectation is that you then share your learning with your teacher so that they can celebrate your achievements with you, and provide any feedback on your learning.

This can be done in various ways. For example:

- by **emailing a document/picture/screenshot** to your teacher (e.g. j.berkshire@sitwelljunior.uk)
- by sharing a document using **Google Docs**
- by completing your learning in your **Remote Learning Book** and then bringing it in to share with your teacher on your return to school

Remote Learning



Day 3 and beyond of self-isolation

From day 3 onwards, Remote Learning will be set using **Google Classroom**. Each day, you will be set some English learning, some maths learning and some topic learning.

When completing your learning, we expect you to:

- Show **RESILIENCE** when completing **all** tasks to the best of your ability
- Be **RESOURCEFUL** when up-levelling and improving your work – particularly in English
- Spend quality time on each activity set – do not just race through them!
- Demonstrate great **RELATIONSHIPS** when commenting on others' learning
- Be **REFLECTIVE** by checking if your work has been returned to you, acting upon the advice given.
- Keep any comments on the Classroom Stream focused on the learning

Once you have completed your learning and are confident that it is your best work, you must share your learning with your teacher.

Again, this can be done in various ways. For example:

- by uploading a **document/picture/screenshot** onto **Google Classroom**, and clicking 'hand-in'
- by **emailing** a **document/picture/screenshot** to your teacher (e.g. j.berkshire@sitwelljunior.uk)
- by sharing a document using **Google Docs**
- by completing your learning in your **Remote Learning Book** and then bringing it in to share with your teacher on your return to school

If, due to technology difficulties, you need to do your learning in your Remote Learning Book, you must let your teacher know, otherwise your teacher will not know why you are not submitting work electronically.

If you have any problems at all with accessing work on Google Classroom then either:

- ask for help on the Google Classroom Stream from your teacher or class mates or
- ask your parents to telephone or email the school at info@sitwelljunior.uk

Your teachers will be checking that you have accessed and completed work on a daily basis, in line with school and government expectations, and, if you have not been completing tasks, will contact you, or your parents, to find out why.

Thank you,

The Sitwell Team