



Braunstone Community Primary School



Be The Best Version Of You

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Belong Care Persevere Succeed

Dear Parents and careers,

As you already know, the country was put into a national lockdown by the Government on Tuesday 5th January for 6 weeks.

This means that schools, including Braunstone Community Primary School, will only be open to Key worker and vulnerable children and children in F1. This is to try and help reduce the spread of the virus.

I cannot express to you all how much I want every child in school every day. The children **belong** at school **but** it is vital that we help to keep them, our staff and the community as safe as possible.

As a result, for the next 6 weeks children will be expected to learn from home:

Remote online learning

It is a nationwide Government expectation that children must access learning at home during the lockdown period. We, like you, want our children to **succeed** in everything that they do. That is why the amazing staff at this school work so hard to make sure that there is quality learning opportunities planned and posted online for your children to complete.

The school has been told that it must check that children are completing the work that has been set. Please do all that you can to make sure that your children access the learning that has been set – we do not want your children falling behind any more than necessary.

Staff will be rewarding your children for successfully completing their online learning in a variety of ways.

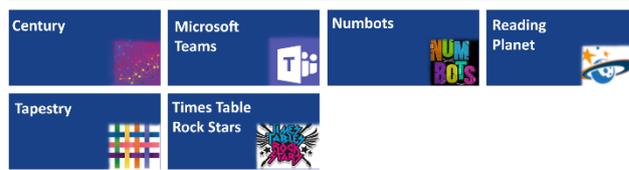
If children are not completing the work we will call you to find out why and if there is anything we can do to support you further.

If children are still failing to engage with online learning which has been set by the teacher, a socially distanced doorstep visit maybe necessary.



Website

<https://braunstone.leicester.sch.uk/> - you will find the different online learning on our website at the top of the homepage.



Key workers

We have texted a quick online survey asking you if you are a key worker. There is a link at the top of the survey which gives a list of the different jobs which are classed as key worker roles. Please complete this as soon as possible. If you have not received the survey, please contact the school office and we will check that your details are correct on our records and send you a new survey out.

Routine

It is vital that you get your children into a good daily routine.

Think about what they have done when they have been at school and try and copy that:-

- Wake up at a certain time.
- Have breakfast
- Change out of pyjamas and into “school” clothes.
- Do some work set by the teacher - online
- Have a break
- Do the 5 min fitness video set by our sports coach
- Do some work set by the teacher - online
- Eat lunch and go for a walk
- Do some work set by the teacher – online /read/practice handwriting/practice basic number skills
- End of the day – spend quality family time together as a reward for their hard work and a reward for all of your support.

Staff are really looking forward to discussing your child’s learning and how they are doing generally but it is also an opportunity for you to talk to us about how you are and how you are feeling.

We know that the latest lockdown means that we won’t be able to see the children or you as often as we would like to, but the spirit and [care](#) we have for each other will never be broken.

I know that if we all [persevere](#) and work together we will get through this difficult period.

Never forget that:

This is Braunstone Community Primary School!

And

We are Braunstone!

