



## Federation of Pinvin C of E First School and St Nicholas C of E Middle School

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*Together, we inspire, discover and achieve*

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Dear Parent / Carer,

Sadly we are seeing our schools close today until further notice as per government guidance. I would like to thank you all for your patience and support during these difficult times. As you can appreciate, different guidance has been released on a daily basis and things have changed constantly. Children have been given access to work for the next couple of weeks as outlined below and your support with their home learning is appreciated.

Year 5

Year 5 have sent home work packs (and provided the office the pack so that they can put it on the website). We are setting MyMaths and Purple Mash lessons / projects.  
If needed, as time goes on, we can add more activities on the website for children to complete

Year 6

Packs of work for core and foundation subjects have been given out, differentiated. Work has been assigned on MyMaths to every child, Google Classroom has been set up for each class and all children have logged on. They are also able to do independent work using MyMaths, and PurpleMash.

Year 7

In year 7 we are planning on using Google Classroom to send work. We will drip feed maths and english lessons daily on the topics that we are going to study. We have also set up a theme project based on the topic of the Normans, and will also be setting some ICT lessons via the online system.

Should we be closed for a longer period details of further work will follow. Instructions on how to access google classroom are attached to this e mail.

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## **Free School Meals**

If your child usually receives free school meals you will be receiving e vouchers via e mail initially for a period of two weeks. You can expect to receive these early next week and they will be redeemable at Asda stores. We could only select one supermarket which is why Asda was chosen as the local supermarket for the majority of our children.

## **French Trip Refunds.**

Please be assured that the office staff are working extremely hard with the Insurance companies and will give you an update next week with regard to the situation. We hope to reimburse you as soon as we can.

## **SATS**

SATS have been cancelled for this Year 6 children.

## **Year 7**

I have spoken to all children today to minimise their concerns. Should for any reason school not restart before the Summer (we all hope this is not the case) I have assured them that we will arrange a leaving event on our return. Also we will do all we can to keep transition as smooth as possible for the children.

These, as we have said, are unprecedented times and we really do not know how long these closures will be in effect for, however we will keep in touch with you as we have any further news. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the amazing staff team, who have worked so hard this week in reassuring children, preparing home learning resources and for their support and willingness to adapt flexibly to ensure that we as keyworkers are doing what we can to help in this emergency situation.

We wish that you all stay safe and healthy in the coming weeks and look forward to welcoming all the children back to school as soon as we can.

Best wishes

Sandra Jennings and all the staff team.

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