## WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL



# ASHURST CE AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

First of all, we would like to thank you for your support. The guidance for schools changes daily and it is a new situation for us all as we adjust to remote learning. There have been some teething problems, we are working to sort these out and we are grateful for your patience during this time.

We have sent to you some key words to support your child's writing at home as well as a list of what we call 'non-negotiables'. These 'non-negotiables' are to remind the children of what we would be expecting of them in school, and so that as parents and carers, you are aware of these when supporting your children.

In order to support you with remote learning we will:

- Provide a weekly timetable for each class which will be published on a Monday.
- · generally, set work on Google classroom, Purple Mash or via links.
- ask you to log on daily to build on previous learning and ask that you focus on Maths and English as a priority.
- expect children to complete work to the standard expected.
- respond to work via Google classroom.
- monitor work submitted, and where children are not engaged with online work we will
  contact the family to ensure that there are no problems, and any concerns can be
  addressed.

#### We ask that children:

- seek help, if they need it, via Google classroom.
- Complete work neatly to the standard expected.
- Submit any completed work to Google classroom the week it is set.

#### We ask that parents and carers:

- let school know, via the school office, if a child is unwell and unable to complete their learning.
- who need help on Google classroom contact the school office.
- · Support their child/ren to submit work.
- · Read with their child/ren daily.

These are, as we said, very unusual and difficult times, and we fully appreciate all that you are doing with your children to support their learning at home. We know that no-one's experience of remote learning will be the same because everyone's circumstances are different. Please do not worry. It is not a race or a competition. We are all different and we can come through this together.

### Safeguarding

As always, should you have any concerns regarding any child/children, please contact the school as soon as possible, in order that matters may be quickly and effectively resolved.

Thank you once again for your continued support.

Kindest regards,

Mrs T Clarke and Mrs S Smith

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