**ANGLESEY PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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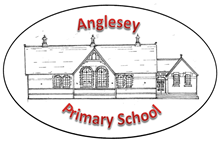
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Dear parents/carers,

**Re: Coronavirus update – school closure to most pupils**

Following on from my last update, I’m now writing to let you know that **we have now been instructed to close the school to almost all children after this Friday until further notice**.

As advised by the government, we will do all we can to stay open for the children of key workers (e.g. NHS staff, police, others in frontline services) and children with certain needs (Education and Health Care Plans, children with social worker involvement with the family). This will be in the Infant Building – the Junior Building will remain closed until further notice.

The key worker list should be distributed tomorrow when it is released by the Government.

**If you or your child fall into one of these groups and you are self-isolating, do not bring your child into school until the 14-day period has elapsed.**

**All other children will need to stay at home, so we ask that you do not send your child into school from Monday onwards.**

Please note that this is a national closure – as you may have heard in the news – so while it is a challenging situation, we are not alone. We’ll re-open fully as soon as we can and will let you know when this is by text message.

**What we’ll continue doing while your child is at home**

Your child’s learning is of course important to us, so we’ll continue to help your child to learn as mentioned previously.

The main method for children to access work will be on the school website under the Children => Class Pages tab. If you click on the relevant Year Group for your child, teachers will be uploading daily activities for pupils to complete. These may be worksheets, links to other websites or videos to watch.

Additional websites

English

<https://www.oxfordreadingbuddy.com/uk> Oxford Reading Buddy

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/search.aspx?q=spelling> Spelling games

http://www.keystage2literacv co uk/spellinos-menu.html (Years 3-6)

http //www supersummary.com/qrammar-guide/

https://www ictgames.com/mobiIePage/Iiteracy.html (5-8yrs)

**Maths**

<https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth>

https:/mathszone.co.uk/ http://[www.nrich.maths.org/](http://www.nrich.maths.org/)

Purple Mash( All Subjects)

Purple Mash has an exciting mash -up of curriculum- focused activities, creative tools, programs and games to support and inspire creative learning every day. From poems to newspapers, masks and 3D models, animations and textured paintings.

<https://www.purplemash.com/login/>

<http://www.tutortastic.co.uk/blog/homelearning>

Reception and Nursery

Numberblocks on Youtube

Alphablocks on Youtube

CBBC Newsround

Daily Tasks and Project Work

It is important that children continue to:

* read daily for at least 20 mins
* learn their times tables
* learn their number facts to 20 (Yrs.R, 1 and 2)

If your child usually receives free school meals we will also be in touch with more information about how we will continue to provide this, with support from a scheme that the government has just announced.

This is as much as we know right now and we appreciate your continued patience with as we deal with this ever-changing situation. We understand that this latest news will have an impact on you and your family and it’s far from ideal, but we’ll continue to keep in touch with any updates as the situation develops.

And remember: if you or your child feels ill and you want to know what to do next, please use [NHS 111 online](https://111.nhs.uk/covid-19).

Thank you again for your continued support, and we will be in touch with more information when we can.

P Doddridge

Head Teacher