



## OUR LADY OF FATIMA CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

### Re: Home Learning from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2020

As a school community we have encountered a new way of living and working over the last fortnight and this looks to continue for the foreseeable future too.

As a provider of education for your child, we have progressed through this initial phase of home learning which has focused on consolidating areas taught this term. The paramount concern during this phase has been the welfare of all our children and staff.

As we begin to settle into a rhythm of working in this manner, we enter an adjustment phase to look at how learning and care will look for our children both at home and at school. From Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April, a weekly Core Subject Summary will provide your child with learning activities both online and other methods. Coinciding with this, your child will be provided with a 'challenge' sheet which will cover foundation subjects for the half term period. The children will select a minimum of four activities including one of the most challenging activities on the sheet to complete.

There will be an emphasis on consolidation and reinforcement of previous learning to help the children with long term memory. New concepts will be introduced but these will be extended over a longer period so that misconceptions and gaps in learning are minimised. Teachers may also provide accompanying materials to support any new learning i.e. a PowerPoint to share with your child. We are also conscious of children who have SEND and that their needs are met too. Your child's class teacher may contact you if your child may need additional support.

The key to this programme and way of learning is collaboration - so that we can work together in partnership to ensure that our children are able to succeed and continue to learn.

If you have any queries or concerns, please contact the school office or email:  
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Yours sincerely

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