

My Child's Bubble is self-isolating

We hope the following document will answer any questions you may have if your child is asked to self-isolate by Public Health England for a period of time.

What happens if my child's class bubble is sent home?

In this situation your child will have a bespoke learning plan delivered by their class teacher. All pupils will need to log in to their Google Classroom account to find the work set by their class teacher. Class teachers will 'meet' with the children at least once daily. These daily online 'meets' will be considered an attendance mark for your child.

How much support do I need to give?

Children in Key Stage 2 should be able to complete their work independently. Younger children may need parent support to complete the work set.

How much work should my child be doing?

We would expect your child to complete some writing, reading and maths work, alongside the other work set. You will need to ensure that your child is working during the school day. We would suggest that a Key Stage 1 child is working for 3 hours a day and a Key Stage 2 pupil for 4 hours. If the child is working for this amount of time, please take time to rest. Contact your child's class teacher if the workload is too much or too little.

What if my child is too unwell to complete their learning?

If your child is unwell then we wouldn't expect them to complete their home learning. In this situation we would appreciate an email or phone message to the school office letting us know and we will then inform your child's class teacher.

Will my child have contact with their class teacher?

Your child's class teacher will 'meet' your child online daily. They will also attempt to phone you every week to check how you are getting on at home. They will want to speak to your child to check with them personally.

Will my child get any feedback on their work?

Our teachers will be very happy to receive examples of the work your child has completed via email. Please send this to the school email address adminoffice@romseyabbey.hants.sch.uk. In Key Stage Two, children are able to submit work to their teacher using the Google Classroom platform. Teachers can then respond to this and communicate with your child.

How will you assess my child's progress?

Where work has been completed online, teachers will see and comment on your child's work. This will build a picture of assessment for your child's class teacher. Where work has been completed on paper, photos can be submitted to the Google Classroom.

What if I don't have access to the internet or a device?

Let the school know if you can't access the home learning. We are happy to print online learning and deliver it to your home. If your child is struggling to access their own device or have internet access, please let us know so that we can support.

How will they stay safe online?

Children are taught Online Safety during computing lessons in school. We expect parents to support their children to use the internet safely at home as they do in school. Parents need to monitor children's internet use to ensure that they are responsible online. Teachers will contact you if they notice any unsafe behaviour online. They may also 'mute' your child on Google Classroom if necessary.

What if my child is on the SEND register?

Our SENDCo will be in contact with you to check how your child is getting on with their remote learning. Where possible she will support you offer support to ensure your child is able to complete their work.

What if my child is the only member of the bubble self-isolating?

Where individual pupils need to self-isolate but the majority of the bubble remains in school, remote education may differ slightly. In this instance, we will require much more support from the parents. Your child's class teacher will be in touch as soon as possible to support you with the remote learning process. They will guide you to resources that you can use to support your child's remote education. This may be using the resources linked below in the appendix or possibly a printed resource pack for you to collect from school. Whilst the class teacher will be busy teaching throughout the day, we will support as much as we can.

What if I have any other questions?

Please contact the school office at adminoffice@romseyabbey.hants.sch.uk or 01794512047

Appendix

Remote Learning Links

The following link is to a government produced list of resources for online learning. It is not an exhaustive list and we are more than happy for you to use other resources to support your child's home learning.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-online-education-resources>

As a school we recommend the BBC Bitesize and Oak Academy resources. These give relatively good coverage of the curriculum using high-quality resources with the day planned out for you.

All of the following recommended websites are linked to from the Learning Zone on our website.

<https://www.romseyabbeyschool.co.uk/learning-zone>

BBC Bitesize

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons>

Oak Academy

<https://www.thenational.academy/>

Please continue to use the following resources...

- Google Classroom
- MyMaths
- Times Table Rockstars
- Weekly homework
- Termly Choose-a-Challenge homework

Please continue to read daily.