

# Remote Education Offer



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Remote learning is to be considered by schools only as a last resort when the alternative for students is that of no education. The school aims to work closely with pupils, parents and carers, and any other relevant partnerships such as the local authority to remove any barriers to attendance.

Robert Ogden recognises that due to the complex nature of the students within the school there may be circumstances where remote education can have the benefit of allowing pupils to keep on track with their education and stay connected to their teachers and peers. These circumstances may include: pupils recovering from short term illnesses, pupils preparing/ recovering from an operation, pupils experiencing extreme levels of anxiety/ stress impacting on their mental health.

- *We will look at the needs of the pupils and provide a package of work we feel best suits the learning profile of the individual pupil, taking into account their individual learning plan and appropriate small steps they need to continue to make progress when out of school.*
- *There is no standard offer for remote education as our pupil population is so diverse and each pupil is in a different place in their learning journey. We use a range of approaches and work presented to pupils at home is differentiated appropriately to meet individual needs.*
- *What we offer to pupils may change over time, depending on how pupils are engaging and the rate at which learning is taking place.*
- *Class teachers are responsible for setting work and ensuring it is appropriate for individual pupils.*
- *Class teachers are responsible for ensuring they give feedback to pupils/parents about the work that has been completed. Work will be marked according to the schools marking policy ensuring that the appropriate amount of work sent home suits the individual learners needs.*
- *Our personalised support team (including Speech and Language therapists and occupational therapists) offer personalised support to pupils when needed. This includes work packs targeting Blanks levels, reading activities, PECS activities and sentence building activities etc. where appropriate.*
- *We support pupils at home with personalised social stories where appropriate.*