

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2021

### Remote Learning

Dear Parents/Carers,

In our continuous efforts to improve our remote learning offer we are excited to announce that after the half term holiday we are moving our remote learning to a new platform called RM Unify. RM Unify is a single sign on access management service that delivers an app library, launch pad and management console through any browser, on any device. Your child will have their own personal login details for RM Unify. Once they log onto RM Unify your child will then be able to access Microsoft Teams, an online communication and collaboration tool. Within Microsoft Teams your child will be able to access all their home learning electronically and links to online live lessons. Completing and submitting work electronically through Microsoft Teams will allow Class Teachers to give more detailed feedback as well as allowing greater communication between children, their teachers and their peers.

In addition to this your child will also, via the RM Unify platform, be able to use their single sign on to access other apps that are used in school e.g. TTRockstars, Purple Mash, Oxford Owl, RWI phonics, etc.

In order to access this you will be sent your child's RM Unify log in details and a guide of how to use RM Unify. Once logged in your child can access Microsoft Teams (via the Remote Learning tile) and we will send home a guide on how to navigate your way through Microsoft Teams.

Class Teachers are busy setting up their class teams and this week (week commencing 8<sup>th</sup> Feb) we would like to try out a live class wellbeing sessions to give everyone a chance to find their way around before switching over after half term. Therefore it would be great if you could support your child in accessing their RM Unify account by following the instructions on the separate letter which contains your child's personal log in details.

We hope that this new platform will not only seek to improve our current online learning offer but in the future allow children to access their learning at every opportunity 24/7.

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We kindly ask that you bear with us during this transition period as we are all on a remote learning journey together. Class Teachers will send out details of 'live' trial sessions that will take place towards the end of this week.

Should you have any questions, queries or problems please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Shotton  
Executive Head