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Dear Parents,

Firstly, I hope you are well and staying healthy during this very difficult time. I know this is very challenging for you and your families and lots of you will be facing many pressures both at home and at work if you are continuing to carry out your jobs.

What I do know, for sure, is what kind, supportive and loving parents you are and what a wonderful job you do in raising your children. We see daily the love and care you show for them and I am sure you are continuing to be great parents as you look after your families at home.

I know many of you have been supporting your children with their learning at home either by working on tasks sent home or supporting them with online tasks. Thank you for all you are doing. I know for many families this is difficult because you have a number of children to help or not enough electronic devices for them all or you are trying to work from home too. Please **DO NOT WORRY**. The teachers are setting work but be very clear

- Your child does not have to follow the timetable set
- Your child does not have to complete all the work set
- If you or your child are not clear about an activity – don't worry-choose something else instead

The most important thing is that you adapt things to suit your situation. Teachers do not want parents or pupils to feel under any pressure. The activities set are there to occupy the children and keep them stimulated not to add pressure to your day. If they are using the class blog feel free to see what they are writing and add a comment if you have any worries about them.

Next week the staff will continue to update the activities for the children until Friday and then they will stop for two weeks. This will allow staff and pupils to have a break and concentrate on other things.





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We are all missing our wonderful St Peter's family; pupils, parents and staff and we look forward very much to seeing you all again. In the meantime please continue to pray for one another. You might like to say our school prayer with the children as this is a prayer they regularly say at school.

God bless you,

Liz Holliday



St Peter's School Prayer
Oh God I pray
For bread for the hungry,
Homes for the homeless,
Peace for the fearful,
Healing for the sick,
Love for the hard of heart,
Life for the departed,
And Christ for all,
Amen

