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### Remote learning

Hello all,

Well today has been our first day of remote learning in and out of school.

Please be patient with staff, your child and yourself as we all get used to this scenario. As I'm sure you will agree it is not ideal and believe me all our teachers would far rather be in the classroom but we do not have that option at this time. I know many of you may be feeling overwhelmed but remember it is day 1 and it will get easier. Also, only access what is reasonable for your family circumstance. No one is going to be judging how much you manage to get through.

There will no doubt be teething troubles or changes to content as we progress and have a little breathing space to reflect. As the week goes on we will all get used to it and changes will be made where needed.

If we all work together then I'm sure we can make a success of this.

Also, having been informed by the Prime Minister on Sunday that schools would not be shutting, these plans have had to be prepared at very short notice. Whether we thought it might happen or not, up until yesterday, teachers could only continue preparing for their physical provision in school.

I look forward to your support in this.

Many thanks for all your kind messages of support at this time. Leading a school is a very fulfilling job but at this moment in time a very stressful one, so your words mean a lot.

Kind regards,

Mrs Clarkson