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Dear Parents and Carers,

### Remote Learning

I hope you and your families are keeping well. We are now in week 4, of National Lockdown 3 and partial school closures mean that we have once again had to move to remote learning for most of our children.

I have been amazed by the resilience that everyone in our school community has and continues to demonstrate at this difficult time and I am incredibly grateful for the support that we have received as a school. In addition to the support of your friends and family I hope that you also feel supported by our school. Please do get in contact with us if we can help further.

We are missing having all of our children in school but we hope that by following the guidance and staying at home as much as possible, to reduce community transmission, that the local and national situation will improve and we will be able to return to school before too long.

Thank you to our children for your hard work with your learning over the last three weeks. You have shared some amazing pieces of work and examples of new learning and knowledge acquired. We have really enjoyed seeing the variety of ways in which you have challenged yourselves and shown your creativity, skill, knowledge and imagination. Keep persevering and working hard. Thank you parents for all the support you are providing to your children.

The staff have greatly appreciated the many positive comments regarding our remote learning provision available via Google Classroom, which we continue to review and refine. We hope that you are finding it a useful tool and platform to share the home learning and that it provides a method for maintaining contact with your child's class teacher and school during these challenging times.

As you are aware schools have had to rapidly respond to changing Government guidance in response to the ever changing National situation. The attached document explains our remote learning provision at Silsoe VC Lower School. We have worked hard to ensure that our remote learning provision meets the needs of all our children and family circumstances. We will continue to review and refine our provision throughout the lockdown.

I hope that the home learning goes well over the next few weeks. At the time of writing we do not yet know when all of our children will be able to return to school. We will be in touch again once we have further clarification regarding after half term.

Take care and wishing everyone well,  
Yours sincerely,

Sarah Boyle  
Head Teacher  
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