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## Work books and guidance for Self-Isolation

## **Dear Parents and Carers**

We sent home work yesterday on Tapestry and email for all those children who have to self-isolate and learn from home. As the situation changes daily we are aiming to be as proactive as possible. We are sending home a blank exercise book to each child today in which work that is set can be completed. Please do also add to Tapestry as then teachers can respond and monitor what your child has been learning, we will not be marking the books we will be giving feedback via the Tapestry posts.

As always we will aim to keep you informed as and when we know more. If you have specific concerns about your child's learning please message teachers via Tapestry and they will aim to respond as soon as possible. As school remains open they will be teaching between the hours of 9 and 3 so it may be after school.

We urge any parents of children who have to self isolate to practise phonics, reading, writing and numbers daily. This will ensure the children retain the skills they have and will also improve their knowledge. We also would recommend playing with Lego, board games, playdough and not spending extended periods of time on computer games and tablets. If your child is on a device we would recommend this is for short bursts of time and ask you to ensure the games are age appropriate and your child is safe online. The websites we have sent through to use are educational as well as fun and this is a good alternative to gaming.

We wish you and your families well and understand that this is a time of uncertainty. Whilst we remain open please remember you can call to talk to us if you have any questions.

Many Thanks

Emma Wyatt