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Dear Parent/carer,

Following government guidance, we have worked hard at VLA to put in place provision for remote education for any pupils or bubbles that are unable to attend our school due to Covid-19.

Our hope is that we can all work together to ensure that any disruption to pupils' education is kept to a minimum.

On the Covid information for parents part of our school website, you will find all the help and information in order to make the transition as seamless as possible.

We have grouped our remote learning into three different scenarios:

- 1) A pupil is self-isolating awaiting results of a test
- 2) A pupil is self-isolating for 10 – 14 days following a positive test result
- 3) Pupils are self-isolating as part of a bubble/whole school closure

For scenarios **1** and **2**, class teachers will contact parents directly with remote learning instructions.

For scenario **3**, class teachers will send a text message with instructions for remote learning. Every class will be using Purple Mash (Mini Mash for Nursery & Reception) as their main platform for delivering lessons. Every child has been given a login card and there are parent guides on our website.

In addition to Purple Mash, pupils may be directed by teachers to access other online activities such as Phonics games, Oak Academy lessons, and Reading Plus.

If you have any questions or difficulties accessing the activities then please email school.

Thank you for your support and stay safe everyone.

Mrs Richardson