**Lockdown plans Badger class- information for parents**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please find details below regarding our plan in the event of lockdown. .

All work to be completed at home will be set as homework on eSchools. Links to commonly used online resources (such as Sumdog and Accelerated Reader) can be found on our class homepage. The children are familiar with logging in to eSchools, know where to find their homework and understand how work can be submitted. They also understand how to communicate with me through eSchools. As a class, we have talked about the following expectations for their work:

* Children should complete all work to the best of their ability.
* If writing by hand, handwriting should be neat and joined.
* Children should read through their work carefully before submitting it, ensuring their spelling and punctuation is accurate. This applies to typed work and work written by hand.
* Children are expected to read feedback about their work and respond to this feedback if asked to.

In the event of a future lockdown / closure of our class bubble, the children will be given a blank exercise book to write / stick their work in as appropriate. I will also give them some CGP workbooks for English and Maths. Tasks set on eSchools may involve completing particular pages from these books.

**English**-

While the pandemic is active we are following the Oak National Academy (ONA) scheme of work for year 3s

In the event of a lockdown children will be directed to the next lesson in the scheme that we are following at that time or work will be provided by Mrs French.

Writing books will be provided and handwriting words modelled on the home page- this will be their spelling words for that week.

Spellings will continue to be set weekly on eSchools.

Children should also read for 30 minutes each day. This could be a book from school or home, or an online book on myON (link on our class homepage). Accelerated Reader quizzes should be completed as appropriate for each book.

Weekly Sumdog spelling and grammar challenges will help children practise what they have already learned.

Our class reading book will be read by Mrs French and shared on the eschools page.

**Maths**

In order to keep learning moving forward, we will aim for 2 /3 taught lessons per week via pre-recorded video or Powerpoint with work given during each virtual lesson. These can be played and revisited at your convenience during the week. Sumdog challenges and ONA lessons will also be set to compliment and cement learning.

Certain children will have ‘Powermaths’ workbooks and will be directed to those for their practice.

Sumdog maths challenges will also reflect past work and be used to consolidate past learning.

CGP workbooks will be given to children to take home for timestables and children will be set pages weekly or ttrockstars challenges

**Science and Topic**

Again we will follow the ONA scheme and differentiate as we go.

Currently our Topic is Biomes.

For science we will follow the electricity lessons on the Oak National Academy.

In the event that staff are temporarily unable to record virtual lessons, the children will be directed towards the set of English and Maths CGP workbooks and pages will be set from them.

**Online platforms- please ensure that you can access eschools, Sumdog, ttrockstars, myon and the AR quiz page. If you are unable to do this, contact the office so we can help.**

**Kind Regards, Mrs French and Mrs Aburrow**