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Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you are all remaining well. There continues to be much speculation in the media about the reopening of schools. On Sunday, the government will announce plans which we are all keen to hear. Following this, schools will receive further information and guidance from the Local Authority. Once the facts are known, we shall be better placed to plan for whatever sort of reopening will be needed and when this will be, giving careful consideration to all aspects of health and safety and the welfare of pupils, families and staff.

During the next two weeks, 11th - 22nd May, please do your best to complete the Home Learning packs that you have already been given. If you have already completed them, please go to the school website and click on the **Parents** tab and go to the **Home Learning** section. There is a wealth of resources, suited to different age groups, which we recommend. Some you may wish to look at first include:-

BBC Bitesize

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>

National Oak Academy

<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom>

Cambridgeshire Home Learning Site

<https://www.cambslearntogether.co.uk/home-learning>

Learning at home packs - cross curricular

<https://www.tts-group.co.uk/home+learning+activities.html>

Phonics Play

<https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/>



<https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/about-the-game>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/3-5-years/letters-and-sounds>

<https://readingeggs.co.uk/>

Twinkl

Free access during school closures with lots of different activities <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/>

We really do appreciate your continued support with your children's education and wellbeing while they are not in school. Please try to keep your children reading, practising their spellings, learning their multiplication tables and completing Maths work and writing - whatever is relevant to the age of your child and is contained within the Home Learning pack. Staff recognise the difficulties that you may be facing in trying to manage your own work commitments at the same time as trying to teach your children and support them emotionally.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, if you have any have any questions or concerns.

Wishing you a happy and safe bank holiday weekend - enjoy any VE Day celebrations you may be having at home.

Yours sincerely

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