

# HARMONDSWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

London Borough of Hillingdon

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Dear Parents / Carers

Firstly, I would like to wish you all a Happy New Year.

## Enforced Closure

As you are aware from my previous letter all schools across London are closed. **This means that we will only be open to children of critical workers and vulnerable children.** We sent a survey last week for parents to complete if they require a place for their child/children and places have been allocated. Please call the office if you have a query regarding this or feel that your child should be attending.

**We will provide home learning for the children who will not be attending school.**

## What work will be set for my child?

As you are aware from the previous letters and emails we use an online platform called 'Its Learning'. Please ensure that you login through Atomwide using your child's login details. **The teachers will update this daily.**

The image shows two overlapping screenshots. On the left is the Harmondsworth Primary login page, featuring the school logo and the text 'Harmondsworth Primary' with a sub-link 'Not from Harmondsworth Primary?'. Below this is a 'Log in with Atomwide USO' button and a smaller link 'Log in with Itslearning'. A blue arrow points from the login button area to the right-hand screenshot. The right-hand screenshot is a browser window titled 'Daily Tasks and Logins' with a close button. It contains the text 'If you are absent but feeling well' and a link to 'Daily Plan-Year Two'. Below this is a table with daily tasks.

Task	Description
Daily Reading/Phonics	Recap on the ay sound using this link: <a href="https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/BuriedTreasure2.html">https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/BuriedTreasure2.html</a>
Daily Exercise	Do 10 star jumps, 10 sit ups and jog on the spot for 30 seconds. Repeat this 5 times.
Daily Maths	Complete the activity on fractions.
Daily English	Write a set of instructions on how to make toast.
Other Topic	Write a list of places you would <b>not</b> keep a plant.

**Please do not worry if your child cannot do a particular task**, they will be updated daily and there are websites also available for your child to use. We do not expect you to print work, they can record as much as possible on paper.

### Exercise Books

If your child needs an exercise book to work in, we have left some in the drop box, outside the main gate. If you require one to be posted, please call or email the office.



### Internet

If you cannot access the internet, please let us know and we will organise paper based tasks that can be picked up from the office or posted home.

### Free data SIMs to be used in mobile phones and laptops

Vodafone have donated 50 data SIMs to schools across the country. These SIMs will provide you with 30GB for 90 days and can be **used with any network**. We will put some of these in the drop box outside the main gate. If you require one to be posted, please contact us.

<https://newscentre.vodafone.co.uk/press-release/free-sim-cards-for-250000-school-children-online-learning/> Please also see details below.

### Contact

We will endeavour to keep you informed of every step we take, when we are able to, in line with the Government guidelines via text, emails and Facebook. **I will also be asking the teachers to call each family, once a week to keep in touch.**

Thank you for your ongoing support for the school and wider community. Please do keep safe and look after one another.

Warm Regards

Eleesa Dowding  
Headteacher



# #KeepConnecting



**Free Data SIMs  
for Schools**

## **schools.connected**

At Vodafone UK we want to do our part to help everyone **#KeepConnecting** during this difficult time. That's why, as part of our schools.connected plan, we're giving away up to **250,000 data SIMs** - with 30GB to use for 90 days. These will help school children to continue learning from home on our award-winning network, despite any COVID-19 restrictions.

# Let's get you connected



## Smart Laptop / Dongle

If you have a device with a slot for a SIM card, just pop it in and you're good to go!



## Smartphone

Pop the SIM card in your phone. You can then use that data to connect or 'tether' your other devices by using the 'Hotspot' feature on the phone.

- If your phone is **locked to another network**, do not fear – you just need to contact your network provider's customer service team to request for your phone to be unlocked.
- You won't be able to use your phone to make calls/texts while using this data SIM.
- You'll be able to enjoy **30GB data for 90 days** – this will start once you insert the SIM into your phone and start using the data.

## Where to get help



Contact our customer service team on **03333 040191** (free from a Vodafone mobile)



Book a free 30-minute tech support session with our team by going to: **[www.vodafone.co.uk/techteam](http://www.vodafone.co.uk/techteam)**



Our Digital Parenting site has lots of resources to make sure you are getting the most out of being connected while keeping yourself safe. Take a look by going to: **[www.vodafone.co.uk/digitalparenting](http://www.vodafone.co.uk/digitalparenting)**