



Thursday 23rd April 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a very different start to Term 2, and I would like to thank all our families for their positive approach to remote learning. I hope the timetable we sent out has given you an idea of work expectations. I would like to remind everyone that learning from home is compulsory. We would like children to complete a Reading, Writing, Maths and one other activity from the Specialist tab each day. Please remember it is important to have a brain break and walk away from the computer every 20 – 30 minutes.

Children in F – 2 need to photograph their work and send it on Dojo to their teacher for feedback.
Children in Years 3 – 6 can upload their work to Google classroom so their teacher can see it.

I encourage children to complete activities and send it to their teacher. All teachers are keeping a record of the activities children complete. They are also marking a roll to ensure all students are connecting with their teacher during this remote learning time.

I have attached a list of Troubleshooting steps if you are having a computer problem. This can also be found on the school website. For any problems, please contact your child's teacher first. They will then refer you to the best person for assistance.

I would like to thank the BPS staff for the hours of work they put in last week to distribute iPads and Laptops to students. It was a mammoth task to prepare all the laptops with icons and quick links to minimise the need for passwords.

At the end of this week I will be taking leave for the remainder of term 2. The Acting Principal during this time will be Miss Cerra who will confidently continue the smooth running of the school.

I wish everyone a safe and healthy Term 2, and hope that we can see all our students back at school soon.

Leanne Lewis
Principal