



CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents / Carers,

Re: Learning During Closure of Schools

The Government has taken the decision to close all schools as of tomorrow, Friday 20th March, except for vulnerable children and the children of key workers.

All children should remain at home until further notice. We will keep you updated and let you know about any changes to the advice via Groupcall texts and emails and via the website.

Please keep an eye out for any messages.

We have put in place a number of measures to support the children's learning while they are at home.

- All children will be reissued with their my.uso and TT Rockstars log-in details. These websites will allow children to practise key English and maths skills remotely. Links to the websites are on the back of this letter.
- Using my.uso, teachers will also post material for children to access and use in the 'my homework' section. Children will know how to access the material. New materials will be uploaded every Wednesday.
- All children will be given a topic to research. They can be creative about how they complete these projects, creating art works, making models, writing reports, stories and play scripts. An exercise book has been sent home for this. We will really enjoy seeing these when school reopens!
- We attach a list of websites that can be used to consolidate learning through games.
- For year 2 and year 6, we have provided workbooks for children to continue to practise SATs skills which they will need for the next stage of their education.
- The BBC has announced that they will be broadcasting on a daily basis special programmes for all year groups on iplayer.

If you need to contact the school, please use our school email address, info@st-charles.rbkc.sch, which we will continue to monitor. However, please be aware that because of our firewall, some emails do not come through.

Thank you for your support and collaboration during this difficult time. We will keep you informed with any changes.

With very best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Ann Slavin
Head

Key websites:

<https://my.uso.im/>

Children have individual logins for this site. Use the USO login to gain access to my Homework and various London Grid for Learning resources such as J2Blast, espresso, etc.

<https://trockstars.com>
times tables

Children have individual logins. Allows children to practise

<https://kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk> Use this website to gain access to learning activities for year 6.

<https://www.grammaraquarium.co.uk/Year-Groups/>
groups

Grammar practice for all year

J2e apps – accessible via my uso. Includes J2blast for practising English and Maths

Discovery education – accessible via my uso. Includes material on all aspects of the curriculum with videos, games and explanations.

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

Support for all areas of the curriculum for all ages

<https://www.mathplayground.com/math-games.html>

Maths games

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/>
groups

Range of maths games for all year

<https://rockalingua.com/>

Games and songs to practise Spanish.

Username: pupil

Password: stcharles