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Dear Parents

In preparation for a possible school closure, or if we have already closed, I have set out below some work which the children can carry out at home as follows:

1. Reading – Please sign up (free) to the Oxford Owl website <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> . Click "enter site" of the section "Oxford Owl at Home". Then click "free ebooks for ages 3-11". Here you will find a range of "Biff and Chip" books the children can read or listen to. Please choose books from your child's level. These stories also have some comprehension questions and games the children can answer.
2. Please continue to use the Mathletics website www.mathletics.com (username and password attached) to practise daily Maths.
3. SATs pack – I have copied some practise SATs papers for the Y2s. Please work through these over the coming weeks to keep up with your skills. A covering note and instructions is inside the pack.
4. Y1 Phonics – Please use the following website www.letters-and-sounds.com for daily phonics practise covering all the Phase 3 and Phase 5 sounds. I have printed off some booklets for the children to work through if they wish as well as flashcards with sounds on them for quick fire practising.
5. Please practise daily mental maths. This can be counting to 100 and back, counting in 2s, 5s and 10s, practising number bonds to 10, 20 and 100 ($2 + 8 = 10$, $20 + 80 = 100$, $2 + 18 = 20$). If you visit "youtube" and search "Jack Hartmann" there are lots of fun videos that practise counting.
6. The online company "twinkl" have now made all resources free to download, so if you would like extra phonics or maths work, please go to their website www.twinkl.co.uk and print off any resources you require. Please only print work that relates to your child's year group.

If you have any questions, I am available on email up until the start of the Easter holidays on nmiller@brabourne.kent.sch.uk.

Thank you for your support.

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