

NEWTOWN NORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL

Parent Guidelines for Learning from Home

Tuesday 13th July - Friday 16th July 2021



Dear Parents and Carers,

The following is a summary of our learning from home programs beginning tomorrow, Tuesday 13th July

Each stage has prepared one unit of work for the students to work on, either at home or at school. Many of the assigned activities will require students to access technology. If you need to borrow a school laptop we have a limited number available to lend. Please let us know as soon as possible and we will make arrangements to support you. K-2 teachers will also be providing offline activities.

If you have any questions about the class program please check in with your class teacher via Class Dojo.

STAGE GROUP	INSTRUCTIONS
Early Stage 1 - Kindergarten	<p>In Early Stage 1 teachers will be providing information regarding learning programs through Class Dojo.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A daily message on Class Dojo will be sent out each morning by your class teacher to mark attendance for the day.• We request that parents respond before 9:30am.• The primary focus for learning this week will be revision and consolidation of learning.• The work provided may either be printed or completed using an iPad online.• If you require a hard copy and are unable to print the work yourself please send a message to your class teacher for further information regarding this option. <p>Further details for learning activities will be posted on your child's Class Dojo by Tuesday morning. If you have any questions regarding the program please contact your child's teachers through Class Dojo between 9:30am and 2:30pm. Please be aware we may not be able to respond immediately but will endeavour to get back to you as quickly as possible.</p>
Stage 1 - Years 1 and 2	<p>In Stage 1 teachers will be providing information regarding learning programs through Class Dojo.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A daily message on Class Dojo will be sent out each morning by your class teacher to mark attendance for the day.• We request that parents respond before 9:30am.• The primary focus for online learning this week will be revision and consolidation of learning. <p>Further details for learning activities will be posted on your child's Class Dojo by Tuesday morning. If you have any questions regarding the program please contact your child's teachers through Class Dojo between 9:30am and 2:30pm. Please be aware we may not be able to respond immediately but will endeavour to get back to you as quickly as possible.</p>
Stage 2 - Years 3 and 4	<p>How will my child access online learning tasks? Google Classroom</p> <p>All Stage 2 classes will be using Google Classroom to send out online learning activities. Year 4 students have experience in using Google Classroom. Year 3 students can watch an initial video about signing in and navigating google classroom that will be posted onto Class Dojo story.</p> <p>A summary of the learning program for the week will be shared with parents on Class Dojo.</p>

	<p>The primary focus for online learning in Week 1 will be Literacy and Numeracy</p> <p>How can my child communicate with their teacher? Google Classroom and Zoom.</p> <p>Students have access to a communication post on the Google Classroom stream each morning and afternoon. Students can also communicate with their teachers through the reflection activities each afternoon. Short check in zoom sessions will also be offered throughout the week.</p> <p>How can I communicate with my child/s teacher? Class Dojo</p> <p>To keep up to date with things please check your child's Class Dojo class story posts. If you need to contact your child's teacher you can do so via the Dojo message function but please be aware that teachers will not be able to reply immediately.</p> <p>What if I need other information or have an urgent matter? Call/email the office.</p> <p>If you have matters that cannot be address by your child's classroom teacher please call the school office on 9517 1110 or email via the school email newtownnorth@gmail.com</p>
<p>Stage 3 - Years 5 and 6</p>	<p>How will my child access home learning tasks?</p> <p>In Stage 3 teachers will be providing information regarding learning programs through Google Classroom. Students already use this regularly at school and can log in from home using their DET email address and password firstname.lastname@education.nsw.gov.au - some students have a number after their name).</p> <p>A summary of the learning program for the week will be shared with parents on Class Dojo.</p> <p>The primary focus for online learning in Week 1 will be Literacy and Numeracy. Most tasks are to be completed online, either using Google docs or platforms like Mathletics.</p> <p>How can my child communicate with their teacher?</p> <p>Students should log in every morning by 9:30am via the daily attendance post on the Google Classroom stream. They can ask questions any time by emailing their class teacher. Short check in Zoom sessions will also be offered throughout the week.</p> <p>How can I communicate with my child/s teacher?</p> <p>Please check your child's Class Dojo class story posts to keep up to date with learning activities and general information. If you need to contact your child's teacher you can do so via the Dojo message function but please be aware that teachers will not be able to reply immediately.</p> <p>What if I need other information or have an urgent matter? Call/email the office.</p>

Whole School General Home Learning Suggested Timetable

This timetable is a guide of the types of activities that will be occurring each day during home learning for Years 1-6 (Kindergarten will have their own timetable).

This timetable is general and individual stages may make slight changes. This learning plan is flexible and is intended as a guide for how you can manage your day. Of course, we understand that you can only do as much or as little as your individual circumstances allow. If you cannot do all the programmed activities for the day we recommend that you complete the English and Maths tasks.

Please check in each day by 9:30am to allow student attendance to be recorded.

	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	Attendance check in by 9:30am	Attendance check in by 9:30am	Attendance check in by 9:30am	Attendance check in by 9:30am
9:00 ★	ENGLISH	ENGLISH	ENGLISH	ENGLISH
9:50	BREAK: Eat, refresh (no screen time)	BREAK: Eat, refresh (no screen time)	BREAK: Eat, refresh (no screen time)	BREAK: Eat, refresh (no screen time)
10:00 ★	MATHS	MATHS	MATHS	MATHS
10:00	BREAK: Eat, play	BREAK: Eat, play	BREAK: Eat, play	BREAK: Eat, play
11:30	History/Geography/ Science/Visual Art	History/Geography/ Science/Visual Art	History/Geography/ Science/Visual Art	History/Geography/ Science/Visual Art
12:30	BREAK: Eat, play	BREAK: Eat, play	BREAK: Eat, play	BREAK: Eat, play
1:30	INDEPENDENT READING	INDEPENDENT READING	INDEPENDENT READING	INDEPENDENT READING
2:00	REFLECTION/CATCH UP: Journal writing, complete any unfinished activities	REFLECTION/CATCH UP: Journal writing, complete any unfinished activities	REFLECTION/CATCH UP: Journal writing, complete any unfinished activities	REFLECTION/CATCH UP: Journal writing, complete any unfinished activities
2:30	FINISHED: Eat, play!	FINISHED: Eat, play!	FINISHED: Eat, play!	FINISHED: Eat, play!