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MISSION TOGETHER PRAYER

May all children In the world Share love Share friendship and live In the peace of God's love Now and forever. Amen.

Thank you for engaging with us so positively this week as we have started using Google classroom. We realise what enormous pressure remote education can place onto families especially where there are several children to home educate. Please keep in contact with us so that we can continue to support you.

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REMOTE LEARNING

Remote Learning is now a legal requirement for children not in school. Primary children are required to do a minimum of 3 hours a day for KS1 and 4 hours a day for Key Stage 2. This will be a mixture of virtual classroom, IXL, Purple Mash, TT Rockstars, and other activities. Staff will be following up with families that have queries and concerns or are struggling to engage in this. **Please go to our website <u>www.st-johns-dartmouth.devon.sch.uk</u> (to the Teaching and Learning Section) as we have a Home Learning page with easy access to logins for IXl, Purple Mash, TT Rockstars and many more applications. If you require logins to be sent again then please contact your class teacher.**

GOOGLE CLASSROOM

Teachers will continue to use Google classroom for online lessons and resources for home learning. With your child's login you need to click on the Google Chrome browser icon, click on the sign in button in the top right hand corner and enter the email address and password sent to you. Next click on the google apps waffle icon in the top right hand corner and then click the Google classroom icon where you should then see your child's class. Click Join (you will only need to do this the first time you log in).

For more information see this Youtube link: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Iowi-gmbys</u> Lesson times (daily) for the next week will be:-

Class 3- 9.30am Class 1-10.30am (Monday to Thursday only) Class 2-11.30am



Class 1 Ice Experiment

CLASS 3 RIVER DISPLAY AND LOCAL CHURCH SKETCHES





DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

If you are experiencing domestic abuse and need immediate help, ask for 'ANI' in a participating pharmacy. 'ANI' stands for Action Needed Immediately but also phonetically sounds like the name Annie. If a pharmacy has the 'Ask for ANI' logo on display, it means they're ready to help. They will offer you a private space, provide a phone and ask if you need support from the police or other domestic abuse support service. Boots will be offering this service

COVID TESTING

Please can you inform the school if a member of the school community or a family member living with a child has a positive Covid test (whether you are in school or not). The isolation period for someone living with a person that has tested positive is 10 days and 10 days for the person that has tested positive. You can stop self-isolating after 10 days if either:

- you do not have any symptoms
- you just have a cough or changes to your sense of smell or taste these can last for weeks after the infection has gone.

Please have a safe week.