

# Millbrook Community Primary School

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Dear Parents,

As you will be aware, there has been much national concern about gaps in learning many pupils may be experiencing due to the coronavirus lockdown. As a result, we set up fantastic home learning opportunities. We have drawn a list of expectations to help parents support their child's learning.

## What does Millbrook expect our children to be doing for their home learning?

**Expectation 1.** Children must log onto Education City and complete at least 40 minutes to 1 hour of tasks that the teacher has set you on a daily basis. You can split this into two sessions if that helps.

*CONTACT SCHOOL IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THIS LOG IN. millbrook@knowsley.gov.uk*

**Expectation 2.** Check Class Dojo as your teacher will have set you some tasks to do on this. Try to upload a picture or comment to show your work. You must do at least one task each day from what your teacher puts on Class Dojo.

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**Expectation 3.** Check the school website and use the links provided to access the materials and websites identified on the website.

<http://millbrookprimaryknowsley.co.uk/home-learning/>

As a guide for parents, try to get the children to do one maths related task, one English related task and one other subject to keep a wide range of subjects accessible to the children. We would expect our Early Years and Key Stage One children to do at least 1 hour 15 minutes on home learning each day. We would expect our Key Stage Two children to do at least 2 hours 30 minutes on home learning each day. If you are having difficulty accessing online materials, you MUST contact school and we will arrange an alternative form of learning to be made accessible to you.

Whilst this is a challenging and unique time, your child MUST be doing some home learning each school day. Taking the option of doing no work will disadvantage your child for many months to come.

Some of our teachers have trialled video conferencing using Zoom to contact children. We will see how well this is working and may introduce this in the coming weeks.



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