

If you are required to work from home due to school closure, we will continue to follow the school curriculum via our remote learning provision.

The remote curriculum: what is taught to pupils at home

If local restrictions require entire cohorts (or bubbles) to remain at home, we will continue to provide live lessons via Microsoft Teams to all pupils, in line with your child's timetable. We teach the same curriculum remotely as we do in school.

How long can I expect work set by the school to take my child each day?

All lessons across the key stages are planned and designed to fit with your child's normal lesson times so their school day will mirror the normal expectations.

How will my child access any online remote education you are providing?

Live lessons will be provided through Microsoft Teams, and additional resources/support will be via Satchel One. Please see the guides on this page for how to access the online tools and digital platforms.

If my child does not have digital or online access at home, how will you support them to access remote education?

Please contact your child's year team if you require additional support to access online education.

How will my child be taught remotely?

All lessons will be delivered live and learning will be supported using a number of approaches, such as:

Recorded teaching via the St Martin's YouTube channel.

Textbooks and reading books pupils have at home.

Commercially available websites supporting the teaching of specific subjects or areas, including video clips or sequences.

What are your expectations for my child's engagement and the support that we as parents and carers should provide at home?

Pupils are expected to join all live lessons including their tutor time in the morning. Teachers will indicate during lessons how they would like pupils to submit their work and this should be done within the timescale specified by the teacher.

How will you check whether my child is engaging with their work and how will I be informed if there are concerns?

Registers are completed for each lesson and parents will be contacted if their child is not participating in remote live lessons. If issues with technology are preventing a pupil from participating, then the school will provide support to enable learning to continue.

How will you assess my child's work and progress?

Assessment will be carried out using various methods in line with our normal curriculum, including end of topic tests, whole class feedback and written comments on individual work. Feedback and assessment will be provided in line without whole school marking policy.

Remote education for self-isolating pupils

Where individual pupils need to self-isolate but the majority of their peer group remains in school, their lessons will be accessible via Microsoft Teams enabling the pupil to participate in the live lesson with their class.