



Tuesday 05<sup>th</sup> January 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would hope you had a restful Christmas break and wishing everyone a happy New Year, hoping for a better experience this year.

Your child should have their DB Primary logon details, if you have forgotten your logon details please contact the school office. Your child's teacher will:

- Upload a weekly timetable
- Upload teaching resources including video tutorials (by 8am each day)
- Monitor your child's engagement and provide feedback

Please can you ensure your child is able to access the learning, it is very important. We have allocated a number of laptops to families who do not have any access to a device. If you do not have a laptop, computer or tablet please call the office and we will try to provide you with a laptop. Please note we have a limited number of laptops for those who do not have access to anything. If you are having problems with your broadband or internet provision and would prefer a printed pack of the learning, you should contact the school office.

### Expectations for learning at home

It is your child's right to an education and therefore we are asking that all children log onto DB Primary and follow their class timetable. Teachers and teaching assistants will be taking online registers and monitoring the engagement of every child. Children who are not engaging with the learning will receive a phone call from a staff member or the Senior Leadership Team.

### Help with online learning

Teachers and teaching assistants are available to support your children with their learning. However, if your child does not understand a concept or needs specific help with an area of learning, you should leave a comment on the DB Primary notice board. We have some pencils and paper available to families who needs additional resources, please call the school office.

Families experiencing difficulties with food and clothing please email [Thornhill@Thornhill.islington.sch.uk](mailto:Thornhill@Thornhill.islington.sch.uk).

Thank you for your ongoing support as we continue to cope with the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic. I look forward to seeing all the wonderful work your child will produce in the coming weeks.

All the very best,

Miss Lewis  
Headteacher

