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Dear Parents and Carers,

**Home Learning update**

Further to more general information yesterday, this letter explains extended Home Learning opportunities that you can use to continue your child’s learning in the event of a school closure or self-isolation.

Please note we are providing a range of possibilities for children and families in a range of circumstances. We are also recognising the realistic support teaching staff can offer whilst they may be continuing to teach children in school and managing their personal situations which may be affected by COVID-19.

Thank you to everyone who has informed us whether your child has access to an electronic device that would enable them to access online learning materials. **If you have not done so yet**, please email the office admin@heathbrook.org as soon as possible, simply stating the NAME of your child, YEAR group (eg. Y1) and YES (they can) or NO (they cannot).

During the next couple of days, year group teaching teams will be posting information on their This Week’s Learning webpages. This information will be updated as necessary. Some of this learning will include online learning. They will also be producing hard copies of possible Home Learning activities for pupils who do not have online access.

We are aware that children may not have access to resources such as paper and pencils, so we are preparing packs for you to pick up if necessary. As we are expecting public libraries to be closed, we will also explore ways for more school books to be available to borrow.

To contact any member of teaching or school staff please only use admin@heathbrook.org until further notice. This is in recognition of varying and unpredictable personal circumstances. Our school office team will do everything they can to respond as soon as possible.

Thank you for your continuing co-operation in these challenging times.

Kind regards,

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Headteacher