

Weekly Newsletter - 22/01/2021

Dear Parents,

You would have seen in the media this week the suggestion that this lockdown may now continue up until Easter.

As a parent myself, I know how very worrying it is that our children will be away from school for that long. This is why I am more determined than ever that every single Star pupil is accessing their online learning programme everyday. We need every parent to get behind this and support their children in making sure that when we are able to return to school, they have not missed all the learning that is available to them. Your child has to access all of the learning each day and we are chasing up all children that we don't see online or who do not submit any work. My son in Year 6 is currently studying World War 2, and I am reminded every day of the struggles that the previous generation went through. I know that we can also rise to this challenge. Our helpdesk is open every day to support all technical issues.

Best wishes
Ms Von



RSHE Parent Consultations

By now all parents should know that the government is bringing in a new RSHE curriculum expectation. This has been slightly delayed by the coronavirus pandemic, but will soon become statutory. We have been sharing these slides with parents in all our Parent Information Meetings each term. Next week, we will be sending out a question and answer fact sheet, which will then be followed by a short parent consultation form. Please also check the school's website using this link for our full RSHE curriculum offer.

<https://star.newham.sch.uk/our-learning/curriculum/r-h-s-e/>

Heating Update:

The school is currently having upgrades installed to the heating system. While this is happening, the onsite pupils will be housed in the EYFS blocks and on the middle floor. Thank you for your understanding during this time.



Challenge

Online learning in:
2B, 2H, 3S, 3D, 3J, 4L, 4R, 5P, 5T, 6M, 6R and 6E achieved 100% at least one day this week. Which class will be the first to achieve 100% **all week** and claim the reward?